

Ward 5 eblast

Sunday, November 7, 2021

Your city council conducted a First Reading of the proposed new ward lines which are to be established after every decennial census.

A slight change for Ward 5... that portion of Bay Vista subdivision west of Rich Ave. to Churchill Ave., south of Old Bay Rd, currently in Ward 4 becomes part of Ward 5 *if* the map proposed is approved by Council... barring any last minute tweaks!

[Proposed ward map](#)

[Current ward map](#)

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Public meetings this week...

- [Develop Rev Committee \(DRC\)](#)
- [Tree Committee](#)

Bits & Pieces...

- [Special Needs Kickball, Nov. 9](#)
- ▶ All city offices are closed, Nov. 11
- [Senior Thanksgiving Breakfast](#)
- [Street sweeping schedule, Nov.](#)
- [Traffic notes & street sweeping](#)
- [City job postings](#)
- [See Traffic/Road closures](#)

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[Friday 11/05/21](#)

Who to contact for...

- City complaints or concerns
228.435.6271, 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 Dispatch: 228.392.0641
- Streetlight issues, [Ward 5](#),
Call MS Power: 1.800.487.3275

▶ There is no Council meeting this week.

The next Council meeting is Tuesday, November 16, 2021, 1:30 pm

Highlights of this past week's Council Meeting... [Video \(41:08\)](#)

- 1) Approved the purchase of several vehicles for the city
- 2) Approved agreement with engineering firm for small craft and commercial harbor repairs
- 3) Authorized payment to Gulf Regional Planning Commission
- 4) Approved option agreement with Spinner Real Estate Holdings for vacant space (2 parcels) across from city hall
- 5) Conducted First Reading for proposed ward lines (required after census)



The Old Brick House, Bayview Avenue, view from the south, 2011.

This historic structure has been restored after several major hurricanes. The historic sign reads: Site granted by Spanish to Jean Baptiste Carquote in 1790. Residence in Civil War of Mayor John L. Henley, who led defense against Union fleet, Sept., 1861. Restoration by Biloxi Garden Clubs.

You can make a difference this holiday season...

Gulf Coast Rescue Mission is now accepting turkeys and canned vegetables for this year's holiday season needs. Donations may be dropped off at 2750 Mission Lane ([just off Debuys Road, between Pass Road and WLOX TV13](#)). For more information, 228.280.8375.

First Friday... [Bucktown All-Stars](#) [Crowd](#) [The District on Howard](#)

The first Friday of the month, "First Friday", in downtown Biloxi is a great opportunity to hear local musicians and other groups. No admission charge and access to food and beverage vendors makes for a good time!

Council meeting minutes... [Archive of Council minutes](#)

The Council clerks have taken steps to make Council minutes available to the public sooner than ever. You'll see the agenda, resolutions, how council members voted on the issues, and their attendance. Although the docket is not included, I do provide a link in my eblasts to see the docket.