

MINUTES OF THE  
SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER SPORTS COMMISSION ADVISORY BOARD

August 27, 2014

**Present:**

Billy Montgomery, Chairman  
Don Williams, City of Bossier City Representative  
Doyle Adams, Bossier Parish Police Jury  
John Escude, Caddo Parish Commission  
Ken Antee, Caddo Parish Commission Representative  
Patrick Wesley, Representing Shelly Ragle, City of Shreveport  
Markey Pierre, City of Shreveport Representative  
Kelly Wells, VP, Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission  
Sheila Norman, Administrator, Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission

**By Telephone:**

Stacy Brown, Shreveport-Bossier Convention & Tourist Bureau

**Absent:**

Clay Bohanan, City of Bossier City Representative  
Rick Avery, Bossier Parish Police Jury Representative

**Call to Order:**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission Advisory Board was held on August 27, 2014 in the Board Room of the Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourist Bureau. Billy Montgomery, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 8:12 a.m. A quorum was present.

**Funding –**

The members were informed that our duties for the proposed increase in the hotel/motel tax would only involve educating the public. Following discussion, Ken Antee moved to authorize the Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission to expend funds up to \$2,500.00 to inform the public on the upcoming proposition. John Escude seconded the motion which was voted and passed with no public comment.

**Financial Report –**

Mrs. Norman reviewed the financials through the end of June with the members. The membership agreed to proceed with sending an invoice to the City of Shreveport for 2014. We are still awaiting payment of funds from the Bossier Parish Police Jury. Mrs. Norman will follow up with Mr. Avery for the status of payment from the Police Jury.

**Minutes-**

The Minutes of the July 23, 2014 meeting were reviewed. John Escude moved that the minutes be approved as distributed. The motion was seconded by Markey Pierre, voted on and approved with no public comment.

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**Event Report –**

Mr. Wells reviewed the upcoming events with the members:

- LHSCA All-Star Football game to be played at Independence Stadium on Saturday, December 20, 2014. Ken Antee moved that the Sports Commission assist with this event in an amount not to exceed \$10,000. The motion was seconded by Markey Pierre, voted on and passed with no public comment.
- SBSC is planning to bid on the 2016-2017 LHSSA wrestling and boys' basketball championships.
- 2014 Independence Bowl sponsorship.
- Shreveport-Bossier will host the 2015 S.P.O.R.T. S. Relationship Conference.

**Adjournment -**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:07 am.

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Billy Montgomery, Chairman