

**Jeff Davis Parish Tourist Commission  
Minutes of Meeting  
October 21, 2025**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Representing</b>	<b>Present</b>	<b>Absent</b>
<b>Sammy LeJeune</b>	<b>Lake Arthur</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Ronnie Petree</b>	<b>At Large</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Kori Myers</b>	<b>At Large</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Shelby LaFosse</b>	<b>Welsh</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Jeremy Doucet</b>	<b>Jennings</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Austin Bertrand</b>	<b>Elton</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Kayla Doga</b>	<b>Hotel</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Landon Daigle</b>	<b>Coushatta</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Greg Marcantel, CPA</b>	<b>CPA</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Nikki Trahan</b>		<b>X</b>	
<b>Carter Prejean</b>	<b>Director</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Macey Guidry Cormier</b>			<b>X</b>
<b>Linda LeBlanc</b>	<b>Facilitator</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>Henry Guinn</b>	<b>Jennings Mayor</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Ben Boudreaux</b>	<b>Parish Administrator</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Jeanne Boudreaux</b>	<b>Guest</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Cesilee Oliver</b>	<b>Guest</b>		<b>X</b>
<b>Doris Maricle</b>	<b>American Press</b>	<b>X</b>	

**Call to Order:** Vice Chairman Kori Myers called the meeting to order. Ronnie Petree led the prayer and Greg Marcantel led the pledge.

**Approval of Agenda:** It was moved by Ronnie Petree, seconded by Shelby LaFosse, and passed unanimously to approve the agenda for October 21, 2025, as presented.

**Approval of Minutes:** It was moved by Sammy LeJeune, seconded by Ronnie Petree, and passed unanimously to approve the minutes of September 9, 2025, as presented.

**Financial Report:** It was moved by Ronnie Petree, seconded by Shelby LaFosse, and passed unanimously to approve the August 2025 financial reports as presented.

**Public Comments:** Carter Prejean welcomed new board member Sammy LeJeune and re-appointed board member Kayla Doga for committing to serve on Jeff Davis Tourist Commission for three-year terms.

Shelby LaFosse stated the Cocktail Trail with passports was turning out to be a successful campaign.

**Old Business:** Carter Prejean stated she would be communicating with the Tourism Board about the upcoming Fall Fest on November 1<sup>st</sup>. Eighteen gumbo cooking teams have registered and there will be a petting zoo, pumpkin patch, children’s activities and live music. Volunteers will be needed for set up on October 31<sup>st</sup> and throughout the one-day festival on November 1<sup>st</sup>.

**New Business:** It was moved by Ronnie Petree, seconded by Sammy LeJeune, and passed unanimously to name Vice Chairman Kori Myers as the acting Chairman through June 30, 2026, the end of the fiscal year.

It was moved by Ronnie Petree, seconded by Kayla Doga, and passed unanimously to remove Sheila Chapman as a signer on Jeff Davis Tourist Commission bank accounts at First Guaranty Bank. Authorized signers are now Carter Ledbetter Prejean, Kori Myers, Kayla Doga, and Ronald W. Petree.

It was moved by Kayla Doga, seconded by Shelby LaFosse, and passed unanimously to approve Monica Trahan having full online bank account access to Jefferson Davis Parish Tourist Commission checking and savings bank accounts.

It was moved by Ronnie Petree, seconded by Sammy LeJeune, and passed unanimously to approve the amended 2025 Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with Jefferson Davis Parish Economic Development Commission ending December 31, 2025.

**Announcements:**

- The regular Tourist Commission meeting will be at noon on Tuesday, November 11, 2025, at the Tourist Commission Administration office.
- Ethics Online Training to be completed by December 31, 2025.

**Adjournment:** A motion was made by Shelby LaFosse, seconded by Kayla Doga, and passed unanimously to adjourn.