

**AGENDA**  
**ST. JAMES PARISH COUNCIL**  
**Parish Courthouse – Convent, LA**  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2014**

**6:15 P.M. – PUBLIC HEARING**

1. Proposed Ordinance 14-12, an ordinance providing for the purchase of property in St. James Parish for future state and parish projects

**6:30 P.M. - REGULAR MEETING**

**I - CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**

**II - PRAYER & PLEDGE**

**III – MINUTES**

**IV -HEAD START FINANCIAL & ATTENDANCE REPORT - October 2014**

**V - PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

1. 2015 Annual Budget and Budget Message

**VI - PRESENTATIONS & PUBLIC COMMENT**

1. Honoring 100 year old members of community (Roussel)
2. Henry Picard, BKI – Update of East Bank Drainage Study (Amato)
3. Corne van de Reijt with Verwater and Bengt Jarlsjo with Quanta Services, Petroplex Contractors - Update on Petroplex project (Amato)

**VII - CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED**

**VIII - APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS & COMMISSIONS**

1. Resolution appointing Yolanda Jones Williams to the St. James Parish Housing Authority Board (Patin)
2. Resolution appointing Breanna Bailey as the District 5 representative to the St. James Parish Youth Commission (Ketchens)

**IX - OLD BUSINESS**

1. Action on Ordinance 14-11 – Cross Connection control program
2. Resolution authorizing the re-advertisement of the St. James Parish Youth Center at Fifty Percent (50%) of Appraised value (Roussel)
3. Action on Ordinance 14-12 – Purchase property for future state and parish projects
4. Resolution accepting the bid of Kent-Mitchell Bus Sales of Hammond for the two (2) 2014 GMC buses for the Department of Human Resources (Roussel)

**X - NEW BUSINESS**

1. Resolution authorizing the Office of the Parish President to advertise and accept bids for improvements to the Lutcher Neighborhood Center (Roussel)
2. Resolution authorizing the Parish President to enter into a contract with the Department of Transportation and Development for the Federal Off-System Bridge Rehabilitation Program (Roussel)
3. Resolution authorizing the Office of the Parish President to advertise and accept bids for improvements to the Lutcher Sewerage Pond (Roussel)
4. Resolution respectfully urging Congress to exclude man-made ditches from the definition of “Waters of the United States” (Roussel)
5. Resolution approving the St. James Area Agency on Aging budget to actual expenditures for the period July 2014 to September 2014 (Roussel)
6. Resolution authorizing the Parish President to sign all assurances and rights-of-way for the utility services (Roussel)
7. Introduction of a Proposed Ordinance approving the revision of the fiscal year 2014 budget of the St. James Parish Council (Roussel)
8. Introduction of a Proposed Ordinance adopting the annual budget of revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015, Parish of St. James, State of LA (Roussel)

**XI - COUNCILMEN'S REPORT**

**XII - MOTION TO ADJOURN**

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