

**CITY OF BILOXI  
AGENDA ITEM  
FACT SHEET**

Item No.: 5A

Council Meeting Date: January 18, 2022

ITEM TITLE: RESOLUTION

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Andrew "FoFo" Gilich

CONTACT PERSON: E. Michael Leonard, CAO *EM*

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION:**

Resolution Appointing Mayor Andrew M. Gilich, Jr. as FEMA primary representative for the City of Biloxi pertaining to Hurricane Ida 4626-DR

Resolution  Ordinance \_\_\_\_\_ Public Hearing \_\_\_\_\_ Routine Agenda \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibits for Review

Contract \_\_\_\_\_ Minutes \_\_\_\_\_ Plans/Maps \_\_\_\_\_ Deed \_\_\_\_\_ Lease \_\_\_\_\_

Other (Specify): Exhibit "A" - MEMA Form PA-1

Submittal Authorization: Council President \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval

COUNCIL ACTION: Motion By: \_\_\_\_\_ Second By: \_\_\_\_\_

Vote:	<u>Councilmember</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Councilmember</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Other</u>
	Lawrence	___	___	___	Tisdale	___	___	___
	Gines	___	___	___	Glavan	___	___	___
	Newman	___	___	___	Barrett	___	___	___
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ACTION TAKEN:

Resolution No.

RESOLUTION APPOINTING MAYOR ANDREW M. GILICH, JR. AS FEMA PRIMARY REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE CITY OF BILOXI PERTAINING TO HURRICANE IDA 4626-DR

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2021, Hurricane Ida began impacting the Mississippi Gulf Coast including the City of Biloxi; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 625-21 declared a State of Emergency in the City of Biloxi, and authorized Mayor Andrew M. Gilich to do all things reasonable and necessary to protect the health and safety of the City's citizens; and

WHEREAS, on October 22, 2021, the President of the United States signed 4626-DR, a Major Disaster Declaration for the State of Mississippi, and its impacted counties and municipalities, and includes the City of Biloxi, County of Harrison, State of Mississippi, rolling all 3569-EM projects for Category B Emergency Protective Measures, into the Major Disaster Declaration 4626-DR, to include Categories A, and C through G, for all disaster relief and repairs to damages caused by Hurricane Ida; and

WHEREAS, this action authorizes FEMA to coordinate all disaster relief efforts to provide appropriate assistance for required emergency measures, authorized under Title V of the Stafford Act, to save lives, protect property and public health and safety, or to lessen or avert the threat of a catastrophe in all affected counties within the State of Mississippi, as well as provide federal funding for Public Assistance and repairs public assets for damages caused by Hurricane Ida; and

WHEREAS, MEMA Form PA-1, attached hereto as Exhibit "A," declaring the Primary FEMA/MEMA representative must be completed to process the claim; and

WHEREAS, the City of Biloxi submits Mayor Andrew M. Gilich, Jr. as the FEMA

representative for Hurricane Ida for all eligible categories of work for 4626-DR.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI, THAT:

SECTION ONE: Mayor Andrew M. Gilich, Jr. is hereby appointed and authorized as the Primary FEMA/MEMA Applicant Agent representative for the City of Biloxi for Hurricane Ida, 4626-DR.

SECTION TWO: This resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after adoption.

**DESIGNATION OF PRIMARY APPLICANT AGENT**

BE IT RESOLVED BY: The City Council of Biloxi of Biloxi, MS

THAT Andrew M. Gilich, Mayor

ADDRESS: 140 Lameuse Street, P.O. Box 429, Biloxi, MS 39533,

TELEPHONE: 228-435-6254 (W), 228-385-1232 (H),

is hereby authorized to execute for and in behalf of the City of Biloxi, a public entity established under the laws of the State of Mississippi, applications for the purpose of obtaining and administering certain federal financial assistance under the Disaster Relief Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-288), amended by the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1988, (Public Law 100-707) for Hurricane Ida 4626-DR; and to file them with the Governor's Authorized Representative.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

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George Lawrence, Ward One

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Paul Tisdale, Ward Five

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Felix Gines, Ward Two

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Kenny Glavan, Ward Six

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Dixie Newman, Ward Three

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Nathan Barrett, Ward Seven

\_\_\_\_\_  
Robert Deming III, Ward Four

**CERTIFICATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, duly appointed Clerk of the Council of the City of Biloxi, MS, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed and approved by the Biloxi City Council of Biloxi, Mississippi on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

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DATE

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Signature