



Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Board

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January 16, 2025

A regular meeting of the Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Board was held on the above date at 5:30 PM at the Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Office, 310 Cowboy Way, LaBelle, Florida.

City Commissioner/Chairman, Daniel Akin, called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM.

Opening Prayer was led by County Commissioner Mitchell Wills.

Everyone stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members present were, City Commissioner/Chairman Daniel Akin, City Commissioner Bobbie Spratt, County Commissioner Emory “Rowdy” Howard, County Commissioner Mitchell Wills, and Director Steven Lynn.

Bids: None

Consent Agenda: Approval of December 19, 2024, Minutes and bills:

County Commissioner Mitchell Wills asked for a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. County Commissioner Emory “Rowdy” Howard Seconded. All were in favor. Motion passed unanimously.

Awards, Appearances, and Presentations: None

BOBBIE SPRATT
City Commissioner

PAUL SAMERDYKE
School Board Member

DANIEL AKIN
City Commissioner/Chairman

MITCHELL WILLS
County Commissioner

EMORY “ROWDY” HOWARD
County Commissioner

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Correspondence (FYI): None

Staff Reports: None

Hearing of the public:

Stephanie Sposato asked for approval for the 2025 swap gala. County Commissioner Mitchell Wills asked for a motion to approve, County Commissioner Emory “Rowdy” Howard Seconded. All were in favor. Motion passed unanimously.

Reports and other Business:

Agenda Additions: A motion was made to approve the budget adjustment reflecting the new tax increase for Forrey. County Commissioner Emory “Rowdy” Howard proposed the motion, which was seconded by City Commissioner Bobbie Spratt. The motion passed unanimously.

Director Lynn proposed hiring a new employee for Forrey. City Commissioner Bobbie Spratt moved to begin advertising for the position, and County Commissioner Emory “Rowdy” Howard seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Motion for meeting to adjourn was made by City Commissioner Bobbie Spratt and seconded by County Commissioner Mitchell Wills. All in favor, motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Akin adjourned the meeting. The meeting was dismissed at 6:09 p.m.

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