

CADDO PARISH COMMISSION
505 TRAVIS STREET, GOVERNMENT PLAZA
PUBLIC NOTICE
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA
Streaming at www.caddo.org
July 20th
10:30am

1. ROLL CALL:

Commissioners:

Hopkins	District 1	Gage-Watts	District 7
Johnson	District 2	Cothran	District 8
Jackson	District 3	Atkins	District 9
Young	District 4	Chavez	District 10
Burrell	District 5	Lazarus	District 11
Jones	District 6	Epperson	District 12

2. INVOCATION:

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Veterans and active military members saluting during recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance would be appropriate, should you wish to do so. All others, please recite with your hands over your hearts, and we **ask that everyone please remember our POW-MIA's** as we say the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. AGENDA ADDITIONS:

5. CITIZENS COMMENTS:

Citizens who wish to address the Commission, please fill out a comment card by clicking [HERE](#) and submit to the Commission Clerk's Office, or they may fill out a comment card located in the Chamber foyer and return to the President of the Clerk of the Commission. Individual comments are limited to 3 minutes.

NOTE: Citizens who wish to address the Commission on matters relative to public hearings (items listed on the agenda only) will be limited to a cumulative total of 15 minutes each, for or against an issue. Those who wish to speak or make a presentation are asked to select their speakers and address the points they wish considered with this limitation in mind.

6. PUBLIC HEARING ON ORDINANCES:

6.I. Adopt Ordinance 6343 Of 2023

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC WORKS FUND TO PROVIDE DEBRIS REMOVAL AFTER THE JUNE 16 STORM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

(Caddo Commission) (Companion to Emergency Ordinance)

Documents:

[ORD 6343 FOR DEBRIS REMOVAL.PDF](#)

6.II. Adopt Ordinance 6344 Of 2023

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR RESERVE TRUST FUND TO PROVIDE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TO CADDO CITIZENS AS A RESULT OF THE JUNE 16 STORM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

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[ORD 6344 FOR STORM ASSISTANCE.PDF](#)

7. ORDINANCE (For Final Passage):

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8. ADJOURN:

To all persons desiring to attend and observe a meeting of the Caddo Parish Commission, or who wish to present information to the body: If you have physical limitations that require special accommodations in order for you to attend and participate in a meeting of the Caddo Parish Commission, please contact the office of the Caddo Parish Commission Clerk at (318) 226-6596, at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting so that an effort can be made to provide those accommodations.

ORDINANCE NO. 3643 OF 2023

BY THE CADDO PARISH COMMISSION:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC WORKS FUND TO PROVIDE DEBRIS REMOVAL AFTER THE JUNE 16 STORM AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the Parish of Caddo sustained severe damage as the result of straight-line winds on June 16, 2023; and

WHEREAS, due to the June 16th weather event significant debris is scattered all over the Parish of Caddo; and

WHEREAS, the Caddo Parish Commission would like to pick up storm debris throughout the Parish; and

WHEREAS, the Parish will request reimbursement from Governor’s Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness for 75% of the expenses; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Caddo Parish Commission in due, legal and regular session convened, that Budget of Estimated Revenues and Expenditures for the Public Works Fund for the year 2023 is hereby amended as follows:

	<u>Budget Increase (Decrease)</u>
<u>Public Works Fund</u>	
Professional Service-Debris Removal	\$1,500,000
Fund Balance	(\$1,500,000)

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved as to legal form:

Parish Attorney

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WHEREAS, the Caddo Parish Commission would like to assist the citizens of Caddo Parish that meet the requirements with the needed assistance; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Caddo Parish Commission in due, legal and regular session convened, that Budget of Estimated Revenues and Expenditures for the Reserve Trust Fund for the year 2023 is hereby amended as follows:

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<u>Reserve Trust Fund</u>	
Allocation to Other Entities	
Emergency Assistance	\$1,000,000
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