

**MUNICIPAL MINUTES, TOWN OF CHURCH POINT, STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**SPECIAL MEETING SEPTEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2021**

**ATTENDANCE**

**MAYOR:** Ryan “Spanky” Meche

**ALDERMEN:** Christine Semien (Ward 1), Kim Cormier (Ward 2), Pat O’Pry (Ward 3), Chris Lebas (Ward 4),  
Errol “Slu” Comeaux (Ward 5)

**CHIEF OF POLICE:** Dale Thibodeaux

**TOWN ATTORNEY:** Lucas Colligan

**MUNICIPAL CLERK:** Rowdy Latiolais

**ABSENT:** None

**COMMENCEMENT**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Meche called the Special Council Meeting to order.

**INVOCATION AND PLEDGE**

Prayer led by Councilman Lebas / Pledge led by Councilman O’Pry

**PUBLIC HEARING**

Mayor Meche called the public hearing to order so that public comment could be heard on the adoption of the 2021 FYE amended and the 2022 FYE operating budgets. No comments were offered.

**FINANCE**

It was moved by Comeaux, seconded by Cormier to approve the adoption of an ordinance adopting an amended operating budget of revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2021.

Vote: All in favor

*Amended budget unanimously adopted; ordinance posted in appendix*

It was moved by O’Pry, seconded by Lebas to approve the adoption of an ordinance adopting an operating budget of revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022.

Vote: All in favor

*Budget unanimously adopted; ordinance posted in appendix*

**CLOSING**

It was moved by Cormier, seconded by O’Pry to adjourn the meeting.

Vote: All in favor

*Meeting adjourned*

**APPENDIX**

**AMENDED BUDGET ORDINANCE – YEAR END 9/30/2021  
ORDINANCE # 092121-1**

The following ordinance was offered by Councilman Comeaux and seconded by Councilman Cormier.

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AN AMENDED OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE TOWN OF CHURCH POINT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2020 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2021.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF CHURCH POINT, LOUISIANA,** in general session convened that:

**SECTION 1:** The attached detailed estimate of revenues for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2021, be and the same is hereby adopted to serve as an operation budget of revenues for the Town of Church Point, during the same period.

**SECTION 2:** The attached estimates of expenditures by departments for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2020 and ending September 30, 2021, be and the same is hereby adopted to serve as a budget of expenditures for the Town of Church Point during the same period.

**SECTION 3:** The adoption of the operating budget of expenditures be and the same is hereby declared to operate as an appropriation of the amount therein set forth within the terms of the budget classification.

**SECTION 4:** Amounts are available for expenditures only to the extent included with the 2020-2021 budget.

**SECTION 5:** The Mayor of the Town of Church Point shall have the authority to make changes within each department’s operating budget to the extent that the department’s total budget allocation is not modified without approval by the governing authority (Board of Aldermen). Modifications which change a department’s total budget allocation must be approved by the Board of Aldermen.

**SECTION 6:** The ordinance also includes the approval of annual salaries for the elected and certain appointed city officials as per the attached schedule.

This ordinance having been submitted to a vote in regular session assembled of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Church Point, Louisiana, the vote thereon being as follows:

MOTION: COMEAUX  
SECOND: CORMIER  
YEAS: O’PRY, CORMIER, SEMIEN, LEBAS, COMEAUX  
NAYS: NONE

This ordinance is declared PASSED AND ADOPTED AT Church Point, Louisiana, on this the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2021.

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Ryan “Spanky” Meche, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Rowdy Latiolais, Clerk

**BUDGET ORDINANCE – YEAR END 9/30/2022  
ORDINANCE # 092121-2**

The following ordinance was offered by Councilman O’Pry and seconded by Councilman Lebas.

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE TOWN OF CHURCH POINT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF CHURCH POINT, LOUISIANA,** in general session convened that:

**SECTION 1:** The attached detailed estimate of revenues for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022, be and the same is hereby adopted to serve as an operation budget of revenues for the Town of Church Point, during the same period.

**SECTION 2:** The attached estimates of expenditures by departments for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2021 and ending September 30, 2022, be and the same is hereby adopted to serve as a budget of expenditures for the Town of Church Point during the same period.

**SECTION 3:** The adoption of the operating budget of expenditures be and the same is hereby declared to operate as an appropriation of the amount therein set forth within the terms of the budget classification.

**SECTION 4:** Amounts are available for expenditures only to the extent included with the 2021-2022 budget.

**SECTION 5:** The Mayor of the Town of Church Point shall have the authority to make changes within each department's operating budget to the extent that the department's total budget allocation is not modified without approval by the governing authority (Board of Aldermen). Modifications which change a department's total budget allocation must be approved by the Board of Aldermen.

**SECTION 6:** The ordinance also includes the approval of annual salaries for the elected and certain appointed city officials as per the attached schedule.

This ordinance having been submitted to a vote in regular session assembled of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Church Point, Louisiana, the vote thereon being as follows:

MOTION: O'PRY

SECOND: LEBAS

YEAS: O'PRY, LEBAS, SEMIEN, COMEAUX, CORMIER

NAYS: NONE

This ordinance is declared PASSED AND ADOPTED AT Church Point, Louisiana, on this the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2021.

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Ryan "Spanky" Meche, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Rowdy Latiolais, Clerk