

**VILLAGE OF GROSSE TETE MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
February 9, 2017**

The Board of Alderman of the Village of Grosse Tete held their regular meeting at the Town Hall in Grosse Tete February 9, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Michael Chauffe called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Maintenance Supervisor Phillip Faveroth led the Prayer. The pledge was led by Janet Marionneaux then the Meeting began.

Roll Call:

Present: Mayor Michael Chauffe, Alderman Clint Seneca, Alderman Marcus Hill, Maintenance Supervisor Phillip Faveroth, Clerk Pam George, Alderwoman Jeanie David, Fire Chief Michael Hughes and Chief of Police Tommy Dardenne

Absent: None

Tim Vallet, Parish Councilman – No Show

Greg Myers – Louisiana Auto Fence – Greg Myers addressed the Board of Alderman in regards to the fence around the back lot of Louisiana Auto Repair not being completed as agreed upon. Robert Slaughter, an employee of Louisiana Auto Repair stated that the metal for the fence has been purchased but they have not been able to move the material because of the excavator not working. Mr. Slaughter will submit a plan to the Town Hall within the next few days.

A motion was made by Alderwoman Jeanie David and seconded by Alderman Marcus Hill to send a certified letter to the attorney that is currently handling the La. Auto Fence case terminating his services and to allow Mayor Michael Chauffe to hire an outside attorney to handle this matter. The motion was passed 3 – 0.0

Minutes: Alderman Marcus Hill made a motion to dispense with the reading and approve the minutes from the January 12, 2017 regular meeting. The motion was seconded by Alderman Clint Seneca and passed 3 - 0.

Finances: Alderwoman Jeanie David made a motion to approve the financial statements of January 31, 2017 as presented. This motion was seconded by Alderman Clint Seneca and passed 3 - 0.

Mayor's Report:

- * **The sewer project on Big Dee Drive has been started.**
- * **Forte and Tablada, Engineers stated that the Sidewalk Project to go out for bid in April or May.**

- * **Mayor Chauffe attended Mid Winter Conference in Baton Rouge on February 6th and 7th**
- * **The Village of Grosse Tete has been granted \$10,000.00 from Union Pacific Railroad to install shade coverings at the Park.**
- * **The Village of Grosse Tete has been awarded \$25,000.00 to move residential water connections from an older water line to a newer water line.**
- * **The Railroad Crossing at Cedar Street Extension has been completed.**

Police Department – The new police truck will be put into service next week.

Fire Department – The fire department has submitted the Safer Grant application. The Fire Department responded to 2 separate house fires within the last month. They have responded to 18 additional calls during the month.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

Attest:

Approved:

Pamela George, mmc
Village Clerk

Michael Chauffe
Mayor

