

CITY OF HOKES BLUFF

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As the COVID-19 has affected our way of life, we at the city of Hokes Bluff have addressed measures to reduce congregating of individuals in one singular setting. We have postponed our regular monthly court day which is held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. We have postponed our driving school which is normally held on the following Saturday. We have advised our citizens that prefer to pay at City Hall to drop their payments in the drop box on the Gilliland St. side of the building. We have made the decision to not close City Hall at the present time. Our employees at City Hall remain the same, we only have three individuals that work in the office and the ones that do come in for business are minimal. Our Street Dept. has only 4 employees that work a normal schedule. We have made the decision to let those employees remain on their regular schedule at this present time. Our Library only has 2 employees. At various times there may be only one person on hand and our citizen traffic is in most cases lower than 10. We have eliminated our senior activities at the Community Center. There will be no meetings or gatherings, homebound seniors will receive meals as will those that can utilize our drive-thru. At this present moment this is where we stand. Thank you EMA and those working tireless long hours to help navigate us through this.

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