

City of Indianola Regular Board Meeting Agenda

Mayor and Board of Aldermen

Date: May 11, 2026 (Monday)

Location: City Hall Annex, 104 East Percy Street, Indianola, MS 38751

Time: 7:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order – Mayor Ken Featherstone
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Adoption of the Agenda
6. Mayor Featherstone’s Commentary and Announcements
 - A. Employee Appreciation Week
 - B. City-wide Spring Cleaning
 - C. Sunflower County Consolidated School District, In-District Special Olympics, May 15, 2026 at 9:00 a.m., Gentry High School, Perry S. Price Memorial Stadium
 - D. Notice of Holiday Closure (Memorial Day) and Rescheduling of May 25, 2026, Regular Board Meeting to Thursday, May 21, 2026
 - E. Official City Closure on Friday, July 3, 2026 in Observance of Independence Day per Governor Tate Reeves’ Proclamation Signed April 28, 2026
7. Entergy – Public Service Announcement – Andreal Turner
8. Presentation: We Must Vote: (Founder Tony Johnson Wilkerson) – Derwin Jones and Jameasha Attaway
9. Approval to of the 2026 “America 250” Food Trucks and Firework Festival for Thursday, July 2, 2026 – Mayor Featherstone
10. Request for Approval of Permit to Solicit Funds (Roadblock):
 - A. Indianola Junior Rams – Saturday, May 16, 2026 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Intersection of Garrard Avenue and Roosevelt Street – Joseph Davis, Andre Adams, and Marvin Kimber
11. Presentation: Cintas Program for Mats, Mops, and Dust Mops – Roderick Smith and Kaylee Mullins
12. Discussion and Update Regarding the Citywide Timekeeping System - Jenny Falgout, Delta Computer Systems (Postponed 4/27/2026)

13. Citizen Complaint: Assistance Regarding Sewer Line Infiltration at 1014 Battle Street - Sheronda Watson
14. City Engineer – Gardner Engineering, P.A.
 - A. Monthly Project Status Report – May 2026
 - B. Approval to Pay Request No. 7 in the Amount of \$354,202.43 (Water System Improvements, Contract 1, MDEQ Project No. 491-2-DW-5.15, In House Project No. 122-22) to Double S, Inc.
 - C. Approval to Pay Request No. 9 in the Amount of \$5,634.25 (Water System Improvements and Rehab of Pump Stations, MDEQ Agreement No. 491-2-DW-5.15, Project No. 122-22) to Gardner Engineering
 - D. Approval to Pay Request No. 1 and Final in the Amount of \$57,031.00 (Striping of Main, Second, Sunflower Avenue, and Wiggins Road, In House Project No. 110-25) to JC Cheek
 - E. Approval to Pay Request No. 1 and Final in the Amount of \$6,843.60 (Striping of Main, Second, Sunflower Avenue, and Wiggins Road, In House Project No. 110-25) to Gardner Engineering
15. April 2026 Monthly Report – Brown and Associates, Inc.
16. Airport Monthly Financial Report – Paula Giachelli
17. Request for Leak Adjustments:
 - A. Alice Kirksey in the Amount of \$126.38
 - B. Wanda Knight in the Amount of \$32.63
 - C. Lakisha Stewart in the Amount of \$129.80
 - D. Leanne Woods in the Amount of \$164.55
18. Board to Consider Tabled/Postponed Items:
 - A. Discussion and Potential Action Regarding the Reclassification of Contractual Administrative and Departmental Positions from 1099 Independent Contractors to W-2 Municipal Employees – Alderman Phillips (Postponed 4/27/26)
19. Reports from Department Heads:
 - A. Fire Department Report – Orlando Battle, Fire Chief
 - B. Inspections Report – Jamal Mayfield, City Inspector
 - C. April Budget Report and Cash in Bank Report – Stephanie Washington, City Clerk
20. Travel/Training Requests:
 - A. Approval of Travel for Mayor Featherstone to Attend the Mississippi Main Street Association’s Annual Awards Luncheon in Jackson, MS, June 16, 2026 (per diem and registration) – Mayor Featherstone

21. Aldermanic Discussion Items:
 - A. Discussion on Transfer of Radios/Walkie-Talkies from Fire Department to Public Works – Alderman Moton
 - B. Discussion of Municipal Budget Calendar – Alderman Deason
 - C. Discussion Regarding Traffic on Curtis Street – Alderman Phillips
22. Approval of Claims Docket in the Amount of \$685,444.12 – Deputy Clerk, Shumekia Harvey
23. Executive Session
24. Closed Session
25. Open Session
26. Adjournment