



AGENDA
RANKIN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
SID SCARBROUGH, PRESIDENT, PRESIDING
MAY 4, 2026 - 9:00 AM

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND RECOGNITION

- A. Judge Morrow, Judge Ratcliff, Judge Arthur and Allen McDaniel, the Chief of Staff for the Mississippi Department of Public Safety, addressed the board regarding the positive impact of the county's support of a Rankin County dedicated analyst.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

Minutes Approval

- A. April 15, 2026
April 30, 2026

V. CONSENT AGENDA

Consent Agenda Items will be considered together and will be approved on a single motion. Any Supervisor desiring to remove an item for separate consideration should so request before approval of the agenda. Discussion items will be considered separately.

1. APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING:

FINANCIAL REPORTS

- A. Approval of Budget Amendment for Livestock Department to transfer between line items, no increase
- B. Approval of Budget Amendment for an increase in the Road Department for the purchase of a Mower Max Prime Mover and attachments using proceeds from the sale of the Milling Machine
- C. Approve interfund transfer from Fund 150 to Fund 199 for payment of check #1017

AGREEMENTS, GRANTS, LEASES, and UTILITY PERMITS

- D. Ratification to execute service agreement with CSPIRE for internet service at Reservoir Community Center
- E. Authorization to include the provision of county funds for implementation of the Town of Star Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance as a part of services provided by CMPDD under the contract between Rankin County and CMPDD and authority to issue check
- F. Approval of Interagency Agreement between the Rankin County Sheriff's Office and The Parker Children's Center for the Mississippi Statewide Protocol for Child Abuse Response and authority for the Sheriff to execute documents
- G. Approval of Copier Contracts with Southern Duplicating:
 - 1. Tax Collector's Office Brandon
 - 2. Tax Collector's Office Flowood
 - 3. Tax Collector's Office Richland
- H. Authority for EOC to apply for the FY26 Safe Streets and Roads for all (SS4A) Grant to upgrade the 911 System (80/20 match, if the county qualifies for grant funds)
- I. Authority for EOC to accept the Exxon Mobil Grant in the amount of \$7,000.00 and authority for EOC Director and County Administrator to complete required documentation; these funds will be used to purchase a hazardous gas monitor for EOC
- J. Approval of request from Florence High School Softball Booster Club for the FY 2026 Recreational Funds (District 1) in the amount of \$3,033.94 as authorized by HB1744 Regular Session; these funds will be used to complete the outfield fence for the softball field
- K. Request approval of Commercial Lease Agreement Sixteenth Section Trust Lands between Pearl Public School District (Lessor) and Burril Investments (Lessee)
- L. Request for approval of AT&T Utility Permit No. A05AAPH to construct a Fiber Optic Cable along/across Old Pearson Road to be installed between Highway 49 and Johnson Road (District 1)
- M. Request for approval of AT&T Utility Permit No. A05AAHQ to construct a Fiber Optic Cable along/across Monterey Road to be installed between Cabbot Lane and Matthews Drive (District 1)
- N. Request for approval of AT&T Utility Permit No. A05F5J6 to construct a Conduit for Fiber along/across Springwater Ranch Road (District 3)

- O. Request for approval of AT&T Utility Permit No. A05EYSA to construct a Fiber Optic Cable to be installed between Fallen Oaks Drive and First Oak Drive (District 4)
- P. Request for approval of Comcast Utility Permit No. JB0002530895 to construct an Underground Cable along/across Fannin Landing Circle to be installed between Flower Lane and Belle Chasse Drive (District 2)
- Q. Request for approval of Comcast Utility Permit No. JB0002210587 to construct a Buried Cable along/across Star Road to be installed between Highway 18 and Bethel Road (District 3)
- R. Request for approval of Windstream Utility Permit No. 749552403-46154 to construct a Fiber Optic Cable along/across 1105 Old Highway 43 (District 4)

OTHER

- S. Authorization for the Road Department to conduct work requested in writing from the Rankin County School District for county assistance at McLaurin Elementary School to repair the multi-use area near the PE Building pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. 19-3-42(4)

2. AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CHECKS:

DUES and TRAINING CONFERENCES

- A. Authority to pay registration fees in the amount of \$425.00 each for five (5) School Resource Deputies to attend the 2026 Mississippi Association of School Resource Officers Conference (11 deputies in total will be attending, RCSD to pay the registration fees for 6) on July 13 – 17, 2026, in Biloxi, MS and authority to issue check and pay any travel related expenses
- B. Authority to pay tuition fees in the amount of \$4,000.00 each for Jordan McQueary, Chase Perkins, and Jania Logan to attend the Basic Class at MLEOTA on May 10, 2026 – July 23, 2026, and authority to issue check upon receipt of invoice
- C. Authority to pay registration fees in the amount of \$400.00 for Jimmy Jordan to attend the FBI National Academy Mississippi Chapter Summer Conference on July 19 – 23, 2026, in Gulfport, MS and authority to issue check and pay any travel related expenses
- D. Authority to pay registration fees in the amount of \$100.00 each

for Hunter Lewis, Ashley Lambert, Stan Pellgrine, Wes Shivers, Sentel Easterling (fee waived), and Steven Henderson (fee waived) to attend the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers Association (MLEOA) Summer Conference on May 31 – June 6, 2026, in Bay St. Louis, MS and authority to issue check and pay any travel related expenses

