

SLA SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
MONDAY JULY 22, 2019
6:30 P.M. CLUBHOUSE

ATTENDEES:

	Present	Absent
Jim Cazes	x	
Don Frattini	x	
Mike Hayes	x	
Dennis Kates	x	
Tommy Milazzo	x	
Samantha Montoya		x
Doug Pacas	x	
Terry Edwards	x	
LaNelle Johnson	x	

1. Call to Order by Mike Hayes. The SLA Special Board meeting was requested by Don Frattini for the purpose of presenting the 5G Group's request for HOA's financial support in funding the attorney's fee for the Group.
2. Don made motion: SLA shall contribute \$500.00 to the 5G Group as a means of supporting their effort in providing an attorney to work with the City/Parish attorney in drafting an ordinance regulating the 5G poles in the parish. Doug Pacas seconded.
3. Don led the discussion reviewing information provided by the 5G Cell Tower Task Force. Don outlined the goals of the Task Force which include having input as to where the cell towers are located in an effort to maintain property values, aesthetics and to protect the health of the citizens. The Task Force has been soliciting funds from HOA's to hire an attorney to assist in the legalese in drafting an amendment to the small cell ordinance. It was noted by Dennis that the City/Parish has an attorney and that said attorney should be the one handling any legal issues since he is paid by the taxpayers in the Parish. The City Council and the Mayor are engaged in the effort to amend the ordinance. Tommy noted the financial strength of AT&T and their willingness to exert such

strength. Don stressed the need to have attorney representing the 5G Cell Tower Task Force and not leave it to the Council and Council attorney. The question was asked if the \$500.00 would be a one time contribution. Mike noted that Gary Patureau had done a great job energizing the HOAs and getting information before the Council.

4. Mike requested the motion be read after which a vote was called. The motion failed 7-1.
5. Before adjourning Mike reminded Board members of the August 5, regular Board Meeting; begin preparation for next year's budget.

Submitted by LaNelle Johnson, Secretary