

State of Louisiana
Parish of Vernon



**VERNON PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2026
10:00 AM**

**PARISH GOV'T COMPLEX BUILDING
300 S. 3RD STREET, 2ND FLOOR
LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA**

AGENDA

If any person not attending the meeting desires to submit comments on any item(s) listed on the meeting agenda, they may submit their comment(s) no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, March 13, 2026. Comments may be submitted as follows:

- *Via email to vppj@vppjla.com*
- *Via fax at 337-238-0240*
- *Drop off written comments at the Parish Government Complex Building*

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. **RECOGNIZE: Pitkin Lady Tigers Basketball, 2026 Class B State Champions**
6. Visitors 1. Billy McShan, Parish Building Inspector
7. Public Comment
8. Committee Reports:
 1. Capital Properties
 2. Carbon Sequestration
 3. Econ. Development & Planning
 4. Equipment
 5. Finance
 6. Fire Protection and Solid Waste
 7. Lakes Committee
 8. Permit & Claims
 9. Personnel
 10. Road Maintenance & Construction
 11. Veterans Affairs
 12. Ways & Means

9. Motion to adopt a resolution to approve and accept the Multi-Jurisdictional Agreement between the Calcasieu Parish Police Jury, the Jefferson Davis Parish Police Jury, the Cameron Parish Police Jury, the Vernon Parish Police Jury, the Beauregard Parish Police Jury, and the Allen Parish Police Jury and authorizing the President to execute the agreement on behalf of the Vernon Parish Police Jury. (LWIA)
10. Motion to adopt a resolution approving and accepting the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement (CEA) between the Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs and the Vernon Parish Police Jury for the Veterans' Service Office for 2026 and authorize the President to execute the CEA on behalf of the Police Jury.
(monthly payment to La Dept of Veterans Affairs \$4,273.28)
11. Motion to adopt a resolution to enter into agreement with Mr. Billy McShan for Building Inspection Services in Vernon Parish. Contract with Mr. McShan will be reviewed annually. The parish will receive a fee of 10% for residential structures and 20% for commercial structures – these fees will not increase the cost to residents.
12. Motion to adopt a resolution approving and accepting the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement between the Louisiana Department of Treasury and the State of Louisiana and the Vernon Parish Police Jury on behalf of the Vernon Parish Tourism & Recreation Commission for Act 1 of 2025 and authorize John R. Crook, Executive Director, to execute this CEA and any other contracts or document related to this project on behalf of the jury.
13. Motion to adopt memorial resolutions for the following community members:

Mrs. Ruth Amelia Lafoe	Mrs. Pauline O'Banion
Mrs. Shirley Boswell Straight	Mr. Mike Brister
Mr. Jerry Bolton	Mrs. Pauline O'Banion
Mrs. Jesse Moore	Mr. Matthew Summers
Mr. Roger Dale Johnson	Mrs. Vergie "Queen B" Carpenter
Mr. David Lyn Anding	Mr. John Malcolm Cardy, Sr.
Mr. Joseph "Mike" Johnson	
14. Motion to authorize payment of all invoices as authorized by the Finance Committee and authorize payment of all expenditures above the budgeted amount from Ward Maintenance and/or Construction accounts.
15. Motion to adjourn.

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