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**SPECIAL MEETING  
THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF COLUMBUS, MS**

**AUGUST 29, 2019**

**9:00 A.M.**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Columbus will have a special meeting.

The meeting will be held at 9:00 A.M., Thursday, August 29, 2019, at the City Hall Upstairs Courtroom, located at 523 Main Street, Columbus, MS, as Ordered by the Mayor and City Council.

The following topic will be discussed:

- A. **Discuss Proposed Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Budget.**

So Ordered, on this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2019.

As Determined by the Mayor and City Council

**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF COLUMBUS, MS**

**AUGUST 29, 2019  
9:00 A.M.**

The Mayor and City Council met in a Special Called Meeting on Thursday, August 29, 2019 at 4:00 p.m., proper notice being posted, after having recessed from their last special meeting of August 22, 2019. The meeting was held in the City Hall Courtroom, located on the second floor, 523 Main Street. Mayor Robert E. Smith, Sr. presided over the meeting. The Ward 1 Council seat is vacant due to the passing of Councilman Gene Taylor. The Ward 4 Council seat is vacant pending a special election, following the resignation of Fredrick Jackson. Also present were the COO, CFO, General Counsel, Police Chief, and all other Department Heads.

**I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER AND INVOCATION**

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order and called upon Council Member Box to offer the Invocation.

**II. Discuss Proposed Fiscal Year 2019 – 2020 Budget.**

Mayor Smith announced that the purpose of this meeting is to discuss the Proposed Fiscal Year 2019 -2020 Budget.

The Fiscal Year 2019 – 2020 Budget was distributed and discussed. Following discussion, David Armstrong, COO, remarked that the Mayor and Council will meet on September 5, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. at the Municipal Complex to adopt the Fiscal Year 2019 – 2020 Budget.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The Mayor then asked if there was any other business to come before the Mayor and City Council. There being none, Council Member Mickens moved that the meeting be adjourned. Upon second by Council Member Jones and unanimous vote, the Mayor announced that the meeting was ADJOURNED.

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert E. Smith, Sr., Mayor

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Deliah T. Vaughn  
CFO/Secretary-Treasurer

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