



Linda Begue

President's Message September 2023

"The Good ALWAYS Suffer for The Bad"

This old expression is proving to be especially true today.

I think of it every time I need scissors to cut away the protective packaging on my purchases! In addition to the inconvenience, it increases the cost of the product and the trash disposal costs. The good people are literally paying for the actions of the bad people, shoplifters!

Unfortunately, this is a permanent suffering! We have been unable to change this bad human behavior.

I think of it every time I grocery shop or fill my car with gas. The good people of the U.S.A. are literally paying greatly inflated costs due to the decisions, policies, and regulations of the bad president, Joe Biden!

Fortunately, this can be a temporary suffering. We can change this by electing a conservative Republican president and return to the fiscal policies of the Trump presidency!

My "bad word" list is growing:

Equity Diversity Inclusion Green Bidenomics

How many more words will be added while Biden is president?





## Minutes of August 3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting

- I. Linda Begue called meeting to order at 11:30 a.m.
- **II.** Joyce Laporte led our Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.
- III. Michelle Pichon introduced State Senator Patrick McMath. Senator McMath touched upon a myriad of important issues taking place in Baton Rouge namely: improvement of traffic on I-12, beautification project across from Beau Chene, Bills that have not passed and passed in the Senate pertaining to La.'s children, and the important of ridding our state government of insincere Republicans and getting a Republican governor back in Baton Rouge. Everyone seemed very impressed with Senator McMath.

### **IV. Reports of Officers:**

- Recording Secretary Joyce Laporte  $\frac{6}{1}/23$  Minutes approved and filed.
- 1<sup>st</sup> VP Michelle Pichon Oct. -TBA, Nov: Skrmetta
- 2nd VP Lynn Pablovich 75 Active, 13 Associates
- Treasurer Dorothy Noriea Reported YTD financials- filed for audit
- Corres. Secretary Judy Hermann Thank you card to Greg Cromer

### V. Reports of Chairmen:

- RPEC Linda Begue- All information for Endorsement meetings will be emailed to everyone.
- LFRW Linda Begue- NFRW Biennial Meeting in Oklahoma City, Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 2023.
- Political Education Suzanne Crow announced we are going to plan a special event for our 40th anniversary in 2024.

#### VI. Unfinished Business –

- Fall Forum-Aug.20, 2:00, Beau Chene, Public invited and no charge.
- Library Report Bill passed to help with Library accountability.

### VII. New Business:

- MRW business cards were approved and will be given out at meetings and a big thank you to Suzan for formatting, printing, and donating 500 cards to MRW.
- Dictionary Project: Not approved. Board investigating and will propose new gifts to schools.
- VIII. 50/50: Melanie Saunders/ Janet Schwaner: Winner- Ann Gibbs.
- **IX. Special Door Prize:** Kellyanne Conway Book donated by State Senator Patrick McMath and won by MaryJane Becker.

### X. Announcements:

• Early voting: Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> – Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>.

Respectfully submitted: Joyce W. Laporte, Recording Secretary

## SEPTEMBER MENU: Caesar Salad Lasagna Bolognese



**Senator Patrick McMath** 

































## Membership Report

by Lynn Pablovich

We have 74 Active members and 31 Associate members as of August 1, 2023. We have 28 new members for 2023 of which 14 are Actives and 14 are Associates. Please welcome our newest members listed below.

The 2023 Directories are distributed all meetings. If you have not renewed for 2023, you can mail a check (\$45 dues for Active members; \$15 for Associate members) to:

MRW P.O. Box 8831 Mandeville, LA 70470-8831.

If you are renewing and your info is the same, I do not need another application from you. However, if there are changes, please print the attached application and mail with your check.

We want you to get involved and make this club a satisfying part of your life. Please look through this newsletter to find areas you are interested in: school board, publicity, hospitality, campaigns, fundraising, etc. I know our president, Linda Begue, would love to talk to you about committees. You may even have a new idea. Let us know

**New Active Members:** 

MaryLeigh Cassidy, Kathleen Grundmann, and Linda Marshall

New Associate Member:

William Wheat

Please remember when making your reservation to contact Linda Esquerre, renlin92@bellsouth.net or 504-782-2920













YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ENJOY Summer Sazeracs with Mandeville Mayor Clay Madden

Friday, August 25th

5:30 - 8:00 PM at the home of Stephen & Ashley Guidry 123 Cardinal Lane In the Sanctuary of Mandeville

\$300 PER COUPLE TO ATTEND | \$1000 CAMPAIGN LIMIT

Kindly RSVP to Sarah Bennett at Sarahcollins2929 @gmail.com or 225-241-0593

Make checks payable to: Clay Madden Campaign P.O. Box 8535 Mandeville, LA 70470 or donate online via www.claymadden.com

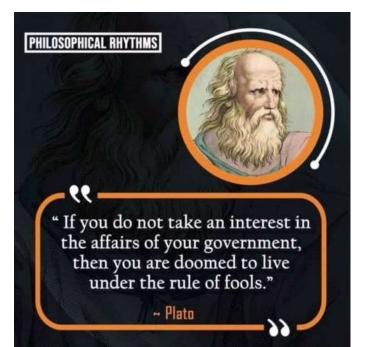


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Bring the completed form to the next MRW meeting or mail to the address shown on the form.

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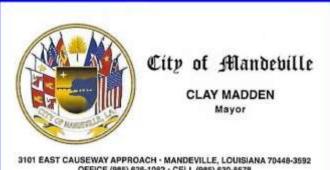
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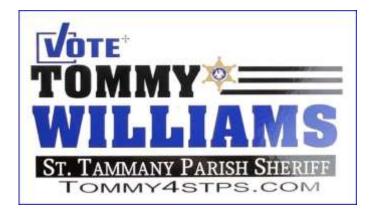
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