



AGENDA
CITY OF THIBODAUX PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION
310 W. 2nd Street
January 8, 2020 at 5:00 P.M.

1. Meeting called to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call: Clay Breaud P__ A__ (E or X) __
 Robert Mire P__ A__ (E or X) __
 Mark Kearns P__ A__ (E or X) __
 Cheryl Thomas P__ A__ (E or X) __
 Drew Andrews P__ A__ (E or X) __
4. Approval of minutes for December 4, 2019 meeting.
5. To consider request by John Lafargue to amend and re-enact portions of the sign ordinance, Article IX, to read as follows:

Section 908 Off-premise outdoor advertising.

(B) (3) Signs are prohibited on the batture (area between highway and bayou) on LA Highway 1 from Canal Blvd. to Ridgefield Road and LA Highway 308 from St. Patrick Street west to the City limits. **Digital signs must be at least 1,500 feet from the following intersections: Tiger Dr. & LA Hwy. 1, Jackson St & LA Hwy. 1, Canal Blvd. at LA Hwy. 1, Audubon Ave. & LA Hwy. 1, Percy Brown Rd. & LA Hwy. 1, N. Canal Blvd. & Hwy. 308, St. Patrick St. & Hwy. 308 and Canal Blvd. & Jackson St.**

(B) (4) No new off-premise sign permits will be granted. ~~other than for relocation of existing signs with proper permit.~~

(E) Digital off-premise signs.

1. One (1) digital sign is allowed in exchange for four (4) existing or permitted sign faces.
2. **No digital sign can be exchanged for a legal, but non-conforming sign that has been grandfathered by adoption of this ordinance effective September 3, 2019.**

(F) Lighting of off-premise signs (subparagraph d)

(d) Message Display:

- i. Any digital display containing animation, streaming video or text of images with flash, pulsate, move or scroll is prohibited.
- ii. The content of a digital display must transition by changing instantly, with no transition graphics (e.g., no fade-out or fade-in).
- iii. **Each message must remain stationary for a minimum of eight (8) seconds.**
- iv. **Message changes must be accomplished within four (4) seconds.**
- v. **Message must be accomplished in such a manner that there is no appearance of movement of the message or copy during the change.**
- vi. **Digital displays must include a default design that will freeze the sign in one position if a malfunction occurs.**

7. Any other matters properly brought before the Commission.

Roland Soignet, Jr.
Zoning Administrator