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REGULAR MEETING
LAFAYETTE PARISH COUNCIL
705 W. University Avenue, Ted A. Ardoin
City-Parish Council Auditorium
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2026
4:30 p.m.



LAFAYETTE PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA

Donald E. Richard
Chair
District 2

CALL TO ORDER

1. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Kenneth "Ken" Stansbury
Vice-Chair
District 3

2. **COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Bryan Tabor
District 1

3. **EXECUTIVE/MAYOR-PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

JOINT RESOLUTION

John J. Guilbeau
District 4

4. [JR-017-2026](#) A joint resolution of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council naming and designating the firm of Kolder, Slaven & Company, LLC, as independent auditors for the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government in accordance with Section 2-09 of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government Home Rule Charter. (Kenneth Boudreaux and Donald Richard)

Abraham "AB" Rubin Jr.
District 5

Joseph Gordon-Wiltz
Clerk of the Council

ORDINANCES FOR FINAL ADOPTION

5. [PO-038-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating and capital budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by transferring \$60,000 from the Parish Council District 3 Capital Appropriation to the City of Broussard for the St. Deporres Street bridge replacement project. (Ken Stansbury)
6. [PO-040-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council authorizing the Lafayette Mayor-President to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Town of Vidalia to collaborate in emergency sheltering during declarations of emergency. (Mayor-President)
7. [PO-041-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council authorizing and directing the Lafayette Mayor-President to execute and submit the "Temporary Housing and Shelter Assistance Program Waiver of Land Use/Permitting Form" in accordance with La. R.S. 29:726(F)(3)(b)(iii)(aa). (CD&P)
8. [PO-042-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council declaring the acquisition of a warehouse for the Lafayette Public Library a public necessity and authorizing the Lafayette Mayor-President to acquire certain immovable property for the location of said warehouse. (Library)

JOINT ORDINANCES FOR FINAL ADOPTION

9. [JO-031-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council authorizing the Lafayette Mayor-President to enter into a First Amendment to March 12, 2021 Contract for Emergency and Non-Emergency Ambulance Services for the Parish of Lafayette and the City of Lafayette. (Legal)
10. [JO-032-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council establishing a procedure to sell surplus movable property valued at less than \$5,000 no longer needed for a public purpose through a public internet auction. (Legal)
11. [JO-033-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council suspending Ordinance No. JO-001-2021 which created a conditional two (2%) percent pay increase structure for employees of the Office of the City Marshal, for the proposed FY 2026-2027 budget with consideration given to the City Marshal pay plan to be included in the Amended FY 2026-2027 Proposed Operating and Five-Year Capital Budget document. (Finance)
12. [JO-035-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget and adjusting the manning tables of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the use of existing funds in the amount of \$2,676 and appropriating within the Department of Innovation and Technology to add one (1) IS&T manager promotion per Civil Service recommendation. (IT)
13. [JO-036-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by adjusting the manning tables and increasing the hourly rate of one (1) Clerk II position within the Department of Innovation & Technology. (IT)
14. [JO-037-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council, acting in their capacity as the governing authority of the City of Lafayette and the Parish of Lafayette, respectively, providing for the abandonment of a certain portion of a 50' public right-of-way (Wall Street) located between Lot 13-A and Lot 14-A of the Van-Way, JP Development Ext 1 Subdivision, and authorizing the Lafayette Mayor-President to execute an Act of Abandonment in order to effectuate the abandonment on behalf of the City of Lafayette, and Parish of Lafayette, and the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government. (CD&P)
15. [JO-038-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the transfer of \$100,000 in HOME funds within the Community Development and Planning Department to Catholic Charities of Acadiana. (CD&P)
16. [JO-039-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the transfer of \$164,595 in Home American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) funds within the Community Development and Planning Department to Faith House, Inc. (CD&P)
17. [JO-040-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the transfer of \$125,000 in HOME funds within the Community Development and Planning Department to Catholic Charities of Acadiana. (CD&P)
18. [JO-041-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the transfer of \$220,000 in HOME funds within the Community Development and Planning Department to Lafayette Habitat for Humanity. (CD&P)

PUBLIC HEARING

19. Convene the Public Hearing and Board of Review for all persons desiring to be heard on the assessed value of both real and personal property.

	Name	Description of Property	Assessment Number	Original Assessment	Reassessment Requested
A.	Arbours at Lafayette LLC	121 Alcide Dominique Dr. Personal Property	6170274	\$5,517,250	\$4,432,000
B.	ATC Apartments (Silo Apartments)	200 Frem Boustany Drive Personal Property	6164253	\$35,372,179	\$14,149,000

INTRODUCTORY ORDINANCES

20. [PO-043-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating and capital budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by transferring \$3,210.23 from the Parish Council District 5 Capital Appropriation to Carencro Volunteer Fire Department within Section 4190 Parishwide Fire Protection for the purchase of structural firefighting protective coat and pants with thermal liners and related accessories. (AB Rubin)
21. [PO-044-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating and capital budgets of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by authorizing the use of PY Fund Balance of the Juvenile Detention Facility (Fund 2650) in the amount of \$187,749 and combining with existing funds and appropriating within the Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, Juvenile Detention Division, to fund safety improvements at the Juvenile Detention Home. (CAO)
22. [PO-045-2026](#) An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by adjusting the manning tables and increasing the hourly pay rate of one (1) Cement Mason position within the Traffic, Roads, and Bridges Department-Streets Division. (TR&B)

JOINT INTRODUCTORY ORDINANCES

23. [JO-042-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 manning tables of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by increasing the hourly rate of the Risk and Insurance Manager position within the Office of Finance & Management, Risk Management Division. (Finance)
24. [JO-043-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating and capital budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by adjusting the manning tables and reallocating funds towards the Temporary Employees Account and transferring \$194,000 from Public Art Capital Projects within the Planning Division of Community Development and Planning into the International Trade Division within the office of the Chief Administrative Officer. (CAO)
25. [JO-044-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating and capital budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by transferring funds from various accounts to the Preliminary Engineering account and appropriating within the Capital Improvements Department to create project account. (CID)
26. [JO-045-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY 25/26 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by adjusting the manning tables and increasing the hourly pay rate of one (1) Public Information Specialist position within the Capital Improvements Department. (CID)

27. [JO-046-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council authorizing a Memorandum of Understanding between University of Louisiana at Lafayette and Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government to comply with the requirement for written agreement between agencies sharing responsibility for the obligations outlined in the general permit for discharges from small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems. (CID)
28. [JO-047-2026](#) A joint ordinance of the Lafayette City Council and the Lafayette Parish Council, acting in their capacity as the governing authority of the City of Lafayette and the Parish of Lafayette, respectively, providing for the abandonment of a portion of a ten (10') foot utility easement and associated niches, located on Lot 17-B of the McComb addition BLA Block 14, Lots 17-A & 17-B Subdivision, at 212 North Chestnut Street, and authorizing the Lafayette Mayor-President to execute an Act of Abandonment in order to effectuate the abandonment on behalf of the City of Lafayette, and Parish of Lafayette, and the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government. (CD&P)

ADJOURN

IN ACCORDANCE WITH LA. R.S. 42:14(E) AS ENACTED BY ACT NO. 393 OF 2023 AND THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT JOSEPH GORDON-WILTZ, COUNCIL CLERK, AT (337) 291-8810 DESCRIBING THE ASSISTANCE THAT IS NECESSARY, IF SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND/OR ACCOMMODATIONS ARE NEEDED.