

State of Louisiana
Parish of Vernon



**VERNON PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, APRIL 20, 2026
10:00 AM**

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

Notice Posted: April 17, 2026 at 9:50 a.m.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held as follows

DATE: April 20, 2026

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

**PLACE OF MEETING: Parish Government Complex Building
300 S. 3rd Street, 2nd Floor
Police Jury Meeting Room
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 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 17, 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:**

ROSEPINE LADY EAGLES

2026 Division III Select State Basketball Champions

SIMPSON LADY BRONCOS

2026 Class C State Basketball Champions

6. Adopt a resolution adopting millage rates for the year 2026. **(ROLL CALL)**

7. Visitors
1. Mrs. Chris Broussard, AFLAC
 2. Mrs. Dixie Carson, regarding Waste Connections transfer facility

8. Public Comment

9. Adopt a proclamation proclaiming April 2026 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Vernon Parish.

10. Motion to accept the minutes of February 9, 20206 Regular meeting, the February 19, 2026 Road Construction Committee meeting, the February 24, 2026 Solid Waste and Permit & Claims Committee meetings, the February 27, 2026 Special Call meeting, the March 9, 2026 Committee meeting, the March 16, 2026 regular meeting, and the March 25, 2026 Personnel Committee meeting, and dispense with the reading of the minutes.

11. Committee Reports:

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| 1. Capital Properties | 8. Permit & Claims |
| 2. Carbon Sequestration | 9. Personnel |
| 3. Econ. Development & Planning | 10. Road Maintenance & Construction |
| 4. Equipment | 11. Veterans Affairs |
| 5. Finance | 12. Ways & Means |
| 6. Fire Protection and Solid Waste | |
| 7. Lakes | |

12. Motion to adopt a resolution in support of Louisiana House Bill 997, allowing parishes to select its official website as its official journal.

13. Motion to adopt a resolution fully accepting Liberty Drive (#7206), D3 W2, in the Glory Estates Subdivision, beginning at Calhoun Dairy Road north to Pinewood Road, 3,950 feet into the parish road system. This road has met all the requirements of Chapter 17, Section 23 of the Vernon Parish Code of Ordinances.

14. Motion to adopt memorial resolutions for the following community members:

Mrs. Addie Lee Thomas Miller
Mr. Larry Joe Fulks
Deputy Sheriff, VPSO retired

Mr. Ronnie "Heavy" Suenkel
Mr. Robert "Bobby" McClain
State Trooper, Retired
Mr. Gregory "Greg" Allen Lantier
Councilman, Town of Hornbeck
Volunteer Fire Fighter
Mrs. Laura Kendrick McDade
Mrs. Wilma Ann Robinson Herford
Mr. Edward "Buddy" LeBato

15. 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.

16. Motion to adjourn.

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