The Mayor and Council of the Town of Vinton, Louisiana, met in regular session at the temporary meeting place of said Mayor and Council, in the Ward 7 Recreation Center, Vinton, Louisiana, at 6:00 p.m. on the 19th day of December 2023, with the following members present:

Marcus E. Renfrow, Mayor Diane Conner, Mayor Pro Tem Stephanie Hardy, Council Member William "BB" Loyd, Council Member Lindsey Stanley, Council Member

ABSENT: Michael J.K. Wright, Council Member

ALSO PRESENT: Cade R. Cole, Town Attorney

The following Reports were submitted:

Total Payroll for November 2023 \$

Total Bills for November 2023 \$ 214,808.45

Marcus E. Renfrow, Mayor called the meeting to order and then led in prayer. Then followed the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Council Member Loyd that the minutes of prior meetings, copies of which were mailed to each council member prior to the meeting, be approved as written. The motion was seconded by Council Member Stanley and carried.

Brandi Patin, City Clerk, gave the monthly Administration Department report.

Bills for the month of November 2023 were approved and payment authorized upon a motion by Council Member Hardy seconded by Council Member Stanley and carried.

Mayor Renfrow advised the Council that they needed to make a motion to amend the agenda for the Retention pay for all town employees for the approval of the council. Mayor Renfrow then asked for a public comment on adding the item to the agenda hearing none then proceeded to a roll call vote.

YEAS: Conner, Stanley, Loyd, Hardy NAYS:

NAYS:

ABSENT: Wright

The motion was made by Hardy to approve the payment and was seconded by Council Member Stanley and carried.

It was moved by Council Member Loyd that the following Class "A" Beer Permits be approved. The motion was se coned by Mayor Pro Tem Conner and carried.

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Glenn's Mart Grill & Deli

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Cajun Cowboy's

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Hein Nguyen

DBA: Circle A Mini Mart

1309 Hwy 90 E

GPM Southeast, LLC

DBA: EZ-Mart #4296

1723 Hwy 90 W

Ibrahim Swati

DBA: Tiger Mart #12

1410 Gum Cove Rd

Casey Courville

DBA: B & B Bar

1313 Horridge St

Retail Investors of Texas

DBA: Market Basket #26

1717 Hwy 90 W

Boyd Parker L&P Holdings, LLC

DBA: Cobblestone Inn & Suites

2002 Corporate Dr

Decisions Consulting LLC

Family Dollar Store #21185

West St Vinton La

Gregory M. Love – ALYCO, LLC

DBA: Love's Casino

2024B West St

It was moved by Mayor Pro Tem Conner that the following Class "B" Beer Permits be approved. The motion was seconded by Council Member Loyd and carried.

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Glenn's Mart Grill & Deli

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Cajun Cowboy's

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Hein Nguyen

DBA: Circle A Mini Mart

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1723 Hwy 90 W

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Casey Courville

DBA: B & B Bar

1313 Horridge St

Retail Investors of Texas

DBA: Market Basket #26

1717 Hwy 90 W

Boyd Parker L&P Holdings, LLC

DBA: Cobblestone Inn & Suites

2002 Corporate Dr

Gregory M. Love – ALYCO, LLC

DBA: Love's Casino

2024B West St

It was moved by Council Member Loyd that the following Class "A" Liquor Permits be approved. The motion was seconded by Council member Stanley and carried.

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Glenn's Mart Grill & Deli

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Cajun Cowboy's

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Hein Nguyen

DBA: Circle A Mini Mart

1309 Hwy 90 E

GPM Southeast, LLC

DBA: EZ-Mart #4296

1723 Hwy 90 W

Ibrahim Swati

DBA: Tiger Mart #12

1410 Gum Cove Rd

Casey Courville

DBA: B & B Bar

1313 Horridge St

Retail Investors of Texas

DBA: Market Basket #26

1717 Hwy 90 W

Boyd Parker L&P Holdings, LLC

DBA: Cobblestone Inn & Suites

2002 Corporate Dr

Gregory M. Love – ALYCO, LLC

DBA: Love's Casino

2024B West St

It was moved by Council Member Stanley that the following Class "B" Liquor Permits be approved. The motion was seconded by Council Member Loyd and carried.

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Glenn's Mart Grill & Deli

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Glenn Floyd Cormier

DBA: Cajun Cowboy's

1312 Gum Cove Rd

Hein Nguyen

DBA: Circle A Mini Mart

1309 Hwy 90 E

GPM Southeast, LLC

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2024B West St

It was moved by Council Member Hardy that the following Wrecker Permits be approved. The motion was seconded by Council Member Loyd and carried.

Ernest L. Breaux

DBA: Breaux's Wrecker Service

1603 Hwy 90 W

It was moved by Council Member Loyd that the following Floating Holidays, as voted on by Administration and Public Works employees for 2024, be approved. The motion was seconded by Council Member Stanley and carried.

Friday after Thanksgiving 11/29/2024

Friday Day Before Christmas 12/24/2024

Day before Independence Day 7/5/2024

Chief of Police Scott Spell gave the monthly Police Department report. Chief Spell gave the council the application for the approval of full time Police officer Jeff Lognion. A motion was made by Council Mayor Pro Tem Conner and seconded by Council Member Stanley of the approval.

Terry Vice, Director of Public Works gave the monthly report.

Chief Chris Vice gave the monthly Fire Department report.

Roderick (Keith) Hawkins attended the council meeting needed to discuss a personal matter. Mayor Renfrow advised the council that they needed to move into executive session. Motion was made by Council Member Loyd and seconded by Stanley. Then a motion was made to return to regular meeting Hardy and seconded by Loyd. Mayor Renfrow then asked if any Action to be taken for Roderick (Keith) Hawkin's hearing none the decision will stand on Termination.

David Lyons did not attend the Council Meeting. Mayor Renfrow asked if there was a motion to uphold Chief Spells decision for termination. The motion was made by Council Member Stanley and seconded by Council Member Loyd.

There being no further business, Council Member Stanley made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Council Member Hardy and carried.

	Marcus E. Renfrow, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Brandi Patin, City Clerk	