

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THERE WAS BEGUN AND HELD A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI ON MARCH 17, 2015 AT 6:00 P.M. IN THE BOARDROOM OF SAID CITY.

THOSE PRESENT	MAYOR HAL MARX
ATTORNEY	TOM TYNER
ALDERMEN	BRAD AMACKER CRAIG BULLOCK DAVID CLAYTON TONY DUCKER CLINT MOORE STEVE STRINGER
OTHERS	VALERIE WILSON ADA MADISON ALLEN FLYNT AND MANY OTHERS

MAYOR MARX DECLARED A QUORUM PRESENT AND DECLARED THE CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION.

THE INVOCATION WAS OFFERED BY CRAIG BULLOCK

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED.

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE AGENDA WITH THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS

PROCLAMATIONS & RESOLUTIONS

REQUEST TO ADOPT PROCLAMATION DECLARING MARCH AS RED CROSS MONTH.

GENERAL BUSINESS

REQUEST TO DONATE A SURPLUS FIELD DRAG TO PETAL SLOW PITCH ASSOCIATION.

REQUEST TO AUTHORIZE MAYOR MARX TO SEND A LETTER TO MDOT REGARDING MOWING EVELYN GANDY PARKWAY.

SEMINARS & TRAVEL

REQUEST FOR THE PETAL FIRE DEPT TO HOST A DRIVER OPERATOR CLASS AT PETAL FIRE DEPT. COST IS \$1950.00 + \$55.00 FOR EACH MANUAL, TO BE SHARED EQUALLY ACCORDING TO THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS ATTENDING THE CLASS.

ORDERS & ORDINANCES

REQUEST TO ADOPT ORDER HIRING JESSE MATHIS FULL TIME IN THE WATER DPET AT A RATE OF \$10.50 PER HOUR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE AGENDA WITH THE FOREGOING AMENDMENTS. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF MARCH 3, 2015 AND THE SPECIAL MEETING OF MARCH 11, 2015.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF MARCH 3, 2015 AND THE SPECIAL MEETING OF MARCH 11, 2015 AS WRITTEN. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER

ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX CALLED FOR PUBLIC COMMENT.

THERE WAS NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING PROCLAMATION DECLARING MARCH AS "RED CROSS MONTH"

EXHIBIT "A"

PROCLAMATION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING PROCLAMATION.  
ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SEND ONE (1) FORD F250 FROM THE WATER DEPT TO AUCTION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE SENDING ONE (1) FORD F250, VIN# 1FTNX205X5EB86486, FROM THE WATER DEPT TO AUCTION. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO REMOVE THE FOLLOWING FIREFIGHTERS FROM THE PART TIME LIST

- SHANE ATKINS
- RANDY BERRY
- KEITH EDWARDS
- LUKE FORDHAM
- LANDON FORDHAM
- SCOTT ROBERTS
- CHARLES SMITH

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN BULLOCK MADE A MOTION TO REMOVE THE FOREGOING FIREFIGHTERS FROM THE PART TIME LIST. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ACCEPT THE PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION TO DENY APPROVAL OF THE SITE PLAN FOR PROPOSED ICEHOUSE ON EASTBROOK DR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THEREUPON, ALLEN FLYNT STATED THAT SOME SPECIFICATIONS WERE NOT COMPLETE ON THE LAND ACQUISITION FOR THE ICEHOUSE SO THEY WOULD BE RESUBMITTING AT A LATER DATE.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER WITHDREW HIS MOTION.

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ACCEPT THE PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION TO DENY THE SIGN VARIANCE FOR THE WHARF SEAFOOD RESTAURANT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO GRANT THE SIGN VARIANCE FOR THE WHARF SEAFOOD RESTAURANT. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

ALDERMAN TONY DUCER

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SET A SPECIAL EXCEPTION HEARING DATE FOR PROPERTY LOCATED ON AZALEA DR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO SET A SPECIAL EXCEPTION HEARING DATE OF APRIL 14, 2015 AT 6:00 P.M. FOR PROPERTY LOCATED ON AZALEA DR. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DISPOSE OF ONE (1) TOSHIBA SATTELITE A105 LAPTOP IN THE BUILDING DEPT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPOSAL OF ONE (1) TOSHIBA SATTELITE A105 LAPTOP IN THE BUILDING DEPT. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SPONSOR A CORPORATE TABLE AT THE PETAL AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 2015 PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANTS LUNCHEON

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO SPONSOR A CORPORATE TABLE AT THE PETAL AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 2015 PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANTS LUNCHEON AT A COST OF \$250.00. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER

ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DISPOSE OF ONE (1) TOSHIBA SATTELITE L670 LAPTOP IN THE BUILDING DEPT

