Welcome to Ridgeland!
Gene McGee, Mayor
www.RidgelandMS.org

Register to vote at City Hall

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<td>Fire Department</td>
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<td>Police Department</td>
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Billing Information: Water, Ridgeland sewer, Jackson sewer, garbage and recycling are included in your water bill. The water bill is mailed by the 1st of the month. The due date is the 16th of the month before 5 p.m. Payment may be made in person, by bank draft, by mail, or deposited in the drop box located outside the front entrance to City Hall. Payment may also be paid online at the website above or by calling 1-888-284-9025 for a fee of $2.00 plus 3% of your bill (only 3% if paid at city hall by credit card). Manage your account online where you may utilize quick pay, schedule payments or enroll in auto pay. You may receive your water bill by mail or email. Please do not hesitate to contact us at utilitybilling@ridgelandms.org if you have any questions.

Online Services: Through the City’s website, you may pay your water bill, submit requests for action by the City for code enforcement, animal control, roadway concerns, street light maintenance and more, sign up for Ridgeland Alert, view official meeting minutes, obtain copies of an accident report, pay a traffic ticket, and view government auction items. Check out the City Calendar on the website to stay up-to-date on Ridgeland Recreation and Parks events, holiday schedules, and meetings. Our Residential Services quicklink will provide you with useful information as a new resident.

Stay Informed: Visit our new website, sign up for Ridgeland Alerts (please see enclosed instructions for signing up), Like & Follow us on Facebook & Instagram at City of Ridgeland, Mississippi Government. Read Ridgeland Life, the City’s quarterly magazine, which is mailed to homes and businesses, delivered to apartment rental offices, and distributed at various public and retail locations in Ridgeland. City meetings are open to the public. Seven Aldermen and the Mayor are elected to serve the citizens of Ridgeland. To learn the name and contact information of your ward’s Alderman, view the ward map in Ridgeland Life, on the City website, or at City Hall.
Helpful Information

Auto Tags  Madison County Tax Collector, 171 Cobblestone, Madison  601-856-4472

New Mississippi residents must purchase Mississippi auto tags within 30 days of establishing residency. Tags may be purchased at the Madison County tax collector’s office located off Highway 51 at the first traffic light after entering the City of Madison.

Daily Newspaper  The Clarion-Ledger (also offers insert, Madison County Herald)  601-961-7000
Weekly Newspaper  Madison County Journal (also offers magazine insert)  601-853-4222
Driver’s License  Mississippi Department of Public Safety  601-987-1212

Motorists must obtain a Mississippi driver’s license within 60 days of moving to the state. Visit www.dps.ms.gov for information.

Electricity  Entergy  800-368-3749

If you rent property, you must get an inspection from the Community Development Department in order for an Entergy permit to be issued. For more information, visit www.entergy.com. For homeowners, call the City’s Community Development department at 601-856-3877 to obtain your Entergy permit. Please have your account number handy.


Garbage/Recycling  Waste Management  601-922-9647

A 64-gallon recycling cart is assigned to each property. Do not remove the cart from the property or you will be charged the cost of the cart. Please keep your cart and garbage can out of view of the street on non-collection days. A Recycling and Solid Waste Guide brochure is available online and at City Hall.

Health Department  Madison County Health Department, 309 Park Drive, Canton  601-859-3316
Marriage License  Madison County Circuit Clerk, 128 W. North Street, Canton  601-859-4365
Post Office  611 S. Pear Orchard Rd, Ridgeland  601-991-0249
Telephone,  Comcast  601-982-0922
Internet & Cable  A T & T  888-757-6500
            C Spire  Sign up for ultra-fast fiber available in certain areas at www.cspire.com/ridgeland.

Payments for Comcast, Entergy, Atmos and AT&T may be made at the Kroger store in Ridgeland. Fees may be applicable.

Local Public Schools and Resources

Madison County Schools in Ridgeland
www.madison-schools.com  601-499-0800

Ann Smith Elementary (K-2)  306 S. Pear Orchard Rd  601-856-6621
Highland Elementary (grades 3-5)  330 Brame Rd  601-853-8103
Old Town Middle (grades 6-8)  210 Sunnybrook Rd  601-898-8730
Ridgeland High (grades 9-12)  586 Sunnybrook Rd  601-898-5023

Ridgeland Chamber of Commerce
www.ridgelandchamber.com  754 S. Pear Orchard Rd  601-991-9996

Ridgeland Public Library
www.mclsms.org  397 Highway 51  601-856-4536

Ridgeland Tourism Commission
www.visitridgeland.com  1000 Highland Colony Pkwy, Suite 6006  601-605-5252
Important Ridgeland Laws

You may wish to review the following local ordinances and laws online at www.ridgelandms.org.

Animal Control Ordinances
A breed ban is in effect in Ridgeland for American Pit Bull Terrier, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, American Staffordshire Terrier, and Wolf-dog hybrid. No more than three dogs are allowed at any residence. It is unlawful for any animal to run at-large. Caretakers are to remove animal wastes and dispose in a sanitary way.

Bicycle Helmet Ordinance
Helmets must be worn while riding on any street, sidewalk, bikeway, trail or other public property.

Parking Codes
Parking on grass and parking on the street is a violation of city parking ordinances.

Property Maintenance Ordinance
Private property must be maintained to ensure the protection of public health, safety and welfare. Violations include tall grass, poor conditions of exterior structure, and accumulation of items visible from the street.

Privilege Licenses
All businesses including home-based businesses are required to have a privilege license from the City of Ridgeland.

Smoking in Public Places
Smoking in enclosed public places and all workplaces is prohibited in Ridgeland. Smoking in outdoor areas must follow distance restrictions.

Recreational Facilities and Programs

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<td>Recreational lake, 115 Madison Landing Circle</td>
<td><a href="http://www.therez.ms.gov">www.therez.ms.gov</a></td>
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<td>Freedom Ridge Park</td>
<td>Softball and soccer fields, pavilions, playgrounds, trail</td>
<td>235 W. School St.</td>
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<td>Friendship Park</td>
<td>Pavilion, lighted trail, fitness court, playground</td>
<td>475 Lake Harbour Dr.</td>
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<td>Magnolia Ridge BMX</td>
<td>BMX track, <a href="http://www.magnoliaridgebmx.com">www.magnoliaridgebmx.com</a></td>
<td>344 Old Town Crossing</td>
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<td>Multi-Use Trail System</td>
<td>Public parking at Rice Rd/Harbor Dr., Old Town Crossing/W. Jackson St. or Natchez Trace Parkway Cabin</td>
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<td>Ridgeland Recreational Center</td>
<td>Superstar Seniors programs</td>
<td>137 Old Trace Park</td>
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<td>Ridgeland Tennis Center &amp; Pickle Ball Courts</td>
<td>Largest public tennis facility in the state</td>
<td>201 McClellan Dr.</td>
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<td>Ridgeland Disc Golf Course</td>
<td>18-hole course with average distance of 330</td>
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<td>Ridgeland Trails</td>
<td>Mountain bike and hiking trails, <a href="http://www.tricountymtb.org">www.tricountymtb.org</a></td>
<td>521 Giles Ln., Madison</td>
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<td>Wolcott Park</td>
<td>Baseball/softball fields, playground, batting cages</td>
<td>349 McClellan Dr.</td>
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<td>Mississippi Futbol Club</td>
<td><a href="http://www.mfcfootball.com">www.mfcfootball.com</a></td>
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<td>Madison Ridgeland Youth Club</td>
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