



Call to Order		
<u>Public Hearing</u>		
1.	2023-625	Hold Public Hearing to hear public comment on the proposed Motor Vehicle Assessment Schedule for the City of Hattiesburg for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2023 and ending September 30,2024, pursuant to an adopted order on August 22,2023.
Agenda Review		
Citizens' Forum		
Meeting Recess		

<u>Call to Order</u>		
BE IT REMEMBERED that the Hattiesburg City Council held a Public Hearing at 4:00 p.m. Monday, September 18, 2023, in Council Chambers at City Hall to hear public comment on the proposed Motor Vehicle Assessment Schedule for the City of Hattiesburg for the Fiscal Year beginning October 1, 2023 and ending September 30, 2024, pursuant to order adopted August 22, 2023; same being from a recessed meeting held on September 5, 2023. Those present included Mayor Toby Barker and members of the City Council Jeffrey George, Ward 1; Deborah Delgado, Ward 2; Carter Carroll, Ward 3; Dave Ware, Ward 4; and Nicholas Brown, Ward 5. Others in attendance included Director of Administration/City Clerk, Kermas Eaton; City Attorney, Randy Pope; Deputy Clerk of Council, Lisa Luu Jolly; City staff members; media; and the public. Absent: Clerk of Council, Ronda S. Kennedy. Council President George called the Public Hearing to order and explained the procedures.		
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Attachments: <u>UAS 2023_2024 - 6.1.23</u> <u>MOTOR VEHICLE.DOC 2020</u>		
Council President George asked for public comment on the proposed Motor Vehicle Assessment for 2023-2024. There were no citizens present who wished to comment. Council President George closed the public hearing at 4:01 p.m. and proceeded with the Agenda Review.		

Agenda Review

Council President George proceeded with the Agenda Review.

Alex Pickle of Local Impact Analytics presented a presentations regarding Policy Agenda Items #7-#17.

1. 2023-726 Ad Valorem Exemption Analysis Tax Year 2022 - Presented by Alex Pickle, Cofounder of Local Impact Analytics

Attachments: 2022 Hattiesburg Ad Valorem Abatement EIAs

Following discussion of agenda items, Council President George **closed the Agenda Review and proceeded with the Citizens' Forum.**

Citizens' Forum

Council Vice President Ware proceeded with the Citizens' Forum.

He stated the procedures and invited members of the public to speak.

The following citizens addressed the Council:

- Joseph Rawson
- Emily Dawn Escolas

There were no other citizens present who wished to address the Council.

Council Vice President Ware **closed the Citizen Forum.**

Council President George asked for additional business.

Council Member Delgado announced that the annual Mobile Street Festival will be held the weekend of September 30.

Meeting Recess

Council President George declared the **meeting recessed at 4:46 p.m., this 18th day of September, 2023**, by unanimous consent, until the 19th day of September, 2023.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:


Clerk of Council


Council President

ATTEST AND CERTIFY:

APPROVE:


City Clerk


Mayor