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPOSAL OF ONE (1) TOSHIBA SATTELITE L670 LAPTOP IN THE BUILDING DEPT. ALDERMAN BULLOCK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DISPOSE OF ONE (1) HP COLOR LASERJET CP1518ni IN THE BUILDING DEPT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPOSAL OF ONE (1) HP COLOR LASERJET CP1581ni IN THE BUILDING DEPT. ALDERMAN DUCKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO REFUND T. L. CURRY FOR OVERPAYMENT OF PRIVILEGE LICENSE.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO REFUND T. L. CURRY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$48.40 FOR OVERPAYMENT ON PRIVILEGE LICENSE. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ADJUST PENALTY FEES BILLED TO 110 WILSON DR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO ADJUST PENALTY FEES BILLED TO 110 WILSON DR IN THE AMOUNT OF \$75.00. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DISPOSE OF ONE (1) ORION TELEVISION IN THE POLICE DEPT

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN MOORE MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPOSAL OF ONE (1) ORION TELEVISION IN THE POLICE DEPT. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR ADJUSTMENT TO WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 1403 OLD RICHTON RD

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE AN ADJUSTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$89.50 TO WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 1403 OLD RICHTON RD. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DISPOSE OF ONE (1) IMAGISTICS UB04C COPIER IN THE JUDICIAL DEPT

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPOSAL OF ONE (1) IMAGISTICS UB04C COPIER IN THE JUDICIAL DEPT. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE PRIVILEGE LICENSE REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2015.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE PRIVILEGE LICENSE REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2015. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR ADJUSTMENT TO WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 202 LEEVILLE RD

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE AN ADJUSTMENT TO WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 202 LEEVILLE RD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$568.00. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO AUTHORIZE FIRE DEPT EMPLOYEES TO TRAVEL TO GULFPORT, MS ON SATURDAY MARCH 21, 2015 TO HELP MAN FIRESTATIONS WHILE THEIR EMPLOYEES ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES FOR A FELLOW FIREFIGHTER'S CHILDREN.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE FIRE DEPT EMPLOYEES TO TRAVEL TO GULFPORT, MS ON SATURDAY MARCH 21, 2015 TO HELP MAN FIRESTATIONS WILE THEIR EMPLOYEES ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES FOR A FELLOW FIREFIGHTER'S CHILDREN. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DONATE A SURPLUS FIELD DRAG TO THE PETAL SLOW PITCH ASSOCIATION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE DONATION OF A SURPLUS FIELD DRAG TO THE PETAL SLOW PITCH ASSOCIATION. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO SEND A LETTER TO MDOT REGARDING MOWING ON EVELYN GANDY PARKWAY

EXHIBIT "B"

LETTER

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN DUCKER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO SEND THE FOREGOING LETTER TO MDOT. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR THE FOLLOWING TO ATTEND URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE CLASS IN HATTIESBURG, MS ON MARCH 23 – 27, 2015

- MARION SIMS
- TIMMY DYE
- SCOTT HINNANT
- ANDY KLEM

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE FOREGOING FIREFIGHTERS TO ATTEND URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE CLASS IN HATTIESBURG, MS ON MARCH 23 – 27, 2015 AT NO COST. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR THE PETAL FIRE DEPT TO HOST A DRIVER OPERATOR CLASS AT THE PETAL FIRE DEPT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PETAL FIRE DEPT TO HOST A DRIVER OPERATOR CLASS AT THE PETAL FIRE DEPT. TOTAL COST OF \$1950.00 + \$55.00 FOR EACH MANUAL TO BE SPLIT EQUALLY DEPENDING ON NUMBER OF STUDENTS ATTENDING. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE REMOVING TIME RESTRICTIONS ON POLITICAL SIGNS

EXHIBIT "C"

ORDINANCE 1979 (42-A391)

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE. ALDERMAN DUCKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO HIRE JESSE MATHIS FULL TIME IN THE WATER DEPT AT A RATE OF \$10.50 PER HOUR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO TABLE THE REQUEST. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE

ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER  
THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO CLEAR THE ROOM TO SEE THE NEED FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO CLEAR THE ROOM TO DETERMINE THE NEED FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

NO OFFICIAL ACTION WAS TAKEN DURING EXECUTIVE SESSION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE REGULAR MEETING. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER  
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK  
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON  
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER  
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE  
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI WAS ADJOURNED ON MARCH 17, 2015.





MAYOR HAL MARX

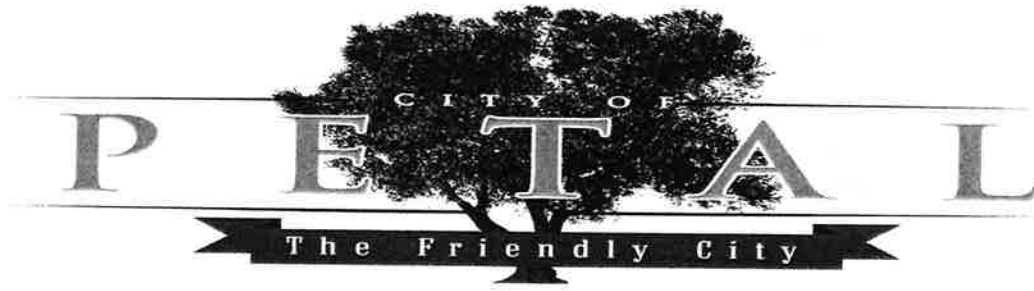


SEAL

ATTEST



MELISSA MARTIN, CITY CLERK



AMERICAN RED CROSS MONTH 2015

March is American Red Cross Month - a special time to recognize and thank our Everyday Heroes – those who reach out to help their neighbors when they are in need.

