

## St. Charles Parish

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## MEMORANDUM

DATE:

MAY 22, 2019

TO:

MS. JULIA FISHER-PERRIER

COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

(COUNCILWOMAN, DISTRICT VI

FROM:

COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE, DIVISION B

RE:

SPECIAL MEETING REQUEST

Pursuant to Council Rule 2 pertaining to the Chair, I am requesting that a special meeting of the Council be called prior to the June 3, 2019 Council Meeting, to discuss the following two matters:

2019-0145 - Misuse of Public Equipment on Private Property in early 2018, when the Parish performed clearing and ditch work that was to be done by the developer of River Road Estates Subdivision shown on the construction plans, done by the Parish under the false pretense that it had a historical servitude in the work area, which documents obtained through normal channels and through public records request confirmed that the Parish has no historical servitude and that the first time the Parish ever performed work in this area was when it performed the illegal work in 2018, which is supported by a conversation had with two of the family members whose family owned the property from 1936 until sold for subdivision development in 2004, who stated that they have no knowledge of the Parish ever having worked on their property.

2019-0072 - Misuse of Public Equipment on Private Property on July 1, 2018 in Paradis, Louisiana, was referred by the Legal Department to the District Attorney, who has since advised in a meeting held on May 8, 2019, his position remains that after careful review, he finds no criminal intent, would decline to prosecute and refuse any charges brought against the individuals involved, and it was his understanding this matter was referred to St. Charles Parish officials, which he believes is the appropriate agency to deal with this particular matter and its policies and procedure for employees going forward.

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

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Parish Council