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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](mailto: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 NOTICE HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE DOOR OF CITY HALL.**

Call meeting to order.

Mayor's Welcome.

Opening Prayer.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call.

Special Guest – Anne Falgout – Vermilion Economic Development Alliance

Special Guest – Tommy Frederick – Candidate for District Judge

Approve the minutes from the September 15, 2020 Regular City Council meeting.

1. Treasurer's Report – Approve Financials for September 2020
2. City Engineer: Status of Current Projects
3. Police Chief: Update on the Police Department. The update will be read aloud by Mayor Kloesel
4. Open sealed bids submitted in reference to the two (2) tracts of land being a 31.98 acres tract and a 4.11 acres tract that were advertised for lease for mineral exploration.
5. Condemnation Hearing: 709 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Kaplan, Louisiana 70548.
6. Ratify the City of Kaplan Declaration of a State of Emergency for Hurricane Laura, dated August 24, 2020.
7. Ratify the City of Kaplan Declaration of a State of Emergency for Hurricane Delta, dated October 7, 2020.
8. Discussion of an amendment of the City of Kaplan Policy and Procedures to include Emergency Declaration Pay.
9. Update on 2020 Census by Mr. Don Fontaine, Chairperson/Liaison US Census Bureau. The emailed update will be read aloud by Mayor Kloesel.
10. Ratify the reduction in hours of Mazie D. Kibodeaux from full time Deputy Marshal to Part-Time Deputy Marshal, effective October 1, 2020 with the hours being paid directly by the Kaplan City Marshal Office.
11. Ratify the hiring of Katelyn Desormeaux as a full-time deputy marshal, effective October 1, 2020, with the City responsible for 20 hours per week and 20 hours per week being paid by the Kaplan City Marshal Office.
12. Ratify the hiring of Willis Gaspard as a Laborer, Step 7, with Streets and Bridges, effective October 1, 2020.
13. Ratify the termination of Dan Miller with the Kaplan Police Department, effective September 30, 2020.
14. Ratify the hiring of Logan Lindsey as a dispatcher with the Kaplan Police Department, Step 1, and effective October 1, 2020.

Mayor Announcements

Council Announcements/Request/Comments

Adjourn.