

# Ward 5 eblast

Saturday, March 23, 2024

The next Ward 5 meeting is Wednesday, 6:00 pm, at the Donal Snyder Recreation Center.

[Click here to see the agenda.](#)

This meeting is open to the public. Hope to see you there!

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## Public meetings this week...

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

## Bits & Pieces...

- City offices are closed Fri, Mar. 29 in observance of Good Friday
- [Special Council meeting, Biloxi Firefighters Union \(30:46\)](#)
- [Biloxi Shuckers baseball](#)
- [City Sports HOF nomination form](#)
- City splash Pads open March 29
- [Docket... It's your money!](#)
- [Traffic notes & street sweeping](#)
- [City job postings](#)
- [Weekly department reports](#)
- [Crime mapping](#)

**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)
- Animal Control: 228.392.0641
- 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, March 26, 1:30 pm [Agenda](#)  
*Of particular interest...*

- 1) [4A First Reading, Zoning change, 2790 Beach Blvd. & 126 Debuys Rd.](#)
- 2) [4B First Reading, Zoning change, 308 & 309 Moffett Road](#)
- 3) [4C First Reading, Zoning change, 287 Iroquois Street](#)
- 4) [4D First Reading, Amend 12-13-8, business regulations - ambulances](#)
- 5) [4E Amend Sect. 4-1-2, control and protection of animals, in general](#)
- 6) [4F Amend Sect. 14-1-11, entertainment & amplified sound at public sites](#)
- 7) [4G Amend Sect. 10.5-2-1, berthing rates, Point Cadet Marina & harbor](#)
- 8) [4I Levy a tax of up to 2% on hotels/motel rooms, short-term rentals, B&Bs](#)

**Council action on this past week's meeting/agenda...** [Video \(1:17:04\)](#)

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



Water Street, 124, Biloxi, circa 1915 (Randazzo Collection, MDAH)

## **Peer Operated Respite program...** [Advisory Board Application](#) [FAQ](#) [Video](#)

A Peer Operated Respite is a non-clinical alternative/supplement to other mental health services including the emergency room. It's a place where people can stay for up to two weeks while in, or to avoid, a behavioral health crisis. This program is new to Mississippi and [Mental Health Association of South Mississippi](#) (MHASM) is proud to be one of the first locations. We're looking for Respite Advisory Board members. If you're interested contact us: 228.864.6274 or [nbedsole@msmentalhealth.org](mailto:nbedsole@msmentalhealth.org).

## **Council comments at this week's meeting...**

(Turn up your sound...the comments are hard to hear; this audio issue has been pointed out to the mayor for a couple of years now.)

**Lawrence** (W1): [Sound quality](#) [Employee pay](#) [\\$5M bond issue](#) [St. Patrick parade](#) [Porter-Querens connector road](#) **Gines** (W2): [Henry Beck Park fence](#) **Newman** (W3): No report **Deming** (W4): [Thanks Supervisor Nathan Barrett](#) **Tisdale** (W5): [Ward meeting](#) [Short-term rental inspections](#) [Employee Pay workshop, April 16](#) **Glavan** (W6): [Savannah Estates](#) [Oakridge Place ditches](#) [Holloway ballfields](#) [Popp's Ferry Rd pothole](#) [Eddie Loftin, Athletic Director](#) [Condolences to Wetzel family](#) **Shoemaker** (W7): [Inauguration](#) [Thank you Ward 7](#)