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April 15, 2020

AGENDA:

SINCE THERE IS CURRENTLY A STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO COVID-19, THIS MEETING IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC, BUT PUBLIC COMMENT WILL BE TAKEN ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY BY EMAIL TO CLERK@CITYOFKAPLAN.COM, PRIOR TO 5:00 P.M. ON THE DAY OF THE MEETING AND THEY WILL BE READ ALOUD WHEN THAT AGENDA ITEM IS CALLED ON. LIKE OTHER REGULAR MEETINGS, THIS ONE WILL BE BROADCAST VIA FACEBOOK LIVE ON MAYOR OF KAPLAN, LOUISIANA. A NOTICED HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE DOOR OF CITY HALL.

Call meeting to order.

Mayor's Welcome.

Opening Prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call.

Recognition of all essential workers during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Approve the minutes from the February 18, 2020 Regular City Council meeting with the revision to item #9 changing Monceaux Ave. to Manceaux Ave.

Approve the minutes from the March 19, 2020 Emergency meeting.

1. Treasurer's Report – Approve Financials for February 2020
2. Treasurer's Report – Approve Financials for March 2020
3. City Engineer: Status of Current Projects
4. Police Chief: Update on the Police Department. The update will be read aloud by Mayor Kloesel.
5. Update on 2020 Census by Mr. Don Fontaine, Chairperson/Liaison US Census Bureau. The emailed update will be read aloud by Mayor Kloesel.
6. Adopt a resolution extending the original declaration for a State of Emergency due to COVID- 19, for the City of Kaplan, which was originally adopted on March 19, 2020.
7. Adopt the Resolution pertaining to the Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report for the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant for the period beginning January 2019 and ending December 2019.
8. Conduct a Public Hearing to adopt ordinance 03-20-A – which would implement a school zone from 7th Street and Cushing Ave. to 9th Street and Cushing Ave. and from 8th Street and Cushing Ave. to LeJeune Street, with a reduced speed limit to 15 mph from 6:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.
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10. Conduct a Public Hearing to adopt ordinance 03-20-C – which would name the newly constructed pavilion The Charles P. Morrison Pavilion.
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12. Ratify the appointment of Randy Campbell to Kaplan Civil Service Board, effective March 17, 2020.

13. Ratify the termination of Whitney Simon with the Gas & Water Department, effective February 26, 2020.
14. Ratify the resignation of Blake Lee-Bessard with the Electrical Department, effective April 3, 2020.
15. Ratify the resignation of Chasity Harrington with the Streets and Bridges Department, effective April 6, 2020.
16. Ratify the hiring of Joe A. Clay as a Lineman I with the Electrical Department, Step 6, at a rate of \$12.56 per hour, effective April 9, 2020.
17. Ratify the hiring of Bobbie Campbell as a Maintenance Helper/Laborer with the Water Plant, Step 5, at the rate of \$8.94 per hour, effective March 12, 2020.
18. Approve the issuing of the following Alcohol License renewals:

#	BUSINESS NAME:	ADDRESS:
1.	DOLLAR GENERAL #3176	1403 W. VETERANS MEMORIAL
2.	MICKEY'S DRIVE INN	706 E. VETERANS MEMORIAL
3.	SPEAK EASY LOUNGE	701 N GUIDRY AVE
4.	B'S WILD WINGS	303 N CUSHING AVE
5.	BENGSTON ENTERPRISES LLC	301 E VETERANS MEMORIAL

Mayor Announcements

Council Announcements/Request/Comments

Adjourn.