

**AGENDA  
ST. MARY PARISH COUNCIL  
SECOND REGULAR MEETING  
APRIL 22, 2026 – 6:00 PM  
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING ROOM  
FIFTH FLOOR COURTHOUSE  
FRANKLIN, LA**

**1 – MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY THE CHAIRPERSON**

**2 – INVOCATION: ----- HON. PATRICK J. HEBERT**

**3 – PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: ----- HON. LESLIE RULF, JR.**

**4 – ROLL CALL**

**5 - READING OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:**

A. First Regular Meeting, April 8, 2026

**6 – GUESTS**

A. Janet Aucoin to appear before the council to discuss an update in reference to the St. Mary Parish Ordinance No. 2427 “Feeding of stray cats and dogs” and to suggest changes.

**7 -PUBLIC COMMENT**

**8 – REPORT FROM MR. SAM JONES, PRESIDENT:**

**9 – REPORT FROM PERSONNEL:**

A. Mr. Paul J. Governale, Chief Administrative Officer

**10 – REPORT OF COUNCIL MEETINGS:**

A. Public Hearing Report – April 8, 2026

**11 – REPORT OF MEETINGS OTHER THAN COUNCIL MEETINGS:**

**12 – INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES:**

**13 – ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES:**

A. FOR ADOPTION - An Ordinance in compliance with Ordinance No. 1973, Chapter 5 Procedures, Division 5.4 General Procedures for Public Hearing, Section 5.4.2 Rezoning (Zoning Map Amendments). (Karin Bertrand) (Mr. Hill)

B. FOR ADOPTION - An Ordinance in compliance with Ordinance No. 1973, Chapter 5 Procedures, Division 5.4 General Procedures for Public Hearing, Section 5.4.2 Rezoning (Zoning Map Amendments). (Bruce Saucier) (Mr. Hill)

C. FOR ADOPTION - An Ordinance in compliance with Ordinance No. 1973, Chapter 5 Procedures, Division 5.4 General Procedures for Public Hearing, Section 5.4.2 Rezoning (Zoning Map Amendments). (Darla Lanie & Patrick Prados) (Mr. Hill)

**14 - RESOLUTIONS:**

A. Resolution authorizing Sam Jones, President to execute a One Resolution form annually pertaining to any and all official agreements and documents and any and all agreements and documents with the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Multimodal Commerce relative to the Harry P. Williams Memorial Airport. (Adm.)

**15 – OLD BUSINESS:**

- A. Referred from April 8, 2026, regular council meeting - Shayla Anderson, owner of Stable Lounge, LLC, leasee of Columbia Talmore, Jr., located at 300 Bosco Road, Jeanerette, Louisiana (formally Queen Bee Daiquiris & Game Tyme) requests a residency variance to obtain a 2026 Full Liquor Permit. (Rev. Mathews)

**16 – NEW BUSINESS:**

- A. Robbie Squires, Director, Government Affairs, Cox Communication Central Region has written Cox is required to obtain permission from local broadcast stations and cable networks to provide their signals on our channel lineup. We're in discussions to renew agreements with the following programmers and broadcasters:

Station/Network	Channel(s)
Centro America TV	278
Pasionnes	387
Wapa America	453
Cine Latino	267

We will keep you updated with any new information. Please feel free to contact me at (405)286-5061 or [Robbie.Squires@cox.com](mailto:Robbie.Squires@cox.com).

- B. Chris Disher, Managing Director, Cajun Broadband, Inc. has emailed – Cajun Broadband applied for and was awarded a large fiber project to take place in West St Mary Parish including Four Corners and Cypremort Point. This is part of the GUMBO 2.0/BEAD program.

This is a new award and not related to the previous GUMBO 1.0 Projects.

As part of the requirements, we must submit a formal letter to St Mary Parish Government stating the project and projected start date.

- C. Discussion related to dilapidated housing in Siracusa Subdivision. (Mr. Duhon)
- D. Discussion related to Facial Recognition Apps for dogs and cats. (Mr. Duhon)

**17 – ADJOURNMENT**

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