

# Ward 5 eblast

Saturday, July 4, 2026

Interested in learning how the Biloxi Police Department serves the community? Obtaining a better understanding of BPD does? And, why they do what they do? Here's your chance! The 6<sup>th</sup> annual [Citizen's Police Academy](#) application deadline is July 30<sup>th</sup>; space is limited to 25 so apply early.

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## Public meetings this week...

- [Develop Rev Committee \(DRC\)](#)
- [Architect. & Historical Commission](#)
- [City Council](#)

## Bits & Pieces...

- [July BNews](#)
- [Sales Tax Holiday coming up](#)
- [Docket... It's your money!](#)
- [Traffic notes & street sweeping](#)
- [City job postings](#)
- [Weekly department reports](#)
- [See Traffic/Road closures](#)
- [BTV, watch online](#)

## Who to contact for...

- City complaints or concerns  
[bconnect@biloxi.ms.us](mailto:bconnect@biloxi.ms.us) or  
228.435.6271
- 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 was no Council meeting this past week
- ▶ The next Council meeting is Tuesday, July 7, 6:00 pm [Agenda](#)  
*Of particular interest...*

- 1) [4C Conditional Use, 2 multi-family buildings in NB zone, 245 Porter Ave.](#)
- 2) [4D Authorize issuance of a General Obligation Bond for \\$13,000,000](#)
- 3) [5B Declare items surplus and authorize to sell at auction](#)
- 4) [5G Declaring real property surplus \(128 Rue Magnolia\) and leasing](#)
- 5) [5J Interlocal agreement, MVHA, among Biloxi, Gulfport & D'Iberville](#)
- 6) [5P Submission of FY2026 Defense Community Infrastructure Program for funding to be utilized to improve infrastructure, MS Cyber Center](#)
- 7) [5R Beautification Commission to manage City's Adopt-An-Area program](#)



I-110 bridge, opened in 1975 and replaced the old 1927 bridge, Biloxi  
(Thanks to Victor Smith)

## City splash pads...

City splash pads are open daily, 9:00 am to 8:00 pm: [Hiller Park](#), [behind Margaret Sherry Library](#), [John Henry Beck Park](#), and [Point Cadet](#).

## City finance...

The administration has begun the process of constructing the Fiscal Year 2027 budget. If you're interested in following that process, you'll find information, updated periodically, posted on [my website](#). Click on [Useful Links](#). There you'll find links to documents and budget workshop videos for the past several years.

## CDBG Public Hearing #2... [See the handout with additional information](#)

A second Public Hearing for the 2026 Action Plan, Community Development Block Grant Entitlement program was conducted Tuesday, June 23, 2026. Written comments may be delivered to Paula Snyder, Federal Programs Manager at 214- A Delauney Street in downtown Biloxi; emailed to [psnyder@biloxi.ms.us](mailto:psnyder@biloxi.ms.us); or mailed to Biloxi Federal Programs Manager P.O. Box 429 Biloxi, MS 39533. All written comments must be received by 4:00 pm, Friday, July 24, 2026, to be considered in the 2026 Action Plan.