

SPECIAL CALL MEETING
TUESDAY AUGUST 25, 2026
5:00 P.M.

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Winona, Mississippi met in a special call meeting at City Hall, Tuesday, August 25, 2026, at 5:00 P.M. with the following officers and members present, constituting a legal quorum, to-wit: Alderman Ward 1 Mickey Austin, Alderman Ward 2 Chris Herring, Alderwoman Ward 3 Katrina Bays, Alderman Ward 4 Charles Harris, Alderwoman Ward 5 Linda Purnell, City Clerk Kimberly White, and Mayor Jerry Flowers presiding over the meeting, where, and when the following business was had and done, to wit:

Mayor Jerry Flowers called the meeting to order and gave the invocation.

EMPLOYEE ISSUES: The mayor informed the Board that Randy Richardson has decided not to accept employment with the City and requested a motion to terminate his employment.

Alderman Harris motion to term Randy Richardson, duly seconded by Alderwoman Bays. The motion carried unanimously.

Chief Windham present to the board to accept Gabrielle Hernandez resignation letter, effective September 1, 2026.

Alderman Harris made a motion to accept Gabrielle Hernandez's resignation, effective September 1, 2026. The motion was duly seconded by Alderwoman Bays. The motion carried unanimously.

Chief Windham appeared before the Board to request the hiring of Mr. Ghoston as a patrolman.

Alderman Harris made a motion to hire Mr. Ghoston as a patrolman. After discussion, Alderman Harris withdrew his motion.

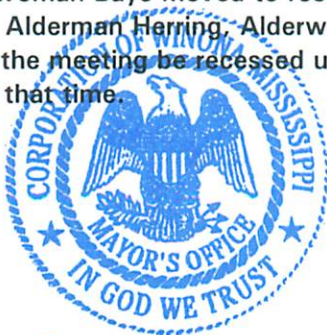
623 South Applegate: The Mayor informed the Board that Attorney Kirk will file suit in Chancery Court to seek an adjudication requiring the property owner to pay for the cleanup of his property.

Adopt Tax Levy Resolution: Alderwoman Bays made a motion to keep the tax levy at its current rate of 49.5 mills. The motion was duly seconded by Alderman Harris. The motion carried unanimously.

Budget Hearing: The Board will review the budget and make any necessary changes at the regularly scheduled board meeting on September 1, 2026.

ADJOURN: Alderwoman Bays moved to recess meeting; duly seconded by Alderman Harris. Alderman Austin, Alderman Herring, Alderwoman Bays, Alderwoman Purnell voted to adjourn. It was ordered that the meeting be recessed until next appointed time unless it becomes necessary to reconvene before that time.

SEAL




Jerry A. Flowers, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kimberly White, City Clerk