



Zachary Taylor Parkway Commission

MINUTES

Quarterly Commission Meeting

LA State Capitol Senate Family Dining Room, Baton Rouge, LA
April 13, 2022

Present

A.J. Roy III, Avoyelles
Martin Macdiarmid, East Feliciana
Pat Witty, Pointe Coupee
Buck Vandersteen, Rapides
Stewart Hamilton, West Feliciana
Patty Alford, Washington
J.R. Rouchon, East Feliciana
Louis Hebert, Pointe Coupee
Wilbert Carmouche, Avoyelles
Gen. Ron McGlothlin, Washington
Ginger Champagne, Washington
Julie Fuselier, Management Team
Maggie Miller, Management Team

Absent

Carlos Mayeux, Avoyelles
Joe Thomas, Tangipahoa
Curtis Jelks, East Feliciana
Les Cantrell, Pointe Coupee
Jack Daughtry, Rapides
Stewart Hamilton, West Feliciana
Melvin Harvey, West Feliciana
Randy DeCuir, Avoyelles
A.P. Guillory, Rapides
Ronnie Jett, East Feliciana
Russell Wilson, Rapides
Ryan Seal, Washington
Gen. Ron McGlothlin, Washington
Ron Roe, Rapides

A.J. Roy, III of Avoyelles Parish called the Quarterly Meeting of the Zachary Taylor Parkway Commission to order at 10:02 AM on April 13, 2022, in Baton Rouge, LA.

Mr. Vandersteen called roll.

Mr. Vandersteen proposed consideration of the January 12, 2022, minutes to the board. Pat Witty made a motion to approve the January 12, 2022, minutes. Martin Macdiarmid seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Pat Witty reviewed the treasurer's report. He reported the Commission's balance of \$654.55 and a net income of \$25.00. Mr. Vandersteen made a motion to approve the March finances. Mr. Macdiarmid seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Roy provided a chairman's report. He reported that the commission members have been working tirelessly to connect with legislators to support funding for the commission. Mr. Roy noted that the recent effort has been a great effort and discussed the meetings with the representatives and speakers who are supportive of the effort to receive funds. He reminded the board of the statutory duty that they have as a state entity, that if successful, the money will be used to promote the Zachary Taylor Parkway.



Mr. Vandersteen provided a review of the appropriation request. He noted that the Appropriations Committee is the key committee. He reminded the board to reach back out the legislators to support the effort for funding.

Julie Fuselier reported that she is still working with Sharon Calcote on the deficiencies in the Military Byway in order to move forward.

Mr. Roy announced the next meeting will be July 13, 2022, in Washington Parish at 10:00 AM.

Mr. Macdiarmid made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Witty seconded the motion. Mr. Roy adjourned the meeting at 10:44 AM.