

Sabine Parish Tourist & Recreation Commission  
**1601 Texas Hwy**  
**Many, LA**  
**MINUTES**  
**January 13, 2026**  
**12:00 pm**

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<b>Board Members Present:</b>	<b>Board Members Absent:</b>	<b>Staff Present:</b>	<b>Public Present:</b>
Edith Palmer Mary Brocato Martha Henderson Suzanne Williams Lauren Moore Valerie Salter	Hannah Savell	Georgia Craven Krystal Sepulvado Emma McElwee Hunter Lewing	Mary Beth Fair Adrienne Hennis Waylon Salter

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Lauren Moore called the meeting of the Sabine Parish Tourist & Recreation Commission (SPTC) Board to order.

Lauren Moore led the prayer and the pledge of allegiance.

Lauren Moore performed a Roll Call.

**Action #1:** Mary Brocato made a motion to approve the January 2026 agenda of the SPTC board meeting. Edith Palmer seconded the motion. No discussion. Motion carried.

Each of our public guests introduced themselves to the board,

**Action #2:** Mary Brocato made a motion to approve November 2025 minutes of the SPTC board meeting. Valerie Salter seconded the motion. No discussion. Motion carried.

**Action #3:** Edith Palmer made a motion to approve the November and December 2025 financials. Martha Henderson seconded the motion. No discussion. Motion carried.

Old business included an update from Hunter regarding the year ahead look for the America 250 Events. It also included Georgia giving an update on the upcoming LTA annual meeting.

New business included a report from Adrienne Hennis, Advance Travel & Tourism, on the past year and what they have planned for 2026. Georgia informed the board that she would be taking a position on the Louisiana Encore Commission.

**Action #4:** Edith Palmer made a motion to amend the policy regarding taking the Ethic and Sexual Harassment training, that both should be completed by the end of the first quarter each year. Mary Brocato seconded the motion. No discussion. Motion carried.

