THE **Fair** REPORT

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August 2017

Raymond Office: 127 West Main St, Raymond, MS 39154 Mailing address: P.O. Box 51, Raymond, MS 39154



Scripture of the month

For I know the plans I have for you declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not harm you, to give you hope and a future. Jer. 29:11

> In Loving Memory of Iristeen Turner Gatlin



Your life was such a blessing, your memory a treasure, you are loved beyond words and missed beyond measure. Gone but not forgotten.

Online tag renewal:

The vendor charges a non refundable convenience fee to process payments. The fee for this service is 2.25% for all payment types.

Penalty fees for late tag renewal:

You have 7 business days after your purchase date to register your vehicle. If you purchase the vehicle out of state you have an additional 48 hours to get it registered. The penalty for late tag renewal is 5% after the first 15 days the tag is due. There is an additional penalty of 5% for each additional 30 days the tag remains overdue. The maximum penalty is 25%. Once you reach the 25% penalty you will not be allowed any Legislative Tag Credit.

Lost or stolen decal/tag

If your decal or license plate was lost or stolen, you will need to complete form 76-903 in our office. The cost for a replacement decal is \$2.50 and the cost for a replacement plate is \$10.00.

Change of address:

You must contact our office to update your mailing address for your vehicle registration; this change can not be completed online.

Cambio de dirección:

Debe ponerse en contacto con nuestra oficina para actualizar su dirección de correo para el registro del vehículo; este cambio no se puede completar en línea.

Recently moved into the State?

You have 30 days after moving into the state to register your vehicle. If not registered within 30 days a \$250 fee will be added to your registration.

Recientemente se translado' al Estado? Tiene 30 días de haberse mudado al estado para registrar su vehículo. Si no está registrado dentro de los 30 días se añadirá una cuota de \$250 a su registro.

Pérdida o robo / etiqueta de la etiqueta

Si su placa adhesiva de la licencia o se pierde o es robado, tendrá que completar el formulario 76-903 en nuestra oficina. El costo de una nueva calcomanía es de \$2.50 y el costo de una placa de reemplazo es de \$10.00.

Helpful numbers

Board of Supervisors District 1

Robert Graham 601-968-6689

District 2

Darrell McQuirter 601-968-6690

District 3

Peggy Calhoun 601-968-6768

District 4

Mike Morgan 601-857-2622

District 5

Bobby McGowan 601-968-6699

Chancery Clerk

Eddie Jean Carr 601-968-6507

Circuit Clerk

Zack Wallace 601-968-6628

Sheriff Department

Victor Mason 601-974-2901

Tax Assessor

Charles Stokes 601-968-6626

Board Attorney

Pieter Teeuwissen 601-968-6797

County Administrator

Carmen Davis 601-968-6501

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********Have you heard about HB1165???******

Homestead applicants who have a "service-connected, total disability as an American veteran who has been honorably discharged from military service" are exempt from <u>ALL</u> ad valorem taxes on the assessed value of their homestead property. Benefit is extended to un-remarried surviving spouses. New benefit must be applied for at the Tax Assessor's office.

Formas de Pago

Aceptamos efectivo, giros postales, cheques, tarjetas de débito y de crédito. Adhesivos / placas pagadas por cheque serán enviadas después de 10 días hábiles. Sin embar go, se le dará una copia de su registro en el momento de la compra. Hay una tarifa de conveniencia de \$2.25 cuando se utiliza una tarjeta de débito y una tarifa de conveniencia 2.25% de todos los pagos con tarjeta de crédito.

Reminders:

*Vehicle registration renewal cards are mailed as a courtesy reminder. It remains your responsibility to renew your vehicle registration if the reminder card is not received.

- *The Tax Collector's office is not responsible for any items once they are mailed out of the office. *Please make sure to verify your address during all transactions and notify us of mailing address changes.
- * Check the website or call our office for accurate payment amounts after interest has been added. This will eliminate having your check returned due to incorrect payment amounts.

Forms of Payment

We accept cash, money orders, checks, debit and credit cards.

Decals/plates paid for by check will be mailed out after 10 business days. However, you will be given a copy of your registration at the time of purchase. There is a \$2.25 convenience fee when using a debit card and a 2.25% convenience fee for all credit card payments. There is a \$75,000 limit when using online services: www.hindscountyms.com

Mobile Home Information

Mobile homes that are registered as personal property will be entered in the Hinds County Tax Collector's billing file. Mobile home taxes are due the 1st year, 90 days after the registration date. The 1st year taxes are prorated from the registration date to the end of the calendar year. Thereafter, taxes are due and payable annually. A civil suit may be filed to collect unpaid mobile home taxes that are 90 days overdue. If, at any time, you sell or move your mobile home from its current location, please notify the Tax Collector's office. You will be asked for proof of sale of the mobile home before it will be removed from the tax roll.

Taxes

Remaining property tax balances must be paid with credit card, cash, money order, or cashier's check. The last Raymond Office: 127 West Main St, Raymond, MS 39154 Mailing address: P.O. Box 51, Raymond, MS 39154

Department phone numbers:

Tax Collector	601-714-6258
Shirron Wash Exec. Asst.	601-968-6586
Larry Camper Office Mgr.	601-968-6596
Angela McGregory Operator	
Lora McInnis Operator	601-968-6587

Real Estate:

Kathy Chesnut	601-968-6608
Keisha Jackson	601-968-6591
	601-968-6606

Heavy Equipment:

Sylvia McClellan 601-968-6598

Mail room:

Peggy Ervin 601-968-6589 Renea Dixon 601-968-6584

Accounting Department:

Michelle Wright 601-968-6600

Raymond office:

Judy Smith Operator 601-857-8862

Web address

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Aug. 14– Registration begins for the Tax Sale

Aug. 28- TAX SALE

"Life is like a camera. Focus on what is important, capture the good things, develop from the negatives, and if things don't work out take another shot."

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Here you can: Pay your property taxes, renew your license plate and download frequently requested forms.

Tune in to 90.1 FM every Monday evening from 5:00- 6:00 p.m. to catch the Fair Report. You can also call in questions or comments at 601-948-5950.

My door is always open to **YOU**! Feel free to come by to discuss your questions or concerns.