

**City of Harahan
6437 Jefferson Highway
Mayor and Harahan City Council
Special Meeting/Budget Hearing Minutes**

Date: August 10, 2020

Time: 6:00 P.M.

Mayor Baudier opened the meeting at 6:00 pm.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by the Clerk.

ROLL CALL

Present: Councilman Asbill, Councilman Budde, Councilman Chatelain, Councilman Johnston, Councilman Wheeler, Mayor Baudier, Police Chief Walker, Finance Director Todd Tournillon and City Clerk Nicole Lee

Absent: Fire Chief St. Cyr and City Attorney Scott Stansbury

2020 BUDGET HEARING

All Departments: Administration, Civil Service, Court, Fire, Maintenance, Police, Recreation, Regulatory, Sanitation, Senior Center, Street Lights.

Finance Director Todd Tournillon commented on the budget process and budget amendments. Due to COVID-19 and the unexpected transactions, there will be variances in the Budget greater than five percent (5%).

COUNCIL DISCUSSION:

- 1. Wheeler**
- 2. Budde**
- 3. Chatelain**

Councilman Wheeler stated that there have been some significant changes in revenues and expenditures since this ordinance was originally brought up in July and she plans to withdraw this ordinance at the regularly scheduled August 20, 2020 council meeting and bring forth a new ordinance with more accurate figures. There will be another Budget Hearing prior to the adoption of the new 2020 Budget Amendment Ordinance.

ORDINANCE FOR APPROVAL

The following ordinance was offered unanimously by the Council:

PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 2020 – 10

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1885, the annual Budget of Revenues and Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending December 31, 2020 for the City of Harahan, Louisiana.

Mayor Baudier opened the public hearing.

PUBLIC HEARING:

- 1. Cindy Hermann**

Mayor Baudier closed the public hearing.

Motion by Councilman Wheeler, seconded by Councilman Asbill to defer the ordinance.

Mayor Baudier called for the vote, the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Asbill, Budde, Chatelain, Johnston, Wheeler

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

MOTION PASSES/ORDINANCE DEFERRED

ADDRESS THE COUNCIL

No one addressed the Council.

ADJOURN

Motion by Councilman Asbill and seconded by Councilman Johnston to adjourn the meeting at 6:19 p.m.

Mayor Baudier called for the vote, the vote was as follows:

YEAS: Asbill, Budde, Chatelain, Johnston, Wheeler

ABSENT: None

MOTION PASSES/MEETING ADJOURNED

A. The following matter involving pending litigation may be considered

(Court, Case, Number, Parties):

1. **Wood Materials LLC, Wood Resources LLC v. City of Harahan, 24th JDC, Case 761-783, Div. "K"**
2. **Gulf Coast Underground v. City of Harahan, 24th JDC, Docket No. 801282, Div. "J"**
3. **Michael Wright v. City of Harahan, et al, US District Court, Civil Action No. 19-13529, Sect. F(5)**

B. The following matter involving prospective litigation for which formal written demand has been made may be considered.

C. The following matters involving discussion of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of:

Name:

Submitted by: Nicole Lee
Nicole Lee, City Clerk