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#### Proceedings Police Jury

Of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, taken at the meeting of said Police Jury held at Natchitoches, La., on Monday, the Fifteenth day of the month of September 1919.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches met this 15th day of September 1919, at the Court House at Natchitoches, Louisiana, pursuant to adjournment of August 25th 1919, with the following members present: Tauzin, Joyner, Hart, Raphael, Furlow, Page, Ford, Salter and Charleville.

Absent: Sanders.

#### AN ORDINANCE

By Mr. Salter, seconded by Mr. Page: Whereas, Road District No. 13 of the Parish of Natchitoches is in need of additional funds to meet debts already incurred, and whereas, funds are also needed to carry on the work. Therefore, be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, that a committee composed of Mr. Salter, President of the Police Jury, M. B. Tauzin and F. A. Charleville be appointed a committee to borrow from the four fiscal agent banks the sum of Two Thousand (2000.00) Dollars, an equal amount to be borrowed from each bank to be used solely for the roads in Road District No. 13, Ward 3. The same to be payable on the 1st day of February 1920 as evidenced by the notes of the said President and said Committee for the sum so borrowed with 8 per cent interest from date thereof. Be and the same is hereby approved and ratified and made the action of this body.

That in order to secure the full and final payment of said notes with interest and 10 per cent Attorney fees in event of suit to collect same, the special tax voted in aid of the roads of Road District No. 13 Ward 3 upon all the assessable property in said District for the year 1919 is hereby specially dedicated and set aside.

It is also understood that all funds derived from the Per Capita Tax of Road District No. 13 Ward 3, is hereby pledged and set aside for the purpose of securing said loan. The same to remain set aside and dedicated

and appropriated until the full and final payment of said debt, cost and Attorney fees aforesaid. The good faith of the Police Jury is hereby pledged to the holders of said notes until the full and final payment.

Yeas: Messrs. Tauzin, Joyner, Hart, Raphael, Furlow, Page, Ford, Salter and Charleville. Nays None.

(Carried unanimously)

By Mr. Furlow, seconded by Mr. Raphael:

That Mr. Salter, Mr. Tauzin and Mr. Page be appointed Committee on right-of-way for that part of Road District No. 19, from Natchitoches to Red Bogue and from Natchitoches to Grand Ecote. Carried unanimously.

By Mr. Furlow, seconded by Mr. Tauzin:

Be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, La., That that portion of Section No. IV of resolution of date August 25th 1919, fixing the closed season for Cane River Lake be amended to read, That close season for Cane River Lake extend from April 1st, to July 15th, of each year, in accordance with the recommendations of the Department of Conservation.

Yeas: Messrs. Tauzin, Joyner, Hart, Raphael, Furlow, Page, Ford, Salter and Charleville. Nays None.

(Carried unanimously)

Moved and seconded the Hon. Police Jury adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

"EVENING SESSION"

The Hon. Police Jury met pursuant to adjournment with President Salter presiding and all members present except Mr. Sanders.

Ordinance ordering a Special Election to be held in Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana.

The following ordinance was offered by Mr. Charleville, seconded by Mr. Furlow:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, acting as the governing authority of Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches, that a special election be and the same is hereby called and ordered to be held in said Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches on Tuesday, the twenty-first day of the month

of October 1919, between the hours of seven (7) o'clock a. m. and five (5) o'clock p. m., and that at said special election there shall be submitted to the taxpayers resident citizens of said Road District qualified under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana to vote at said special election a proposition to authorize the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches to incur debt on behalf of and in the name of Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches in the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) and to issue and sell serial negotiable semi-annual interest bearing coupon bonds evidencing the said indebtedness (the amount of said indebtedness being less than ten per centum (10%) of the assessed valuation of the property in said Road District); said bonds to bear interest at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum, payable semi-annually, the principal and interest of said bonds to be payable in such amounts and at such times and places as the governing authority may determine, said bonds to run twenty (20) years from the date thereof, and both the principal and interest of said bonds to be secured by a sufficient tax to be levied and collected each year in accordance with Article 231 of the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Louisiana, the proceeds from the sale of said bonds at not less than par to be used in constructing, improving and maintaining the public roads and highways within Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana.

Be it further ordained, That there shall be published in the official journal of the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches for thirty (30) days a notice of the said special election, said notice to embrace substantially all things above set forth and also notice that the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, as the governing authority of Road District No. Twenty-seven (27) of the Parish of Natchitoches, will meet in open session at the Court House at Natchitoches, Louisiana, at ten (10) o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of the month

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