**Public Hearing Minutes**

The Board of Alderman for the Village of Estherwood conducted a public hearing at 6:00pm on Thurs. August 10, 2023, at 6:00pm @ 124 N. LeBlanc St. Estherwood, La to receive comments on the following:

Ordinance 170 Cleanliness and Maintenance of Property to provide for notification to the owner and penalties for the violation thereof.

 All questions were addressed.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER COMMENTS THE MAYOR ADJOURNED THE PUBLIC HEARING.

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 DONNA BERTRAND

 Village of Estherwood - Mayor

**VILLAGE OF ESTHERWOOD**

**BOARD OF ALDERMAN**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 2023, AT 6:00 P. M.**

**TOWN HALL MEETING ROOM**

The Board of Alderman for the Village of Estherwood met on the above date at 6:00p.m., in the Town Hall Meeting Room, 124 N LeBlanc Estherwood, La, in regular session with the Mayor Donna Bertrand presiding. Alderwoman Emily Mire gave the opening prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance recited in unison. The roll was call and final attendance was recorded as follows:

Alderwoman/Mayor Pro-Tem Emily Mire

Alderwoman Layne Broussard - Absent

Alderman Michael Mouton

A motion was offered by Ald. Mouton, seconded by Ald. Mire to dispense with the reading and approve the minutes of the July 20, 2023, Regular Meeting as written.

A motion was offered by Ald. Mire, seconded by Ald. Mouton to approve financial statements.

Mr. Jonas Harrington w/ Mader Engineering, Inc. gave updates on pending projects.

A motion was offered by Ald. Mire, seconded by Ald. Mouton to authorize Ordinance #170 for the Cleanliness and Maintenance of Property.

A motion was offered by Ald. Mouton, seconded by Ald. Mire to authorize the opt-in for Temporary-Housing and Shelter Assistance Program with GOHSEP.

A motion was offered by Ald. Mouton, seconded by Ald. Mire to approve LRWA to perform the Water Rate Study as required by Water Sector Program requirements.

A motion was offered by Ald. Mire, seconded by Ald. Mouton to authorize Mayor Bertrand to solicit quotes for the purchase of a used pickup truck for the maintenance department.

The Estherwood Park Fest Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 15, 2023 @ 5:45pm at Town Hall. All volunteers are requested to attend.

Public Comments.

Chief Wayne Welsh gave the monthly police report.

Mayor Announcements

**THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE MEETING, THE**

**MOTION WAS OFFERED BY ALDERMAN MICHAEL MOUTON, SECONDED BY**

**ALDERWOMAN EMILY MIRE THAT THE MEETING ADJOURN UNTIL THE**

**NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2023, AT THE HOUR**

**OF 6:00 P.M**

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Beverly Nolan Donna Bertrand

 Village Clerk Mayor

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**CERTIFICATE**

I, BEVERLY NOLAN, Clerk of the Village of Estherwood, do hereby certify that the above minutes are a true and correct copy adopted by the Village of Estherwood in regular session on August 10, 2023.

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 Beverly Nolan Village Clerk

 Village of Estherwood

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 Estherwood, La 70534

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