



# Frequently Called Numbers

**AIRPORT** Memphis International..... 901-922-8000

**ANIMAL SHELTER** ..... 662-796-2491

**AUTOMOBILE TAGS** ..... 662-342-6411

Automobile licenses must be purchased annually and are due during the month in which the vehicle was purchased. For new residents, Mississippi state law requires that automobiles be registered within 30 days of establishing residence. Vehicles purchased new or used from a dealer or individual must be registered within seven days. In all cases, license plates must reflect the county of residence of the registered owner.

**BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU** Memphis ..... 901-759-1300

**BIRTH & DEATH CERTIFICATES**

Mississippi Bureau of Vital Statistics ..... 601-576-7981

**BUILDING DEPARTMENT** ..... 662-393-4639

**CABLE TELEVISION** Comcast ..... 901-365-1770

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** ..... 662-342-6114

www.southavenchamber.com

**CITY COURT CLERK** ..... 662-280-CITY

**CITY ENGINEER** ..... 662-393-2991

**CITY OF SOUTHAVEN** ..... 662-280-CITY

www.southaven.com

**CONGRESSMAN**, U.S. Roger Wicker ..... 662-342-3942

**COURT DEPARTMENT** ..... 662-393-7042

**CRIMESTOPPERS** DeSoto County –Tupelo..... 800-773-8477

**DESOTO EDUCATION** DeSoto County Schools..... 662-429-5271

www.desoto.k12.ms.us.com

**DRIVERS LICENSE**

Olive Branch..... 662-890-7211

Nesbit ..... 662-429-1353

New residents of Mississippi must apply for a driver’s license within 60 days. If the applicant has a valid out-of-state license, only a rules, signs and eye test is required. If the applicant’s out-of-state license has expired, a road test may be required. A Social Security card must be shown.

**DESOTO CIVIC CENTER** ..... 662-280-9120

**DESOTO HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER** Walls ..... 662-781-0038

**ELECTRICAL SERVICE**

Entergy ..... 800-368-3749

Outages ..... 800-968-8243

**EMPLOYMENT OFFICE** WIN Job Center..... 662-342-4019

**ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT** ..... 662-393-2991

**FIRE DEPARTMENT** ..... 662-393-7466

In an emergency dial..... 911

**GARBAGE COLLECTION**

Southaven Environmental Services Department..... 662-796-2489

**HANDICAP DECALS**

DeSoto County Tax Collector’s Office ..... 662-429-1341

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLINIC**

Olive Branch ..... 662-895-3090

Hernando ..... 662-429-9814

**HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION** DeSoto County ..... 662-429-1335

If you are buying or own a home and occupy it as your primary residence, you may be eligible for Homestead Exemption. To apply for Homestead Exemption, you need to go to the Tax Assessor’s office in Hernando and bring the following: a copy of your recorded warranty deed, Social Security numbers for you and your spouse if you are married, your closing or settlement statement. Applications for exemption can only be accepted during the months of January, February and March of each year.

**LIBRARY** M.R. Davis ..... 662-342-0102

**MARRIAGE LICENSES** DeSoto County Circuit Clerk... 662-429-1325

**MAYOR** - Greg Davis ..... 662-393-6939

**MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION**

Mississippi state law provides that all vehicles must be inspected annually. Many service stations can perform this simple inspection. Fee is \$5.00.

**NATURAL GAS SERVICE** Atmos Energy ..... 662-393-7083

**NEWSPAPERS**

DeSoto Appeal ..... 901-333-2038

DeSoto County Tribune ..... 662-895-6220

DeSoto Times Today ..... 662-429-6397

Souhaven Press ..... 662-393-3840

**NORTHWEST COMMUNITY COLLEGE** ..... 662-342-1570

**PARKS & RECREATION** ..... 662-890-6726

**POISON CONTROL** ..... 800-222-1222

**POLICE DEPARTMENT** ..... 662-393-8654

In an emergency dial..... 911

**POST OFFICE** ..... 662-349-8571

**PROPERTY TAX** DeSoto County ..... 662-429-1460

**SENIOR SERVICES** ..... 662-895-1138

**SHERIFF’S DEPARTMENT** DeSoto County ..... 662-429-1475

**SMALL BUSINESS RESOURCE CENTER** ..... 662-621-2655

**SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION**

Olive Branch ..... 662-890-0439

Toll Free ..... 800-772-1213

www.ssa.gov

**STATE TAX COMMISSION** ..... 662-562-4489

**TAX COLLECTOR** ..... 662-342-6411

All property and personal property taxes (county, city and school) are collected by the DeSoto County Tax Collector Olive Branch.

**TELEPHONE SERVICE-AT&T**

Sales ..... 888-757-6500

Repair ..... 877-737-2478

**UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI DESOTO CENTER** ..... 662-342-4765

**VOTER REGISTRATION**

City ..... 662-280-2489

County ..... 662-429-1325

**WATER** City of Southaven

Billing ..... 662-393-7353

Utilities ..... 662-796-2490