

**Minutes**  
**Cajun Coast Visitors & Convention Bureau**  
**May 17, 2023**

The Cajun Coast Visitors & Convention Bureau held a business meeting on Wednesday, May 17, 2023, at 4 pm at the Cajun Coast Office. Members present were Kim Walden, Alfredia Edwards, Dwight Smith, Sandra Marshall, Ed "Tiger" Verdin, Nelson Cortez, and Chad Boutte. Members absent were Herman Hartman and Patsy Powell. Also, present were Kristin Holcombe, Carrie Stansbury, and Christal Carter.

Kristin gave the Audit report. Mr. Verdin made a motion to accept the Audit report as presented. Ms. Marshall seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Mr. Verdin made a motion to accept the March Minutes as written. Mr. Cortez seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Ms. Marshall made a motion to accept the March Financials. Ms. Edwards seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Ms. Marshall made a motion to accept the April Financials. Mr. Verdin seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Ms. Stansbury gave an overview of the bureau's activities.

Mr. Verdin made a motion to accept the lowest quote, most cost effective for lawn and flower bed maintenance effective June 1 from JTM. Mr. Smith seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Ms. Walden appointed the committee for June elections to be Mr. Boutte, Mr. Verdin, and Mr. Cortez.

Ms. Marshall made a motion to accept the lowest quote to pressure/soft wash the building from Titian. Mr. Boutte seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

Ms. Cortez made a motion to sign a Resolution to authorize Ms. Stansbury to sign on behalf of the Tourist Commission to apply for the CMP and Atchafalaya grants. Mr. Verdin seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the motion passed.

The Tourist Commission's next board meeting is scheduled for June 21, 2023, at 4:00 pm at the Cajun Coast Office.

There being no further business to discuss, Ms. Marshall made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Cortez seconded the motion. With all members favoring, the meeting was adjourned.

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Herman Hartman, Secretary