

OPELOUSAS, LOUISIANA

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NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to La. R.S. 33:405(C) and Article II, § 2-18.1 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Opelousas, a special meeting of the governing authority of the City of Opelousas (the “City Council”) has been called by the Mayor of the City of Opelousas, Honorable Reginald Tatum, and such special meeting shall be held on the **Sixteenth day of October, 2017 beginning at 5:00 p.m.**, at the regular meeting place of the City Council, 105 N. Main Street, Opelousas, Louisiana 70570, for the following purposes:

PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. TO CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING ON A PROPOSED ORDINANCE ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2017 AND ENDING AUGUST 31, 2018, WHICH WAS INTRODUCED BY COUNCILWOMAN SHERELL ROBERTS ON THE TENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2017, IN LEGAL SESSION CONVENED (the “Budget Ordinance”);

LEGISLATION

2. To consider, pursuant to La. R.S. 33:406(B)(3), any proposed written amendments to the Budget Ordinance, if any, prior to final consideration of the Budget Ordinance;
3. To vote on and adopt the Budget Ordinance as instructed by La. R.S. 33:406(B)(4);

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4. To approve the promotion of Permanent Major Joseph Scott Aymond to Probational Assistant Chief, effective 10/10/2017;
5. To approve the promotion of Permanent Captain Mark Guidry to Probational Major, effective 10/10/2017;
6. To approve the termination of extended sick leave for Permanent Police Records Clerk Carolyn Thomas, effective 09/11/2017;
7. To approve the extended sick leave for Permanent Police Sergeant Ebony Martin, effective 08/07/2017;
8. To approve the extended sick leave for Permanent Police Officer First Class Amber Sylvester, effective 08/07/2017; and
9. To approve the extended sick leave for Permanent Police Lieutenant Rodney May, effective 07/14/2017;

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And to take all action necessary in the premises and to take up all other matters which might properly come before the meeting, including any items unanimously added to the agenda by the City Council, if any, prior to the meeting as permitted by La. R.S. 33:405(C) .

Opelousas, Louisiana this 11th day of October 2017.


HONORABLE REGINALD TATUM, MAYOR

CERTIFICATION

I, Leisa S. Anderson, the duly appointed and confirmed municipal clerk for the City of Opelousas, do hereby certify that the foregoing Notice of Special Meeting was properly signed by the Mayor of the City of Opelousas, with notice of the meeting to be given to each member of the City Council via personal service by a member of law enforcement for the Parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana, and to be published in the official journal for the City of Opelousas, the Opelousas Daily World, prior to the date of the meeting as shown on the foregoing notice.

Opelousas, Louisiana this 11th day of October 2017.


LEISA S. ANDERSON, MUNICIPAL CLERK

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LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE
ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES
AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2017 AND ENDING AUGUST 31, 2018**

WHEREAS, at a regular meeting of the Board of Alderman for the City of Opelousas (the “City Council”) held on Tuesday, October 10, 2017, a proposed ordinance adopting an operating budget of revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 2017 and ending August 31, 2018, was introduced by Councilwoman Sherell Roberts (the “Budget Ordinance”) pursuant to the provisions of La. R.S. 33:406(B)(1)(2);

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of La. R.S. 33:406(B)(2), the City Council intends to hold a public hearing on the Budget Ordinance prior to final adoption;

WHEREAS, the mayor of the City of Opelousas, Honorable Reginald Tatum, has called a special meeting of the City Council for the purpose of, among other matters, holding such a public hearing on the Budget Ordinance prior to final adoption, and to adopt the Budget Ordinance after such public hearing;

WHEREAS, a public hearing on the Budget Ordinance will be held on Monday, October 16, 2017, beginning at 5:00 p.m., at the regular meeting place of the City Council, 105 N. Main Street, Opelousas, Louisiana, 70570; and

WHEREAS, copies of the budget proposed by the Mayor, and of the Budget Ordinance introduced by Councilwoman Roberts, are available for public inspection during regular business hours at 105 N. Main Street, Opelousas, Louisiana, 70570.

/s/ Reginald Tatum
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/s/ Leisa S. Anderson
CITY CLERK

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