

September 30, 2021

The City Council of the City of Sulphur, Louisiana, met in special session at its regular meeting place in the Council Chambers, Sulphur, Louisiana, on September 30, 2021, at 5:30 p.m., after full compliance with the convening of said meeting with the following members present:

DRU ELLENDER, Council Representative of District 1
MELINDA HARDY, Council Representative of District 3
MANDY THOMAS, Council Representative of District 5

ABSENT – MIKE KOONCE, Council Representative of District 2
JOY ABSHIRE, Council Representative of District 4

After the meeting was called to order and the roll called with the above result, prayer was led by Mrs. Hardy, followed by the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance led by Mrs. Ellender.

The only item on the agenda is an introduction of ordinance and public hearing on redistricting plan for the City of Sulphur. Cade Cole, City Attorney, addressed the Council and stated that redistricting is done every 10 years with the census. There were changes in all 5 Council districts. The notices were posted on the city's website, newspaper, Facebook and in the lobby of City Hall. The third and final public hearing will be held November 8, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. With no one from the public with any comments, motion was made by Mrs. Ellender seconded by Mrs. Hardy that the ordinance be introduced:

ORDINANCE AND PUBLIC HEARING ON REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE CITY OF SULPHUR.

Motion was then made by Mrs. Ellender seconded by Mrs. Hardy that the said ordinance be filed and remain on file with the Clerk of the Council, in final form, for public inspection and that the Mayor is hereby authorized and instructed to publish the Public Notice of Introduction of the above proposed ordinance in "The Southwest Daily News", the official journal of the City of Sulphur, Louisiana, and that the said Notice of Introduction of the above ordinance is substantially in the following form:

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Section 2-12B of the Home Rule Charter of the City of Sulphur, the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE AND PUBLIC HEARING ON REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE CITY OF SULPHUR.

A public hearing and adoption on said ordinance will be held at 5:30 p.m. on the 8th day of November, 2021, in the City of Sulphur Council Chambers in Sulphur, Louisiana.

CITY OF SULPHUR, LOUISIANA

BY: _____

MANDY THOMAS, Vice-Chairman

A vote was then called with the results as follows:

YEAS: Mrs. Ellender, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Thomas

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Mr. Koonce, Mrs. Abshire

And the said ordinance was declared introduced on this 30th day of September, 2021.

ATTEST:

ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk

MANDY THOMAS, Vice-Chairman

There being no further business to come before the Council, the Vice-Chairman declared the meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk

MANDY THOMAS, Vice-Chairman

9/30/21
5:35 P.M.