

**Board of Supervisors  
Of  
Lamar County, Mississippi**

<b>Board Meeting</b>
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**Date: December 18, 2025,**

**Time: 9:00 A.M.**

**Public Forum:**

1. Micah Huffman, with Pine Burr Area Council, wishes to address the board.
2. Colby Sappington, Gallagher, to present annual insurance renewal updates for Property and Casualty, Cyber, and Worker’s Compensation.

**Bid Opening:**

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**Public Hearing:**

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**Consent Agenda Items (A thru L):**

**By:** \_\_\_\_\_ **2<sup>nd</sup>:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Vote:** \_\_\_\_\_

**A. Approval of December 1, 2025, Board Minutes**

**B. Personnel Matters**

1. Termination: Michael Bass, Road Department.
2. Retiring: Laura Love, Circuit Court.
3. Retiring: Larry J. Breazeale, Road Department.
4. Retiring: Jeffrey Stuart, Road Department.
5. Retiring: Rodney Dobson, Road Department.
6. Retiring: Marvin Pittman, Drug Court.
7. Resigned: Von Patterson, Sanitation.
8. Receive and enter from the County Court of Lamar County, Youth Court Division – Order Appointing Public Defender for Representation of Indigent Parents/Guardians and Setting Salary for Chase Smith.
9. Resigned: Stephan Mooney, Fire Department.
10. Status Change: Ben Parker, Central Maintenance.
11. New Hire: Rachel Fowler, Dispatch.
12. New Hire: Destiny Henderson, Dispatch.

13. New Hire: Kristin Pipkin, Dispatch.

**C. Road Department Matters**

1. Approval to set the speed limit at 25 MPH at Copperfield Dr. and Steerforth Dr.

**D. Bids and Claims**

1. Approval of the Board of Supervisors, County Administrator, Comptroller, and Road Manager to attend the Mid-Winter Conference on February 5-7, 2025, at the Sheraton Refuge Hotel and Conference Center.
2. Approval to transfer \$11,063.66 from Sanitation to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
3. Approval to transfer \$80.41 from Buildings and Grounds to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
4. Approval to transfer \$73.56 from Planning Department to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
5. Approval to transfer \$78.56 from Emergency Management to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
6. Approval to transfer \$172.28 from Parks and Recreation to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
7. Approval to transfer \$368.74 from Fire Coordination to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
8. Approval to transfer \$251.43 from Youth Court to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
9. Approval to transfer \$145.16 from Drug Court to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
10. Approval of advertising county resources in accordance with Mississippi Code §17-3-1 for sponsorship of the Oak Grove High School Cheer in the amount of \$1,000.00, to be paid from Fund 014.
11. Approval of renewing Property and Casualty Insurance with Traveler's Insurance Company upon the recommendation of the County Administrator.
12. Approval of renewing Worker's Compensation with Traveler's Insurance upon the recommendation of the County Administrator.
13. Approval of renewing Cyber Insurance with Houston Casualty upon the recommendation of the County Administrator.

**E. School Board Matters**

1. Order approving rental consideration set in lease of 16<sup>th</sup> section lands in Lamar County for Lanell Bowman. (Residential)

**F. Sheriff Department Matters**

1. Approval of paying the lawful expenses for Lance Emfinger to renew his Polygraph Examiners License.
2. Approval to reimburse Betty Daley in the amount of \$69.00 for required membership dues to the American Jail Association.
3. Rate Change: Mason Iaconangelo, Sheriff's Department.

4. Approval of Seth Blackmon and Zack McInnis to attend the MLEOTA, basic skills to safety train K-9's on January 15 and 16, 2026.
5. Approval of CJ Mason to attend the RCTA, interview and interrogation, on March 16-20, 2026.
6. New Hire: Hunter S. Bullock, Corrections.
7. Approval to reimburse Melissa Lee \$56.25 for First Aid and CPR cards.
8. Approval for Board President to sign the Office of Justice Programs, Justice Assistance Grant. If awarded, funding will be used to purchase equipment.
9. Resignation: Haley Burger, Corrections.
10. Approval of CJ Mason to attend the RCTA, commercial vehicle interdiction, on February 10-12, 2026.

**G. Planning Matters**

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**H. Fairground/Parks & Recreation Matters**

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**I. Fire Coordination Matters**

1. Approval of paying the lawful expenses for Christopher Peoples Jr to attend 1001 I/II at MS Fire Academy January 5 – February 19, 2026.
2. Approval of paying the lawful expenses for Eric Atkins to attend Fire Instructor I at MS Fire Academy January 5 – 8, 2026.
3. Approval of paying the lawful expenses for Daniel Carney to attend Fire Officer I at MS Fire Academy January 26-29, 2026.
4. Approval to apply and for Board President to sign the CAP loan on behalf of Northeast Lamar Fire Protection District in the amount of \$600,000 for purchase of new Class A pumper.
5. Approval to apply and for Board President to sign the Rural Fire Truck Acquisitions Funds (RFTAP) of \$90,000 to be applied toward new Class A pumper for Northeast Lamar Fire Protection District.
6. Approval to apply and for Board President to sign the Rural Fire Truck Acquisitions Funds (RFTAP) of \$90,000 to be applied toward new Class A pumper for Lamar County (location TBD).

**J. Additional Matters**

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**K. Inventory Matters**

1. Approval of the attached asset deletion list as submitted and dispose of as indicated on the attached inventory deletion form.
2. Approval of the attached asset transfer list as submitted.

**L. Tax Collector/Assessor Matters**

1. Approval of changes in Assessments per attached as submitted by the Tax Collector/Assessor.
2. Approval of changes in Homestead per attached as submitted by the Tax Collector/Assessor.
3. Approval of Tax Sale Cancellations per attached as submitted by the Tax Collector/Assessor.

4. Approval of the surrender of old vehicle tags per attached as submitted by the Tax Collector/Assessor.
5. Receive and enter Mississippi Department of Revenue Order approving FY 2025 Real and Personal Tax Rolls.
6. Approval of the FY 2025 Real and Personal Tax Rolls as approved by the Mississippi Department of Revenue.





**February 2, 2026**

**February 19, 2026**

**March 2, 2026**

**March 19, 2026**

**April 6, 2026**

**April 23, 2026**

**HOLIDAYS:**

**December 25 & 26, 2025 (Christmas)**

**January 1 & 2, 2026 (New Year's)**

**January 19, 2026 (Martin Luther King)**