

**PROCEEDINGS OF MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, LOUISIANA
TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021 – 3:00 P.M.**

The Town Council of Oak Grove met in special session on Tuesday, March 23, 2021 at 3:00 p.m. in the council chambers at City Hall. Present for the meeting were Council Members Nevels, Walker and Allen. Council Members Gammill and Rye were absent. Mayor Holland presided.

Invocation was led by Council Member Allen.

Mayor Holland stated that the water department had numerous water customers with unusually high meter readings as a result of busted pipes during the recent snow and ice storm. According to Attorney General Opinions that were researched on this matter, the Town is permitted to adjust a customer's water bill if caused by a natural disaster, but must be done on a case by case basis and must be documented with proof. Council Member Walker made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to approve the adjustment of water bills for those customers that had broken pipes caused from the recent snow and ice storm if the customer can provide proof that they had damaged pipes due to the storm and that they have been repaired. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Holland updated the council about the American Rescue Plan Act and asked for their input and ideas for the proposed funding provided by the plan.

At 3:11 p.m. Council Member Nevels made a motion, seconded by Council Member Allen to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

MELLISSA CORLEY, LCMC

ADAM T. HOLLAND, MAYOR