

**St. Bernard Tourist Commission Meeting  
Thursday, March 21, 2024  
Aycock Barn (409 Aycock St, Arabi).**

Call to Order at 4:33 p.m.

Present from the Tourist Commission: Gary Huettmann, Dorothy Hills, Lena Nunez, Claire Henderson, Phyllis Diecidue, Jenifer H. Andes and Jessica Reab.

Present from the Office of Tourism :Katie Tommaseo and Samantha Meyer.

There were no guests or public comments.

6. A motion was made by Claire Henderson, seconded by Lena Nunez to accept the last month's minutes. Gary Huettmann, Dorothy Hills, Jenifer H Andes, Phyllis Diecidue and Jessica Reab voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.
7. A motion was made by Phyllis Diecidue, seconded by Dorothy Hills to accept the Financial Report. Jenifer H, Andes, Jessica Reab, Gary Huettmann, Claire Henderson and Lena Nunez voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.
8. Katie Tommaseo presented the Director's Report regarding upcoming events - LA Crawfish Festival, Ag Magic and the Tree Giveaway. We also got an update on the Grant for the parish signage and advertising and marketing.
9. The motion to sponsor an ad for the Marina Motel died.
10. The motion to sponsor Love the Boot Week 2024 also died.
11. A motion was made by Phyllis Diecidue, seconded by Jenifer H, Andes to sponsor the Italian American Fishing Rodeo May 17 and 18 at Hopedale for \$500.00. Lena Nunez, Claire Henderson, Dorothy Hills , Gary Huettmann and Jessica Reab voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.
12. A motion was made by Phyllis Diecidue, seconded by Lena Nunez to sponsor the Louisiana Crawfish Festival Ball for \$200.00( 4 tickets) . Jessica Reab, Jenifer H. Andes, Claire Henderson, Gary Huettmann and Dorothy Hills voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.


13. A motion was made by Gary Huettmann, seconded by Phyllis Diecidue to sponsor Give -A-Hoot Trivia Night for \$250.00. Dorothy Hills, Jessica Reab, Jenifer H. Andes, Claire Henderson and Lena Nunez voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.

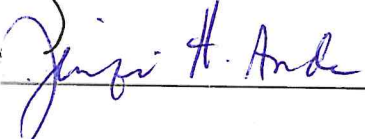
14. The motion to pay LTLA tuition was tabled.

15.. A motion was made by Phyllis Diecidue, seconded by Claire Henderson to sponsor History of St. Bernard Lecture Series for \$500.00. Lena Nunez, Jessica Reab, Dorothy Hills, Gary Huettmann and Jenifer H. Andes voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.

16. Next Meeting will be April 16 @ 4:30 p.m. at the Aycock Barn.

17. A motion was made by Lena Nunez, seconded by Gary Huettmann to adjourn the meeting at 5:12 p.m. All voted yea; no nays. Motion passed.

Chair  Date 4/16/24

Secretary  Date 4/16/24