

ROLL CALL AND RECORD VOTE

**Committee:** Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

**Location:** Room 6

**Date/Time:** 03/28/24 9:00 a.m.

**Staff:** Tina Righteous, Attorney  
Blake Byrom, Legislative Analyst  
Natayveon Howard-Williams, Committee  
Administrative Assistant  
Janet Anthony, Sergeant at Arms  
Angela Mcknight, Sergeant at Arms

**Roll Call:**16

**Number of Members:**19

**Quorum:**10

**Convened:** 09:04 AM  
**Adjourned:** 01:08 PM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Present	
Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Present	
Billings, Beth Anne	Present	
Carver, Kim	Present	
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Present	
Domangue, Jessica	Present	
Farnum, Les	Present	
Fontenot, Bryan	Present	
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Present	
Jackson, Steven		Absent
Knox, Alonzo L.	Present	
Lyons, Rodney		Absent
Marcelle, C. Denise		Absent
Moore, Pat	Present	
Newell, Candace N.	Present	
Owen, Charles	Present	
Stagni, Joseph A.	Present	
Willard, Matthew	Present	
Young, Rashid Armand	Present	

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of 2023 Regular Session committee meetings held on April 27, May 3, May 11, May 18, and May 25, 2024

**Motion made by:** Freiberg, Barbara Reich

**Motion:** Adopt

<b>Vote:</b> 10-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
	Carver, Kim	Yea
	Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
	Domangue, Jessica	Yea
	Farnum, Les	Yea
	Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
	Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
	Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
	Moore, Pat	Yea
	Owen, Charles	Yea

**Motion made by:** Fontenot, Bryan

**Motion:** Enact 3-minute rule

<b>Vote:</b> 10-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
	Carver, Kim	Yea
	Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
	Domangue, Jessica	Yea
	Farnum, Les	Yea
	Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
	Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
	Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
	Moore, Pat	Yea
	Owen, Charles	Yea

Consideration and adoption of committee rules: Natayveon Howard-Williams, committee administrative assistant

Motion made by: Farnum, Les

Motion:	Adopt		
Vote:	12-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 9:10:01 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea

HB4 by ZERINGUE

Provides for an increase in wireless service charges for 911 services provided by the Terrebonne Parish Communications District

Motion made by: Domangue, Jessica

Motion:	Favorably		
Vote:	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 9:21:32 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea

HB4 by ZERINGUE

Final Action: Reported favorably. (14-0)

HB7 by BOURRIAQUE

Provides relative to the board of the South Cameron Consolidated Waterworks District No. 1 in Cameron Parish

Motion made by: Farnum, Les

Motion:	Favorably		
Vote:	15-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 9:54:40 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB7 by BOURRIAQUE

Final Action: Reported favorably. (15-0)

**HB20 by RISER**

Provides relative to administration of funds of the Catahoula Parish Library

**Motion made by:** Stagni, Joseph A.

**Motion:** Favorably

**Vote:** 16-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 9:56:10 AM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Carver, Kim	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Owen, Charles	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Willard, Matthew	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB20 by RISER**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (16-0)

**HB50 by BUTLER**

Provides for the qualifications for the office of police chief in the village of Pine Prairie

**Motion made by:** Farnum, Les

**Motion:** Favorably

**Vote:** 15-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 9:25:17 AM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Carver, Kim	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Owen, Charles	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Willard, Matthew	Yea

**HB50 by BUTLER**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (15-0)

**HB141 by BAMBURG**

Provides for the abolition of the office of police chief in the town of Martin

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** Favorably

**Vote:** 14-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 1:02:35 PM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Carver, Kim	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Owen, Charles	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Willard, Matthew	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB141 by BAMBURG**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (14-0)

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**HB148 by GLORIOSO**

Removes certain restrictions on the disposal of immovable property by the governing authority of Slidell

**Motion made by:** Carver, Kim

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	16-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 10:03:53 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

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**HB148 by GLORIOSO**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (16-0)

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**HB152 by BERAULT**

Provides relative to a Community Development District in St. Tammany Parish

**Motion made by:** Carver, Kim

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	12-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:48:07 PM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

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**HB152 by BERAULT**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (12-0)

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**HB168 by CARLSON**

Provides relative to qualifications for certified librarians

**Amendment:** HCAHB168 4024 1733

**Motion made by:** Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

<b>Vote:</b>	15-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 10:33:53 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**Withdrawn No Vote Taken**

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 12:25:40 PM

**Objection by:** Farnum, Les

**No Vote Taken**

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** Defer Involuntary

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 12:28:47 PM

**Objection by:** Fontenot, Bryan

**Substitute Withdrawn No Vote Taken**

**Motion made by:** Fontenot, Bryan

**Motion:** Without Action, Recommend Recommit to Committee on Education

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 12:30:37 PM

**Substitute**

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** Defer Voluntary

<b>Vote:</b>	16-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:31:27 PM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB168 by CARLSON

Final Action: Defer Voluntary. (16-0)

HB181 by BRASS

Provides for the membership of gravity drainage district boards of commissioners in Ascension Parish

Motion made by: Newell, Candace N.

