

# Ward 5 eblast

Sunday, November 8, 2020

Good morning all...

Wednesday, November 11, is Veterans Day. I'll bet you know quite a few veterans; be sure to give them a heartfelt THANK YOU when you see them. They've certainly earned it.

*Paul*

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## Meetings this week...

- [Tree Committee](#)
- [Develop. Review Committee \(DRC\)](#)
- [City Council](#)

## Bits & Pieces...

- All city offices are closed Nov. 11
  - [BNews Special Hurricane Edition](#)
  - [City jobs available](#)
  - [Short Term Rental guidelines](#)
  - [Short Term Rental D.O.R. video](#)
  - [Council discusses short term rental](#)
  - [Council minutes, 01/01/20 -present](#)
- Earlier minutes can be found by following links at the top of the page.
- [Weekly department reports](#)
  - [See the Docket](#) Your tax \$\$\$...
  - [See Traffic/Road closures](#)
  - [BTV, watch online](#)

### BTV this week

[Tuesday 11/03/20](#)

[Friday 07/02/20](#)

## Who to contact for...

- City complaints or concerns  
228.435.6271, [cross@biloxi.ms.us](mailto:cross@biloxi.ms.us)
- Trash or garbage issues?  
Dial 228.701.9086  
Press 1, Waste Management (garbage)  
Press 2, Pelican Waste (trash)
- *Water, Sewer, Gas, or Drainage emergency after working hours?*  
Call BPD Dispatch: 228.392.0641
- Streetlight issues, [Ward 5](#)  
MS Power, 1.800.487.3275

**Next Council meeting:** Tuesday, November 10, 1:30 pm [Agenda](#)  
*Of particular interest...* [Click here to view the Council meeting live](#)

- (1) [4A Appoint President of the city council](#)
- (2) [4B Appoint Vice President of the city council](#)
- (3) [5A Amend city budget, FY20, to include COVID-19 expenses incurred](#)
- (4) [5D Accept donation of generator from Home Depot to Fire Station #2](#)
- (5) [5F Funding agreement for city's 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan and 2020 Action Plan for use of CDBG \(Community Development Block Grant\) Program](#)
- (6) [5G Purchase of property from Mississippi Power Company](#)

**Highlights of this past week's Council Meeting...** [Video \(1:21:06\)](#)

- (1) Removed from agenda... Appoint Council President, Nathan Barrett
- (2) Removed from agenda... Appoint Council Vice Pres., Paul Tisdale
- (3) Denied short-term rental, 120 Acacia Avenue
- (4) Approved LED lighting for Popp's Ferry pickleball courts
- (5) Approved change order, Saenger Theatre, exterior repairs
- (6) Approved waiver of building permits for primary residential repairs and commercial repairs for 6 months following Hurricane Zeta



Biloxi, Point Cadet oyster houses, circa 1906

## Send me your thoughts on [Pennzoil-McManus Park](#)...

The walking track, repaved 18-24 months ago and is good shape. The lights were repaired several weeks ago. There are trees down from Hurricane Zeta that will be removed. The playground equipment is so old that parts for repair must be made by hand. So, I'm working to get both sets of equipment replace. *What else would you like to see at this park?*

## Community Court date change due to Veterans' Day holiday...

Community Court's monthly session has been re-scheduled from Wednesday, November 11 to Wednesday, November 18.

## Care to donate a turkey or ham for Thanksgiving?

Consider Gulf Coast Rescue Mission, 2750 Mission Lane (on the Biloxi side of DeBuys Road), 228.388.3884 or [office@grcm.com](mailto:office@grcm.com). Random acts of kindness are appreciated!