

**SPECIAL MEETING
MAY 13, 2025
7:00 P.M.**

The Councilmen of the Town of Jean Lafitte met in a Special Meeting with the following members present: Councilman Bartholomew, Councilman Creppel, Councilman Darda, Councilman Kerner Jr., and Councilman Smith. The meeting was called to order at 7:11 p.m. asking everyone to rise and pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Councilman Bartholomew was notified of the special meeting by phone on May 12, 2025, by the Town Clerk at 10:37 a.m.

Councilman Creppel was notified of the special Meeting by phone on May 12, 2025, by the Town Clerk at 11:06 a.m.

Councilman Darda was notified of the Special Meeting by phone on May 12, 2025, by the Town Clerk at 10:39 a.m.

Councilman Kerner Jr. was notified of the Special Meeting by phone on May 12, 2025, by the Town Clerk at 10:42 a.m.

Councilman Smith was notified of the Special Meeting by phone on May 12, 2025, by the Town Clerk at 10:44 a.m.

RESOLUTION #2406

On a motion by Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman Creppel the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, Timothy P. Kerner Jr., Mayor of the Town of Jean Lafitte, Parish of Jefferson resigned on May 12, 2025, due to him being elected as Jefferson Parish Councilman District 1.

WHEREAS, his resignation has caused a vacancy in office.

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the Town of Jean Lafitte, Louisiana is given the authority and responsibility under the provisions of La.R.S 18:602 to appoint a person to fill the vacancy who meet the qualifications of the office.

WHEREAS, the Town of Jean Lafitte is requesting a special election scheduled for October 11, 2025 (primary) and November 15, 2025 (general) with qualifying dates of July 9, 10, and 11, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE RESOLVED we the Councilmen of the Town of Jean Lafitte, a municipal corporation domiciled in the Parish of Jefferson acting as a governing authority of said town, at this special meeting convened, resolved that Yvette Crain, be appointed to fill the Interim Mayor position. The Interim Mayor will not run for the Special Election.

YEAS: 5

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 0

Councilman Bartholomew
Councilman Creppel
Councilman Darda
Councilman Kerner Jr.
Councilman Smith

No further business was discussed. On a motion by Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman Kerner Jr. the meeting was adjourned at 7:32 p.m. .



Councilman