

RED RIVER DELTA LAW ENFORCEMENT PLANNING COUNCIL, INC.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Tuesday, May 26, 2026

The Board of Directors of Red River Delta Law Enforcement Planning Council, Inc. met on Tuesday, May 26, 2026, at 5:30 pm, at Red River Delta, 615 Main St., Pineville, LA 71360.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by President Jay Lemoine.

ROLL CALL

Billy Bennett	Charles Riddle
David Dauzat	John Johnson
Toney Edwards	Brad Burget*
David Hedrick	Joey Merrill*
Steven McCain	Jay Lemoine
Reed Walters*	Chris Peters*
Joe Bishop*	Roy Fore
Loren Lampert	Chad Gremillion*
Phillip Terrell*	Richard Starling
Greg Beard	John Davidson
Mark Wood*	Elvin Fontenot
Anthony Eaves	

On roll call: 15 present, 8 proxies, 4 absent. Quorum

*Proxy

Others in attendance were:

Josh Peppers, Alexandria PD	Ava Peppers (Guest of Josh Peppers)
Joe Salmon, Pineville PD	Kim Mixon, Pineville PD
Carly Deselle, North LA Crime Lab	Jeremiah Honea, Children's Advocacy Network
Sam King, Vidalia PD	Ronnie Beard (Gust of Greg Beard)
Robert Beauregard, Rapides SO	William Mattox, Avoyelles SO
Jeremy P. Edwards, Red River Delta	

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Greg Beard, Toney Edwards second by Steven McCain to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the March 24, 2026, Board of Directors Meeting and to adopt these minutes as posted to the website. On vote, motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

President Lemoine called on Executive Director Jeremy P. Edwards to present the financial report. Jeremy Edwards reported on the status of each account on the attached financial report. After a discussion, a motion by Loren Lampert, second by McCain, to adopt the financial report. On vote, motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Lemoine introduced the FY 2027 Contractual Agreement with Northwest Law Enforcement Planning Agency, Inc. Lemoine stated this was the 42nd one-year contract between Northwest and Red River Delta, and that there were no changes except for the dates of the contract. Following discussion, motion by Charles Riddle, second by Toney Edwards, to accept and authorize President Jay Lemoine to sign the FY 2027 Contractual Agreement with Northwest Law Enforcement Planning Agency, Inc. as presented. On vote, motion carried.

Lemoine called on Executive Director Jeremy Edwards for the grant programs report. Jeremy Edwards provided an update on the Community Project Funding, Byrne SCIP program, the new PMT rule, and updated the board regarding the submissions of modifications within 15 days of personnel changes.

Lemoine called on the following agency personnel for a status report of their respective programs:

North Louisiana Criminalistics Laboratory – Alexandria; Carly Deselle, Director
Alexandria Police Training Academy; Lt. Josh Peppers
Children’s Advocacy Network; Jeremiah Honea, Executive Director

Lemoine presented the list of upcoming meetings.

The next Red River Delta Board of Directors meeting would be at 5:30 pm Tuesday, July 28, 2026, at Red River Delta, 615 Main St., Pineville, LA 71360, with District Attorney Phillip Terrell hosting.

The next Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement meeting is scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, June 10-11, 2026, at West Baton Rouge Conference Center, 2750 N. Westport Dr, Port Allen, LA 70767.

Lemoine thanked Mayor Joe Bishop and Chief Roy Fore and the City of Piencille for hosting the meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully,
Jeremy P. Edwards, Board Secretary