MAYOR--

and pressing for CZM funding."

According to at least three members of council, no action was taken on the Audrey matter. A recommendation - part of the CZM funding pre-application - passed through council to the governor, but no official action reportedly was taken.

The building, located in downtown Abbeville, was purchased during the Noel administration. At least once since Vorhoff assumed the post, the building and property was placed on the block for sale. This action, according to official minutes, was rescinded. The city - or some of its officials - decided to retain ownership.

The first hint of CZM funding came last summer and was accompanied by similar announcements of funding for other projects, the new by-pass and parish jail facility included.

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Words of a less serious nature may be heard after a period of 4-6 years, this discretion of the court and judge.

The opinion flowed from a request, reportedly made by Broussard in May of year. Specifics involved were not mentioned, nor was word forthcoming regarding the reason for Broussard's opinion request.

AUDREY--

The man who, two years ago, set project turning with a CZM funding pre-application told the Meridional late this week that work on Audrey should commence sometime this year.

"We've waited a long time to get this project going," Abbeville Mayor J. C. Vorhoff intoned, "and now it looks as if we can do something with the old building."

The structure, reportedly purchased by the city during the Noel administration, has stood idle for years. Chunks of the roof and broken glass have posed a threat to persons walking below and the building has become a nuisance to local law enforcement officials.

Vorhoff, who took office a little over two years ago, says he and others applied for CZM funding shortly thereafter, seeking to reopen the hotel or remodel the quarters for use in some way.

"Actually, the city doesn't have the money in hand," Vorhoff added, "but it's there waiting for us."

According to Vorhoff, all that's lacking is a final funding application, this to be submitted by project engineers.

City hall, along with the city's utility and tax offices, will move into new quarters once work on Audrey is completed.

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bushels per acre. These fields are yielding lower because of the excessive rainfall at the beginning of the planting year," the agent pointed out.

Another reason that these fields have experienced lower yields are that herbicides, washed into the ground by the rain, caused

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NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Limits on donations to candidates for national office are drawing barbs.