



# Town Of Elton

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Notice of a Public Meeting of the Town Council of Elton, Louisiana, was held at 6:00 PM in the Council Chamber at Elton City Hall, 1302 Main Street, Elton, Louisiana, on Wednesday, October 1, 2025, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items:

Minutes of Town of Elton Meeting --October 1, 2025

1. Call to Order by Mayor Pierrotti at 6:04 PM
2. Prayer/ Pledge of Allegiance/Moment of Silence led by Kim Thibodeaux
3. Roll Call by Clerk Sandrez West

Tony Guillory	Present	Erica Francis	Present
Kim Thibodeaux	Present	Trudy Patterson	Present
Kay Hebert	Present		

Quorum attained for meeting
4. Public Comment on Agenda Items-None
5. Adoption of Agenda by Kay Hebert, seconded by Erica Francis  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried
6. Approval of September 3, 2025 Minutes by Kay Hebert, seconded by Erica Francis  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried
7. Clerk Report by Clerk West: Year to Date Budget Comparison was presented, noting the Town is in the red in the Water Sector due to past errors and lack of proper incremental rates increase to support the 1.15 sustainability factor necessary in the department; IRS has not been responsive to calls concerning abatement request
8. Motion to transfer funds and pay bills after discussion on bills by Erica Francis, seconded by Tony Guillory  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried
9. Introduction of Resolution to Establish and Effectuate Policies to Curtail Verbal Abuse and Threats to Municipal Employees  
During the Course of Their Employment Duties by Members of the Public, Including the Use of Messages, Placement of Signs and the Presence of Law Enforcement Officers at Municipal Buildings and Properties as May Be Justified Under the Existing Circumstances by Kay Hebert, seconded by Trudy Patterson  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried



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10. Update on Park-Kay Hebert: Information on park grant from 1970 has been obtained; TOE is clear of 'perpetuity' and eligible to request grant should they have sustainable operating budget
11. Motion to close Park duration of 120 days in order to study grant opportunities and curtail expenditures under the current austerity budget  
.Discussion: Attorney stated he would like to work pro bono on assisting TOE with setting upon a 501 (c)3 Town of Elton Foundation with a meeting of interest slated for Wednesday, November 5, 2025 at 6:00 PM in Council Chamber Room  
Motion to close Park until end of fiscal year 2025 by Kay Hebert, seconded by Erica Francis  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried
12. Grant Updates-Kay Hebert-Dog Pound is waiting on last portion of funding to arrive; Demo grant to begin on October 6, 2025
13. Police Business: Chief Lemelle was absent: Kay Hebert noted that only 11 tickets were issued for the month; Chief has requested (to Mayor prior to meeting) keeping one sedan unit; Attorney Holmes instructed Council Chief to use for running traffic in addition to his new Charger Unit; Attorney Holmes told Council units need to be released by Chief from use in the department to enable TOE to sell units and utilize the income in that department
14. Motion to enter into Executive Session by Kay Hebert, seconded by Trudy Patterson  
Yeas-5 Nays-) Motion Carried
15. Mayor called 5-minute recess and then would enter into Executive Session
16. Executive Session:
  - (1.) Discussion on Litigation Strategy and Settlement Negotiations (MPERS vs. Town of Elton, et al., No. C721938 32 19<sup>th</sup> JDC., Parish of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana)
17. Resume Public Meeting Motion by Kay Hebert, seconded by Trudy Patterson  
Yeas-5 Nay-0 Motion Carried
18. Council Comments on uncut grass by Kim Thibodeaux; Hebert stated the Town should cut Municipal grass and THEN issue grass citations; Hebert stated that while grass is important, grass is less important in manpower than fixing water leaks which affect TOE income
19. Motion to adjourn by Kay Hebert, seconded by Trudy Patterson  
Yeas-5 Nays-0 Motion Carried  
Meeting adjourned at 7:18 PM

  
Kay Hebert

10/02/2025  
Oct 2, 2025