

# Ward 5 eblast

Saturday, August 19, 2023

A [Boil Water Notice](#) is in effect for Eastview Dr. and Westview Dr. due to a water line break Friday morning.

The reconstructed Main Street railroad crossing is projected to open about September 1, after the asphalt paving has "cured" and the intersection has been striped.

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## Public meetings this week...

- [Develop Rev Committee \(DRC\)](#)
- [Architect. & Hist. Review Comm.](#)
- [City Council](#)

## Bits & Pieces...

- The City's Sports Hall of Fame banquet is Sunday, August 27, 3:00 pm, at the Civic Center. It's open to the public; no charge!
- [Seafood Museum Hall of Fame nomination form, due August 31](#)
- [Katrina infrastructure update](#)
- [Heat Index chart](#)
- [Docket... It's your money!](#)
- [Traffic notes & street sweeping](#)
- [City job postings](#)
- [Weekly department reports](#)
- [BTV, watch online](#)

**Biloxi A to Z**

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## 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 Dispatch: 228.392.0641
- Streetlight issues, [Ward 5](#),  
Call MS Power: 1.800.487.3275

► The next Council meeting is Tuesday, August 22, 1:30 pm [Agenda](#)

- A budget workshop will be conducted following the Council meeting.

*Of particular interest...*

- 1) [4A First Reading, Increase garbage collection and disposal fee](#)
- 2) [4B First Reading, Rezone 18 parcels between Lameuse St. & Elmer St.](#)
- 3) [4C Increase annual short-term rental application fee, other requirements](#)
- 4) [4D Reduce berthing rates for charter boats](#)
- 5) [5A Homeowner relocation assistance due to Neighborhood Access road](#)
- 6) [5H Declare real property surplus and authorize sale, Alice Drive](#)
- 7) [5J Change order, Point Cadet Marina improvements, add 313 days](#)

**Council action on this past week's meeting/agenda...** [Video \(3:33:04\)](#)

To see Council action on individual agenda items [click here](#)



General Motor's Parade of Progress arrived in Biloxi on December 19, 1936... pictured on the Biloxi-D'Iberville bridge (Thanks to Biloxi Library)

## BEA1, 2, 3 infrastructure update... [Video update](#) [Progress maps](#)

Significant work that remains between Debuys Road – Beauvoir Road:  
...Install all water, sewer and drainage from Debuys Road to Edgewater Mall  
...Tie-in of newly installed water and sewer mains, remove existing water and sewer mains, between Edgewater Mall and Beauvoir Road  
...Tie-in water and sewer services to residences and businesses  
...Pave roads  
...Contract duration runs to July, 2025; the contractor is ahead of schedule  
...Sidewalk cleanup is the City's responsibility unless it was damaged or removed by the contractor during installation of the utilities  
...Silt fencing's being removed; weed eating last week in Aug. or early Sept.

## City emergency sirens...

The city's ten emergency sirens have not been used for several years because they are no longer operable due to lightning strikes; it would cost several hundred thousand dollars to service and repair them. Because it's quicker, the city encourages residents to use electronic emergency notification. Subscribe: [B-Alert \(free\)](#) [Bmail \(free\)](#) [City's facebook page \(free\)](#)