

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALL MEETING
OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI
JANUARY 14, 2026 AT 2:00 P.M.**

Be it remembered that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in a Special Call Meeting on January 14, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. in the Second Floor Conference Room of City Hall, located at 110 West Main Street, Starkville, MS. Present were Mayor Lynn Spruill, Aldermen Kim Moreland, Sandra Sistrunk, Kyle Skinner, William Pochop, and Roy A'. Perkins. Starkville Utilities Director, Edward Kemp and City Clerk Joanna McLaurin were also present.

The meeting was properly noticed pursuant to Miss. Code Ann §21-3-21 and a copy of that notice is included in the minutes. The public and media were welcomed but there were no media or public in attendance.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 21-3-21 OF THE MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, AS AMENDED, MAYOR D. LYNN SPRUILL DOES HEREBY GIVE NOTICE OF A SPECIAL CALL MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI, TO MEET ON **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2025, AT 5:30 P.M.**, IN THE STARKVILLE SECOND FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM OF THE STARKVILLE CITY HALL LOCATED AT 110 WEST MAIN STREET, STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI 39759.

The specific subject of the meeting is as follows:

1. EXECUTIVE SESSION – PENDING LITIGATION

Mayor Lynn Spruill read the meeting notice and called the meeting to order.

1. A MOTION TO GO INTO CLOSED SESSION TO DETERMINE IF THERE IS PROPER CAUSE FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION.

There came for consideration the matter of entering a Closed Session to determine if there is a proper cause for Executive Session. Upon the motion of Alderman Pochop, seconded by Alderman Skinner, to enter into a Closed Session to determine if there is proper cause for Executive Session, the Board voted as follows:

Alderman Kim Moreland	Voted: Yea
Alderman Sandra Sistrunk	Voted: Yea
Alderman Kyle Skinner	Voted: Yea
Alderman Mike Brooks	Voted: Absent
Alderman William Pochop	Voted: Yea
Alderman Roy A'. Perkins	Voted: Yea
Alderman Henry Vaughn, Sr.	Voted: Absent

Having received a majority affirmative vote, the Mayor declared the motion passed. The Board entered closed session.

2. A MOTION TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION.

Alderman Pochop offered a motion to go into Executive Session for the purpose of discussion of pending litigation. Following a second by Alderman Moreland, the Board voted as follows to enter Executive Session:

Alderman Kim Moreland	Voted: Yea
Alderman Sandra Sistrunk	Voted: Yea
Alderman Kyle Skinner	Voted: Yea
Alderman Mike Brooks	Voted: Absent
Alderman William Pochop	Voted: Yea
Alderman Roy A'. Perkins	Voted: Yea
Alderman Henry Vaughn, Sr.	Voted: Absent

Having received a majority affirmative vote, the Mayor declared the motion passed. The Mayor invited the public back in and then announced that the Board had decided to go into Executive Session for the purpose of discussion of pending litigation. The Mayor and Board then went into Executive Session.

4. CONSIDERATION OF A MOTION TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION.

Alderman Perkins offered a motion, seconded by Alderman Moreland, to exit executive session and return to open session. The Board voted as follows:

Alderman Kim Moreland	Voted: Yea
Alderman Sandra Sistrunk	Voted: Yea
Alderman Kyle Skinner	Voted: Yea
Alderman Mike Brooks	Voted: Absent
Alderman William Pochop	Voted: Yea
Alderman Roy A'. Perkins	Voted: Yea
Alderman Henry Vaughn, Sr.	Voted: Absent

The Mayor invited the public back in and then announced that the Board had voted to accept an offer and authorization for the Mayor to sign the settlement offer in Executive Session.

Having received a majority affirmative vote, the Mayor declared the motion passed.

6. MOTION TO ADJOURN.

Alderman Skinner offered a motion, seconded by Alderman Moreland, to adjourn the Special Call meeting. The Board voted as follows:

Alderman Kim Moreland	Voted: Yea
Alderman Sandra Sistrunk	Voted: Yea
Alderman Kyle Skinner	Voted: Yea
Alderman Mike Brooks	Voted: Absent
Alderman William Pochop	Voted: Yea
Alderman Roy A'. Perkins	Voted: Yea
Alderman Henry Vaughn, Sr.	Voted: Absent

Having received a majority affirmative vote, the Mayor declared the meeting adjourned.
SIGNED AND SEALED THIS THE 20th DAY OF JANUARY, 2026

Attest:

D. LYNN SPRUILL, MAYOR

JOANNA MCLAURIN, CITY CLERK

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