

CITY OF OCEAN SPRINGS Board of Aldermen
Special Call Meeting April 2, 2026 - Minutes

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Ocean Springs met in a Special Call Meeting at City Hall at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, 2026. A public notice stating the place, date, time, and subject matter of the meeting was posted within one hour of the meeting being called, both on the City's website and at City Hall, where it was available for public examination and inspection.

Mayor Cox presided. Aldermen Stennis, Wade, Hinton, Pfeiffer, Blackman, and Messenger were present. Alderman Tillis was absent. City Attorney David Harris Jr., City Clerk/Finance Director Christine Millard, Deputy City Clerk Vicky Hupe, Police Captain Brian Kestner, and Parks Assistant Director Duvale Brown were also present.

The Mayor called the meeting to order.

A motion was made by Alderman Pfeiffer, seconded by Alderman Hinton, and unanimously carried to accept the agenda.

The object of the meeting will be any matters pertaining to:

1. Executive Session: Special Event Lease

A motion was made by Alderman Hinton, seconded by Alderman Blackman, and unanimously carried to go into a closed session to determine the necessity of going into executive session.

The City Clerk returned to the meeting and announced that a motion was made by Alderman Wade, seconded by Alderman Pfeiffer, and unanimously carried to go into executive session to discuss the lease of land for a special event, pursuant to Mississippi Code § 25-41-7(4)(c) and § 25-41-7(4)(g).

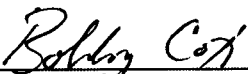
A motion was made by Alderman Blackman, seconded by Alderman Pfeiffer, and unanimously carried to come out of executive session, where the following actions were taken:

A motion was made by Alderman Blackman, seconded by Alderman Stennis, and unanimously carried to authorize the Mayor to execute location agreements for the Highway 57 Sports Complex and Marshall Park.

A motion was made by Alderman Blackman, seconded by Alderman Wade, and unanimously carried to approve the Marshall Park event action plans, road closures, and overnight security.

A motion was made by Alderman Blackman, seconded by Alderman Pfeiffer, and unanimously carried to adjourn.

The meeting ended at 4:42 p.m.



Mayor Cox



City Clerk C. Millard





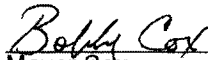
**Mayor & Board of Aldermen
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