Board of Supervisors
Of
Lamar County, Mississippi

Board Meeting

Date: November 19, 2026, Time: 9:00 A.M.

Public Forum:

1. Eric Davis, with Wesley Foundation, wishes to present a check to Kids Hub.

Bid Opening:

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Public Hearing:

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Consent Agenda Items (A thru L):
By: _____ 2nd: _____ Vote: _____

A. Approval of the November 2, 2026, Board Minutes

B. Personnel Matters

1. New Hire: James Ellis Campbell, Emergency Management/Dispatch.
2. FMLA Request: Edward Dykes, Road Department.
3. Rehire: Travis Kelly, Central Maintenance.
4. New Hire: Shane B. Sharp, Central Maintenance.
5. New Hire: Austin Ladner, Central Maintenance.
6. New Hire: Jordan Clinton, Central Maintenance.
7. Enter and receive Order from Circuit Court, 15th Judicial District - hiring Case Manager: Tiffany Baudier.
8. Retirement: Wesley N. Keyes, Road Department.
9. New Hire: Aiden Speights, Road Department.
10. New Hire: Thaddeus Friedline, Sanitation.
11. Termination: Thaddeus Friedline, Sanitation.
12. New Hire: Thomas Brown, Road Department.
13. New Hire: Joshua Payne, Road Department.

C. Road Department Matters

1. Approval to amend the road registry to add Plantation Dr. at a length of 2111' and width of 21'.

D. Bids and Claims

1. Approval to transfer $20,950.66 from Sanitation to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
2. Approval to transfer $412.00 from Buildings and Grounds to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
3. Approval to transfer $2,042.06 from Fire Coordination to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
4. Approval to transfer $957.47 from Parks and Rec to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
5. Approval to transfer $110.48 from Planning to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
6. Approval to transfer $123.12 from Emergency Management to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
7. Approval to transfer $114.76 from Coroner to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
8. Approval to transfer $63.13 from Drug Court to County Wide Road for work performed by the Road Department.
9. Approval to transfer $10,000 from Severance Fund (007) to Interfacing Fund (017) to cover expenditures.
10. Approval to issue a 3 year note with Trustmark for $90,000 for the purchase of two pick-up trucks for the fire department.
11. Approval to amend the price for Tommy Jones and James Lee to attend the Mississippi Damage Prevention Summit November 4-6 from $578.00 to $758.00. Non-Pro Tunc
12. Approval for Misty Hood, Carrie Humphries, Melissa Love, and Fleetwood Loustalot to attend the Annual Election Commissioner Training on January 25-28, 2027.
13. Approval to accept the terms of the Letter of Engagement for the revision of Lamar County Employee Handbook by Phelps Dunbar LLP.
14. Consider and approve the request for disbursement of grant funds from the Pine Belt Foundation in the amount of $37,029.15 for the Lamar County Sportsplex Club House project and authorize the Board President to execute and submit the grant funding request letter and any related documents necessary to obtain the funds.
15. Approval to transfer $16,900 from 2019 Road Bond Project Fund (211) to Countywide Road Fund (150) to cover expenditures of road project.
16. Approval to advertise county resources in accordance with Mississippi Code 17-3-1 for sponsorship of the Purvis High Soccer Booster Club in the amount of $300.00, to be paid from Fund 012 and 013.
17. Receive and enter new appointment orders for the court staff of the Fifteenth Circuit Court District and authorization for Board President to sign.

E. School Board Matters

1. Approval of the Lamar County School District School Bus Turnaround as submitted.

2. Approval for Board President to sign the cancellations of 16th sections lands in Lamar County for Lamar County Board of Supervisors.
3. Approval for Board President to sign the 16th sections lands in Lamar County for Lamar County Board of Supervisors.

F. Sheriff Department Matters

1. New Hire: Kylie Savannah Wiggins, Corrections.
2. Approval to reimburse Investigator Jared Barnard in the amount of $233.85 for clothing he was advised to purchase from the Sheriff's Clothing allowance for plain clothes officers (State Statue (19-25-13).
3. Approval to reimburse Investigator Blake McAlpin in the amount of $359.82 for clothing he was advised to purchase from the Sheriff's Clothing allowance for plain clothes officers (State Statue (19-25-13).
4. Approval for Michael Held to attend the Law Enforcement Risk Management in Slidell, LA on January 6-7, 2027.
5. Approval for Board President to sign the monthly reimbursement request for the Mississippi Office of Justice JAG Grant. The reimbursement is in the amount of $4,499.94.
6. Approval to reimburse Deputy Brett McRaney in the amount of $175.00 for a drone certification training test as a requirement of the FAA.
7. Status Change: Hunter Bullock, Corrections.

G. Planning Matters

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H. Fairground/Parks & Recreation Matters

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I. Fire Coordination Matters

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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.

Business Matters/Discussion Agenda Items:

M. Planning Matters

1. Consideration of approval of the Bellegrass, Neighborhood G, plat for filing purposes only. This phase consists of 8 lots. The subdivision is located on Larkspur Lane in Supervisor District 4.

Motion **Second** **Vote**

2. Discuss Zoning Ordinance updates.

Motion **Second** **Vote**

N. Road Matters

1. Approval to close 1670' of Barber Rd. while leaving 130' open at the beginning of the road.

Motion **Second** **Vote**

O. Bids and Claims

1. Public bids were received and opened for **Project No. STP-0144-00(004) LPA/109895-701000 (Wood Hinton Park - Lumberton, MS)** at 10:00 am on November 17, 2026. The apparent low bid was submitted by Holliday Construction in the amount of **$629,027.70**. Board approval to take the bid under advisement pending review and verification of the bid documents by the County Engineer for compliance with the project specifications and applicable bid requirements. A recommendation regarding award of the contract will be presented to the Board at a subsequent meeting.

Motion **Second** **Vote**

P. Additional Matters

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Q. Under Advisement

1. On Bids for 2027 Day Cab Tractor.

Motion **Second** **Vote**

Next Board Meeting:	**December 7, 2026**
Future Board Meetings:	**December 21, 2026**
	January 4, 2027
	January 21, 2027
	February 1, 2027
	February 18, 2027
	March 1, 2027
	March 18, 2027
HOLIDAYS:	**November 26 & 27, 2026 (Thanksgiving)**
	December 24 & 25, 2026 (Christmas)
	January 1, 2027 (New Year's Day)