

Ward 5 eblast

Saturday, September 16, 2023

Thank you to all who attended the [Ward 5 meeting](#) Wednesday.

The proposed FY2024 (2023-24) [tax levy](#) and [city budget](#) were approved at Tuesday's council meeting. The 2024 fiscal year begins October 1.

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Public meetings this week...

- [Develop Rev Committee \(DRC\)](#)
- [Planning Commission](#)
 - ▶ Conditional Use for new duplex, 2730 Fernwood Road
- [City Council](#)

Bits & Pieces...

- [Ward 5 meeting 09/13/23 \(video\)](#)
- [Christmas art contest](#)
- [Library Calendar of Events](#)
- [Docket... It's your money!](#)
- [Traffic notes & street sweeping](#)
- [City job postings](#)
- [Weekly department reports](#)
- [Crime mapping](#)
- [MS Driver Handbook Manual](#)

Biloxi A to Z

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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

▶ The next Council meeting is Tuesday, September 19, 1:30 pm [Agenda Of particular interest...](#)

- 1) [4A Amend Chapter 12, Article IV parades](#)
- 2) [4B Amend Section 2-14-5\(B\) other conditions pertaining to city facilities](#)
- 3) [4C Amend Chapter 12 Article XII mobile food vending](#)
- 4) [4D Amend Article 23-4-3\(D\)\(10\) pertaining to recreational vehicle park](#)
- 5) [4E Amend Article 23-4-4\(C\)\(22\) pertaining to heavy trucks, trailers, etc.](#)
- 6) [4F Amend Article 23-4-5\(G\) pertaining to Special Events](#)
- 7) [4G Licenses & business regulations: add Article XIII, ambulance services](#)
- 8) [4H Licenses & business regulations, add Article XIV, alcoholic beverages](#)
- 9) [5C Restated lease, use and management agreement, Catholic Diocese](#)
- 10) [5D MOU, Amendment 1, Harrison County, D'Iberville and Biloxi](#)
- 11) [5F Change order 2, Popp's Ferry Recreational Complex Restroom](#)
- 12) [5I Acceptance of Risk Management Insurance Program](#)

- Council action on this past week's meeting/agenda... [Video \(1:28:09\)](#)
- To see Council action on individual agenda items [click here](#)
- There is no Council meeting next week.



Coast Guard Station, Biloxi, no date. Current site of Waterfront Park, northeast of the Seafood Museum. (Thanks to Billy J. Carroll)

Water & Sewer rates...

Just a reminder that new water and sewer rates are effective October 1st. To see the new rates [click here](#). *What's that HCUA charge that appears on my water bill?* [Click here](#) More about that HCUA charge: *What's Biloxi's share of the HCUA debt?* \$38,695,038. *How much longer do we pay it?* HCUA debt was refinanced in 2020; the bonds were split into 4 parts (A, B, C, D) and range in payoff dates from 2025 to 2040. [See the Finance Report, last page.](#) (A special thank you to HCUA Executive Director, Mr. John Wilson, for this information.)