

REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2021 - 6:30 P.M.

ST. GABRIEL CITY HALL COMPLEX - 5035 IBERVILLE STREET - ROOM 32

ST. GABRIEL, LOUISIANA

**MEETING MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Mayor and City Council was called to order at approximately 6:45p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Councilman Ronald Grace, Sr.

Councilman Jeffery Hayes, Sr.

Councilman Melvin Hasten, Sr.

Councilman Ralph Johnson, Sr.

Councilman Kelvin York, Sr.

5 of 5 Council Members were in attendance for a quorum.

Presiding: Lionel Johnson, Jr., Mayor

Recording: Constance Barbin, City Clerk

**PRAYER, MOMENT OF SILENCE & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

A prayer was led by Mayor Lionel Johnson, Jr. followed by a moment of silence (acknowledgement of lives lost during January 6, 2021 insurrection, passing of Ms. D’Audrey Redditt) and the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PUBLIC FORUM** – **Please register with the City Clerk prior to the beginning of the meeting indicating your topic of discussion. Topics should be on agenda items and/or city government concerns.**

None registered.

**MOTION TO APPROVE -** A Resolution of support authorizing the Mayor on behalf of the City of St. Gabriel, State of Louisiana to proceed with the application for not to exceed Seven Million Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($7,250,000) of Taxable Public Improvement Sales Tax Revenue Refunding Bonds of the City of St. Gabriel, State of Louisiana; providing certain terms of said bonds; making application to the State Bond Commission for approval of said Bonds; appointing Co-Bond Counsels, Independent Registered Municipal Advisor and Underwriter/Placement Agent; authorizing the execution of certain documents and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

On a motion by Councilman Johnson and seconded by Councilman Hasten, motion was approved.

ROLL CALL: 5 YEAS

**COUNCIL REPORT**

Councilman York – Acquisition and administration of COVID-19 vaccine to City residents; date correction on signage for Highway 75 project

Councilman Johnson – Resolution presented to oldest living former Council member, Reverend Lionel Johnson, Sr.; Determine owner of Bayou Colored School; council meetings twice per month

Councilman Hayes – Preservation of COVID19 vaccine

Councilman Hasten – Transportation for seniors for vaccine administration

**MAYOR REPORT**

**Announcements**

**-**Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank – food distribution at Community Center on January 15th

**ADJOURNMENT**