

April 2026

**CITY OF MEMPHIS**  
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### Monthly Newsletter

- **Contractors have begun installing a new fiber optic line to Memphis High School. Areas affected will be Medical Drive, North 18<sup>th</sup>, Skiddy, North 16<sup>th</sup>, and Grundy. The Contractors will utilize underground directional drilling to limit impact to residents within the community. If you would like more information, construction plans are available at city hall for review.**
- **The TxDot waterline relocation project is completing their first phase of construction on the east end of Noel St. The crew is moving towards downtown. The following streets will be closed to thru traffic while new water lines are being installed. The duration of this phase is scheduled for 90 days. The intersections at Noel Street will remain open. Maps are available at city hall for review. We appreciate your patience while we upgrade our water lines.**
  - **5 th Street to Robertson**
  - **5 th Street to Main**
  - **4 th Street to Alley (Behind Loves Truckstop)**
  - **8 th Street to Roberston**
  - **8 th Street to Main**
- The next City Council meeting will be on Monday, April 13, 2026, in the Council Room at City Hall beginning at 6:00 p.m. A list of the agenda items will be posted on the city website and the front glass at City Hall on Tuesday, April 6, 2026.
- The Memphis Little Theater will be hosting their annual dinner theater on Saturday, April 25, 2026, at the Memphis Community Center. For more information or to purchase tickets contact Hailey Davis at 940-585-1383 or any Little Theater member.
- The City of Memphis General Election will be on Saturday, May 2, 2026. Early voting begins Monday, April 20, 2026, from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. at the Hall County Courthouse Annex, Commissioner’s Courtroom, 101 S. 9<sup>th</sup> Street. Election Day voting will be at the Memphis Community Center from 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. There will not be an election for Ward 2, No candidate, Ward 4, Winfred McQueen, and Mayor Joe Davis, as they are unopposed. The following candidates will be on the ballot:

Ward 1: 1. Melissa Hibbitts	2. Victor Flores
Ward 3: 1. Jill Cromwell	2. Micah Casas
- As a reminder, if you keep livestock within the city limits you are required to have a permit. Annual permits expired on December 31, 2025, so please contact the Animal Control Officer at the Memphis Police Department, 806-259-2916, to have your permit renewed.
- The City of Memphis encourages everyone to use the cardboard recycling dumpsters located throughout our town. Not only does the city receive revenue from recycling to keep costs lower, but it also extends the life of our landfill, insuring decades more of use for the citizens of Memphis Texas.

- **Great News!! e-Billing is available. eBill is a FREE service that will allow customers to step away from paper bills, receive your bill by email, and be able to view your bill via an eBill eCommerce account.**
  
- **The water department allows delinquent customers to make payment arrangements to bring their account current. All accounts with delinquent balances for more than two consecutive months must be paid in full to avoid disconnection.** As a reminder, you can pay your water bill online at [www.ThePaymentGroup.com](http://www.ThePaymentGroup.com). We also offer draft payments from any bank account. If you are interested, a form is available at the water office. You can drop your water bill payment in the fire hydrant drop box by the front door of City Hall. If you have any issues or questions about your water bill, please contact City Hall immediately.
  
- The city has a public storm shelter located in the community center. Signs are posted on the outside of the entrance. When you hear the City sirens sound continuously for one minute, a tornado has been spotted, and you should seek shelter immediately. When there is one short siren, for a few seconds, all is clear, and it is safe to come out of shelter. The Memphis Volunteer Fire Department will be conducting siren test every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month. As a reminder, the Fire Department still has free smoke detectors. Contact Nick Narvaez at 806-259-2323.
  
- If you see a streetlight out, you can report the outage to City Hall or online at the Southwestern Electric Power Company's website [www.swepco.com](http://www.swepco.com).
  
- The Memphis Police Department would like to remind citizens to deter burglary by keeping their valuables secured, locked up & lit up. **IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING! CALL 806-259-2636 TO REPORT ANY SUSPICIOUS PERSONS OR ACTIVITY!**
  
- **Several area codes in Texas, including 806, now require you to dial all 10 digits when making a local call, including cell phone numbers.** Here are some area numbers you may need:
  - AEP Electric: (800)723-7430
  - Cemetery Association President Randy Phillips: (806)259-3625
  - Chamber of Commerce- (806)259-3144
  - District Adult Probation: (806)259-3388
  - Greenlight Gas: (806)447-1377
  - Hall County Agent Office: (806)259-3015
  - Hall County Appraisal District: (806)259-2393
  - Hall County Clerk Office: (806)259-2627
  - Hall County Dispatch/County Jail: (806)259-2636
  - Hall County Hospital District Indigent Health Care Program: (806)259-3504
  - Hall County Judge: (806)259-2511
  - Hall County Justice of Peace: (806)259-3116
  - Hall County Home Delivered Meals: (806)259-3212
  - Hall County Sheriff Department: (806)259-2151
  - Hall County Tax Office: (806)259-2125
  - Hall County Treasures Office: (806)259-2421
  - Memphis Animal Control (Hall County Dispatch): (806)259-2636
  - Memphis City Pool: (806)204-1777
  - Memphis Fire Department: (806)259-2323
  - Memphis Municipal Court Judge: (806)259-3539
  - Memphis Police Department: (806)259-2916
  - Memphis Post Office: (806)259-2031
  - Memphis Public Library: (806)259-2062