Motion:	Favorably		
Vote:	16-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 10:06:55 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

HB181 by BRASS

Final Action: Reported favorably. (16-0)

HB182 by TRAVIS JOHNSON

Creates the Ferriday Downtown Entertainment District

Amendment: HCAHB182 4024 2021

Motion made by: Fontenot, Bryan

AMD Motion:	Adopt		
Vote:	15-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 10:20:48 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

Motion made by: Knox, Alonzo L.

Motion:	With Amendments		
Vote:	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Vote Date:	3/28/2024 10:31:28 AM	Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB182 by TRAVIS JOHNSON**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (14-0)

**HB183 by LACOMBE**

Provides relative to the civil service status of employees of New Roads Public Housing Authority

**Motion made by:** Stagni, Joseph A.

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	16-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 9:57:58 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB183 by LACOMBE**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (16-0)

**HB184 by MCFARLAND**

Provides relative to police services in the village of Calvin

**Motion made by:** Fontenot, Bryan

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 1:06:44 PM	Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB184 by MCFARLAND**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (14-0)

**HB185 by NEWELL**

Provides for creation of Castle Manor Security and Improvement District in New Orleans

**Motion made by:** Cox, III, Vincent E.

**Motion:** Favorably

**Vote:** 13-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 1:05:17 PM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Farnum, Les	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Willard, Matthew	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB185 by NEWELL**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)

**HB218 by BAGLEY**

Authorizes Caddo Parish Fire District No. Four to levy a sales and use tax

**Amendment:** HCAHB218 4024 2022

**Motion made by:** Stagni, Joseph A.

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

**Vote:** 11-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 12:40:17 PM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**Motion made by:** Stagni, Joseph A.

**Motion:** With Amendments

**Vote:** 11-0

**Vote Date:** 3/28/2024 12:40:40 PM

Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
Domangue, Jessica	Yea
Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
Moore, Pat	Yea
Newell, Candace N.	Yea
Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB218 by BAGLEY**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (11-0)



**HB225 by BOYD**

Creates the Tall Timbers Crime Prevention and Improvement District in New Orleans

**Amendment:** HCAHB225 474 1661

**Motion made by:** Gadberry, Foy Bryan

**AMD Motion:** Adopt

<b>Vote:</b>	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:51:03 PM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**Motion made by:** Freiberg, Barbara Reich

**Motion:** With Amendments

<b>Vote:</b>	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:51:26 PM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB225 by BOYD**

**Final Action:** Reported with amendments. (14-0)

**HB354 by BRASS**

Provides for the renaming of road lighting districts and the allocation of funding

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

**Motion:** Favorably

<b>Vote:</b>	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 10:14:49 AM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB354 by BRASS**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (14-0)

**HB674 by BRYANT**

Authorizes a local governing authority to adopt ordinances to address blighted property with purported collector's automobiles

**Motion made by:** Newell, Candace N.

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	13-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:59:47 PM	Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB674 by BRYANT**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)

**HB694 by BOYD**

Establishes the Louisiana Music Commission within the Department of Culture Recreation and Tourism

**Motion made by:** Freiberg, Barbara Reich

<b>Motion:</b>	Favorably		
<b>Vote:</b>	13-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 12:54:37 PM	Bayham, Jr., Michael Robert	Yea
		Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Carver, Kim	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea

**HB694 by BOYD**

**Final Action:** Reported favorably. (13-0)

**Motion made by:** Gadberry, Foy Bryan

<b>Motion:</b>	Adjourn		
<b>Vote:</b>	14-0	Gadberry, Foy Bryan	Yea
<b>Vote Date:</b>	3/28/2024 1:08:23 PM	Billings, Beth Anne	Yea
		Cox, III, Vincent E.	Yea
		Domangue, Jessica	Yea
		Farnum, Les	Yea
		Fontenot, Bryan	Yea
		Freiberg, Barbara Reich	Yea
		Knox, Alonzo L.	Yea
		Moore, Pat	Yea
		Newell, Candace N.	Yea
		Owen, Charles	Yea
		Stagni, Joseph A.	Yea
		Willard, Matthew	Yea
		Young, Rashid Armand	Yea