

**MINUTES**  
**SPECIAL CALLED TOWN COUNCIL MEETING**  
**VIVIAN TOWN HALL MEETING ROOM**  
**112 W. ALABAMA AVE.**  
**VIVIAN, LOUISIANA**  
**THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2024**  
**4:30 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER** - Mayor Festavan called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

**INVOCATION** - Alderman James Martin opened the meeting in prayer.

**PLEDGE** - Mayor Festavan led all present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL - VERIFICATION OF QUORUM** - Board of Aldermen present for Roll Call were James Martin, Denise Alexander, Samuel Hodge, and Raymond Williams; absent was Robert Green, Jr. Following Roll Call the Town Clerk verified that a quorum was present.

Also present were other elected officials and/or staff members: Mayor Ronnie Festavan, and Town Clerk Kellie Morris.

**APPROVE AGENDA** - An amendment to the Agenda was needed to add Public Comments. Motion to amend the Agenda by adding Public Comments was made by Denise Alexander, seconded by Raymond Williams; all present approved.

Following the vote to approve the Agenda as amended was then made by James Martin, seconded by Samuel Hodge; all present approved.

*\*Councilman Robert Green, Jr. entered the meeting at 4:32 p.m.*

➤ **PUBLIC COMMENTS** - There were none.

**1. BUDGET WORKSHOP - REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF FY 2024-25 BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF VIVIAN; ANY/ALL.**

Mayor Festavan stated that Police Chief Ryan Nelson was unable to attend this meeting and went over the Chief's proposed Police budget for the 2024-25 fiscal year line-by-line allowing for questions and/or comments. He further stated that additional meeting(s) would be called for more review and consideration on the Police budget as well as the over-all Town budget.

**ADJOURN** - Motion to adjourn was made by Robert Green, Jr., seconded by Samuel Hodge; all approved. Meeting was adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

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**Kellie Morris, Town Clerk**

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**Ronnie Festavan, Mayor**  
**June 3, 2024**