

MINUTES

CITY OF NEW ROADS CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

July 15, 2025

The New Roads City Council met in regular session at 5:30 o'clock P.M. Tuesday, July 15, 2025 at the City Hall in New Roads, Louisiana. Mayor Theron Smith called the meeting to order. A roll call resulted as follows:

PRESENT: James Hunter, Kurt Kellerman and Kirk White

ABSENT: Joy Nelson and Cleotha Johnigan, Jr.

Notice of this meeting was duly exercised and mailed per bylaws:

Public comments on agenda items

There were no public comments.

Consent Calendar – Approval of Minutes of Regular Council Meeting of July 1, 2025

The minutes of the Regular Council meeting of July 1, 2025 were submitted for approval.

Motion by Mr. White and seconded by Mr. Hunter.

RESOLVED, That the minutes be adopted.

A roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Hunter, White and Kellerman

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Nelson and Johnigan

On a vote of 3-0-0-2, the motion carried.

Adopt the millage rate(s)

Motion by Mr. Kellerman and seconded by Mr. White.

RESOLVED, That the millage rate be adopted.

A roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Hunter, White and Kellerman

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Nelson and Johnigan

On a vote of 3-0-0-2, the motion carried.

Report from engineer and contractor on status of each lift station. Materials in/items we are waiting on with anticipated delivery dates and contractor dates on each station to complete work

Steven Linderman of Owen & White gave a status report on the water and sewer projects. The projects include upgrades and improvements at the city's sewer lift stations.

Agenda Amendment(s)

Motion by Mr. White and seconded by Mr. Kellerman that the agenda be amended as follows:

Item 2A Airpark Commission Appointment

RESOLVED, That the agenda be amended.

A roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Hunter, White and Kellerman

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Nelson and Johnigan

On a vote of 3-0-0-2, the motion carried.

Airpark Commission Appointment

Mr. White recommended that Mr. Anthony Daisy be appointed to the Airpark Commission.

Motion by Mr. White and seconded by Mr. Hunter.

RESOLVED, That the appointment be approved.

A roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Hunter, White and Kellerman

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Nelson and Johnigan

On a vote of 3-0-0-2, the motion carried.

Committee Reports

There were no committee reports.

Council Reports

Mr. Kellerman reported the receipt of phone calls regarding only one person patrolling the city at night, public works department service orders not being completed, and accounts payable processing.

Mr. White questioned the website and was informed that the new site will be open next month.

Mr. Hunter stated that he would like to have future discussions regarding modifying mobile home regulations.

Mayor's Report

Mayor Smith reported that the Fourth of July event was great and the fireworks display was enjoyed by everyone.

With no further business to come before the council, the meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

**Theron Smith
Mayor**

**Lynette H. Nelson
Secretary-Treasurer**