

## **Shreveport City Council Special Meeting Minutes August 9, 2022**

The special meeting of the City Council of the City of Shreveport, State of Louisiana was called to order by Chairman Green at 4:43 p.m., August 9, 2022, in the Government Chamber in Government Plaza (505 Travis Street).

The roll was called. Present: Councilwomen Tabatha Taylor, LeVette Fuller, Councilmen John Nickelson, Alan Jackson, James Green and Jerry Bowman. 6. Absent: Councilman Grayson Boucher. 1.

The meeting was called to hear the appeal of the denial of Bayou Butts & Booze #26 alcohol permit at 3176 North Market Street.

Luke Wagon spoke in opposition to the denial of Bayou Butts & Booze #26 alcohol permit at 3176 North Market Street.

After some discussion and questions, Councilwoman Taylor called for the vote.

Luke Wagon: I would like to say on the record that we were notified by Corporal Bradley of this issue, but he has been nothing but professional. I know that he has been working on this and the bigger situation surrounding this ordinance for a long time. I know that it can't be easy having to go to business that have a law that has never been enforced, and say hey, I know this is the law and I know that it may be outdated, there's a lot of issues on it but its my job to enforce it so I'm going to do that, but I'm also going to give you every opportunity to fight it. I really appreciate the professionalism and the integrity of being able to work with something like that, so, thank you for that, I just wanted to say that in front of y'all. Any other questions for me?

**Motion by Councilwoman Taylor seconded by Councilman Jackson to reverse the decision of the Shreveport Police Department to deny the application for an alcohol permit at Bayou Butts & Booze #26 located at 3176 Market Street. Motion approved by the following vote: Ayes: Councilwomen Taylor, Fuller Councilmen Nickelson, Jackson, Green and Bowman. 6. Nays: 0. Out of the Chamber: 0. Absent: Councilman Boucher. 1. Abstentions:**

There being no further business to come before the Council the meeting adjourned at 4:52 p.m.

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*//s// James Green, Chairman*

*//s// Danielle Farr-Ewing, Clerk of Council*