- E. Authority for Justin Davis, Kristen Arendale, and Jimmy Rogers to attend the Interview and Interrogation Class on July 1 – July 5, 2026, in Meridian, MS and authority to pay any travel related expenses
- F. Authority to pay tuition fees in the amount of \$1,450.00 for Rebekah Whittington to attend the 2026 State Executive Development Institute through Mississippi State University's John C. Stennis Institute of Government on May 17 – 22, 2026, in Starkville, MS and authority to issue check and pay any travel related expenses
- G. Authority for Caroline Gilbert to attend the 2026 Mississippi Association of Collectors and Assessor's Summer Conference on May 26 – 28, 2026, in Biloxi, MS and authority to pay any travel related expenses
- H. Authority to pay 2026 Membership Dues for the Association of Floodplain Managers of Mississippi (AFMM) in the amount of \$75.00 for Brian Measells and authority to issue check
- I. Authority to pay registration fees in the amount of \$195.00 for Brian Measells to attend the Association of Floodplain Managers of Mississippi Spring Conference on May 11 – 14, 2026, in Bay St. Louis, and authority to issue check and pay any travel related expenses
- J. Authority to pay the Rankin County MHV Renewal Fee in the amount of \$1,000 for the Rankin County Extension Service and authority to issue check
- K. Authority to pay the Rankin County 4-H Renewal Fee in the amount of \$4,000 for the Rankin County Extension Service and authority to issue check
- L. Authority for Brian Grantham and Chriss Watts to attend the AI Learning class on May 29, 2026 in Long Beach, MS and authority to pay any travel related expenses

ADVERTISING COUNTY RESOURCES

- M. Authority to advertise county resources in the amount of \$250.00 with the Town of Puckett for a ¼ page ad for their Rodeo Program

3. Authority to approve the following Personnel

Recommendations:**Sheriff's Department:** Francisco Altieri (New Hire, Part Time Certified Court Services Deputy) at Step 408; **Road Department:** Wendell Barlow (Salary Increase) at Step 378; James Clunan (New Hire, Operator) at Step 349; Cody Ferguson (Salary Increase) at Step 378; Garrett Pate (New Hire, Part Time Laborer) at Step 220; **Tax Collector's Office:** Kendall Stamps (New Hire, Deputy Clerk for Solid Waste) at Step 314; **Chancery Clerk's Office (Land Records):** Abie Bruff-Guy (New Hire, Deputy Clerk) at Step 359;

4. Record various documents to be made a permanent part of the minutes

VI. CAROLINE GILBERT, TAX COLLECTOR

- A. Authority to void the 2025 and 2026 Mobile Home Tax Bills for Mobile Home Account #27078 and authority to reverse and refund any payments made; this mobile home has been assessed as real property and should not receive a mobile home tax bill
- B. Authority to void the 2026 Mobile Home Tax Bills for Mobile Home Account #27147 and authority to reverse and refund any payments made; this mobile home has been assessed as real property and should not receive a mobile home tax bill
- C. Authority to void the Mobile Home Tax Bill(s) for Mobile Home Account #17353; this mobile home has been assessed as real property and should not receive a mobile home tax bill
- D. Authority to void the 2022-2026 Mobile Home Tax Bills for Mobile Home Account #7691 and authority to delete the Mobile Home Account; this mobile home was moved to Laurel and has not been on the property since 2021
- E. Authority to void and refund the 2025 Chargeback for PPIN 17252-01; this chargeback was erroneously placed due to social security number discrepancies

VII. STACI MCNINCH, TAX ASSESSOR

- A. Petitions to adjust 2025 Homestead Exemption Supplemental Roll
- B. Petitions for change of assessment on 2025 Real and 2020, 2022, 2023, 2024, and 2025 Personal Property Assessments
- C. Authority to void 2024 tax sale and refund any tax sale purchaser(s) for Parcel Number D6F-1-41 and request that the Tax Collector's Office void the 2024 and 2025 tax bills and generate corrected statements; the aforementioned parcel was not transferred to the correct owner

VIII. MIKE HARRISON, ROAD MANAGER

- A. Road Work Accomplished for March 2026 and Road Work Scheduled for May 2026

IX. TIM PARKER, COUNTY ENGINEER

- A. Old Highway 49 Overlay Project – Authority for Board President to execute Contract Documents (District 1)
- B. Motion to add the following to the agenda:
Authorize the Chief LPA Official (President of the Rankin County Board of Supervisors) to execute the MOA on the Pisgah High School Shared Used Path project through the Mississippi Department of Transportation's TA Program (District 4)
- C. Authorize the Chief LPA Official (President of the Rankin County Board of Supervisors) to execute the MOA on the Pisgah High School Shared Used Path project through the Mississippi Department of Transportation's TA Program (District 4)

X. CRAIG SLAY, BOARD ATTORNEY

Public Hearings:

- A. Public Hearing for Pamela Hervey Request for Private Cemetery, McLin Circle (District 1)
 - 1. Action on Pamela Hervey
- B. Public Hearing for Bailey Permenter Conditional Use Permit, 291 Baker Lane (District 4)
 - 1. Action on Bailey Permenter

Other:

- C. Authority of county coroner to handle cremation of an unclaimed body (Beverly Williams) pursuant to the county's Indigent Cremation Policy and authority to issue check to Chancellor Funeral Home upon receipt of invoice

XI. ADDITIONAL BUSINESS TO BE DISCUSSED

XII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A. Motion to discuss the need to go into Executive Session
- B. Motion to go into Executive Session to discuss county-owned property and potential litigation
- C. Motion to come out of Executive Session
The record reflects no action taken.

XIII. RECESS UNTIL 5/15/2026, AT 9:00 A.M.