American Red Cross heroes are on the front lines every day. They volunteer their time, give blood, take life-saving courses or provide financial donations to help those in need.

We would like to remember our heroes here in Petal who give to help people in need. They work tirelessly to help in time of disaster, when someone needs life-saving blood, or the comfort of a helping hand. They provide round-the-clock support to members of the military, veterans and their families, and teach lifesaving classes in CPR, aquatics safety and first aid.

Across the country and around the world, the American Red Cross responded to hurricanes, tornadoes, floods and wildfires, the tragedy at the Boston Marathon, and typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines.

When an injured service member ended up in a hospital far from home, the American Red Cross offered comfort. When a hospital patient needed blood, American Red Cross blood donors helped them. When a lifeguard jumped in to save a drowning child or someone stepped up to help a heart attack victim, the American Red Cross was there.

We dedicate the month of March to all those who support the American Red Cross mission to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of emergencies. Our community depends on the American Red Cross, which relies on donations of time, money and blood to fulfill its humanitarian mission.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Hal Marx, Mayor of Petal, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of Petal and Mississippi do hereby proclaim March 2015 as American Red Cross Month. I encourage all Americans to support this organization and its noble humanitarian mission.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17TH day of MARCH, in the year of our Lord two thousand fifteen, and of the City of Petal, Mississippi.

  
HAL MARX, MAYOR

Hal Marx  
Mayor

Melissa Martin  
City Clerk

Thomas W. Tyner  
City Attorney



Aldermen  
564 Brad Amacker  
Craig Bullock  
David Clayton  
Tony Ducker  
William King  
Clint Moore  
Steve Stringer

March 17, 2015

Mr. David Gray  
Mississippi Department of Transportation  
6356 U.S. Highway 49  
Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Dear David,

The Board of Aldermen has approved having city crews take over maintenance of the rights of way along the section of the Evelyn Gandy Parkway that runs through the City of Petal. The City of Petal understands that MDOT will continue to mow the slopes along the interchange with Highway 11 for the rest of this mowing season. The city will purchase the proper equipment necessary for this task in our next budget year, beginning October 1, and will assume mowing duties along those areas in 2016.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you need more information, or if the City of Petal can assist MDOT in any way, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Hal Marx".

Hal Marx  
Mayor  
City of Petal

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ORDINANCE 1979(42-A391)

EXHIBIT "C"  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 1979 (42-A354) REMOVING TIME  
RESTRICTIONS ON POLITICAL SIGNS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY  
OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI:

SECTION 1: SECTION 7.53.06.10 AMENDED:

SECTION 7.53.06.10 of ORDINANCE 1979(42-A354) is amended to read as follows:

Political signs are to be limited to one sign per candidate per premises not to exceed **sixteen (16) square feet**, with the exception of signage placed on outdoor advertising (billboard) signs. No sign shall be permitted on private property without permission of the owner. Signs may be posted **once a candidate officially qualifies for the election**, and must be removed within 10 days after any election to which the sign refers. Placement of political signs shall be limited to the ward or jurisdiction in which the candidate is qualified to run for election.

SECTION II.

Ordinance 1979 (42-A354) as adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal except as amended be in full force and effect.

The above and foregoing amendments to the Ordinance shall take effect and be in force within 30 days of passage.

The above and foregoing Ordinance, having been reduced to writing, the same was introduced and read and a vote was taken thereon, first section by section, then upon the Ordinance as a whole with the following results:

Those present and voting "YEA" and in favor of the passage, adoption and approval of Sections I and II of the foregoing Ordinance:

Alderman Craig Bullock  
Alderman David Clayton  
Alderman Tony Ducker  
Alderman Clint Moore  
Alderman Steve Stringer

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the adoption of any Section of the foregoing Ordinance:

Alderman Brad Amacker

Those present and voting "YEA" and in favor of the adoption of the foregoing Ordinance as a whole:

Alderman Craig Bullock  
Alderman David Clayton  
Alderman Tony Ducker  
Alderman Clint Moore  
Alderman Steve Stringer

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the adoption of the foregoing Ordinance as a whole:


Alderman Brad Amacker

WHEREUPON, the foregoing Ordinance be and the same is hereby passed, adopted and approved on this, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, A.D., 2015.

  
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Hal Marx  
Mayor

(Seal)

Attest:

  
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Melissa Martin  
City Clerk