## VISIT BATON ROUGE BOARD MINUTES August 25, 2016

A scheduled board meeting of Visit Baton Rouge was held on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at its office located at 359 Third Street.

## Present were:

Mark Drennen Carolyn McKnight Andy Blouin Flynn Foster Ralph Ney C. Denise Marcelle Scott Michelet Pastor Wesley

## Absent:

Mickey Parenton Norman Chenevert

## Present but not participating in formal actions:

Paul Arrigo, Staff Lauralyn Maranto, Staff Barney Doyle, Staff Geraldine Bordelon, Staff Stacy Simon, Staff Karron Alford, Staff Chuck Elkins, Legal Counsel Taylor Bennett, Mesh Design Ben Blackwood, Hampton Inn

Mark Drennen called the meeting to order and opened the meeting for public comment.

Paul Arrigo introduced Ben Blackwood, General Manager at the Hampton Inn and recognized and thanked Taylor Bennett, with Mesh Design for his contribution in the outstanding Visit Baton Rouge video.

On a motion by Pastor Wesley, seconded by Scott Michelet, to approve the June 23, 2016 minutes as presented.

Motion carried.

Barney Doyle presented the Treasurer's Report and reviewed June and July financial statements.

Paul Arrigo presented the President's Report and reviewed upcoming opportunities and events.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.