

**Justice Court**  
 PO Box 69, Carthage, MS 39051  
 601-267-5677  
**Eastern District Judge** Carolyn W. Thomas  
 601- 267-8748  
**Western District** Ruby Graham  
 601-267-7862  
**Eastern District Constable** Steven McMillon  
 601-267-5677  
**Western District Constable** Randy Atkinson  
 601-267-6982

**8th Judicial District - Circuit Court**  
**Judge** Marcus D. Gordon  
 PO Drawer 220, Decatur MS 39327  
 601-635-3540  
**Judge** Vernon R. Cotten  
 205 Main St, Carthage, MS 39051  
 601-267-5615  
**Drug Court Administrator** Marcus D. Ellis, Jr.  
 Walnut Grove, MS 39189  
 601-253-2833

**Chancery Court**  
**Judge** Cynthia L. Brewer  
 P O Box 1678 Canton, MS 39046  
 601-855-5627

**Board of Education**  
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**City of Carthage**  
*Meeting: 1st Monday at 6:30 p.m.*

**Mayor** Jimmy Wallace  
 212 West Main, Carthage, MS 39051  
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**Alderman Ward 1** Larwin Atkison  
 204 Jackson Ave., Carthage, MS 39051  
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 603 Boyd Street, Carthage, MS 39051  
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 509 North Pearl St., Carthage, MS 39051  
 601-267-3775  
**Alderman Ward 4** David Herrington  
 105 Fairway Blvd., Carthage, MS 39051  
 601-267-5635

**Town of Walnut Grove**  
*Meeting: 1st Tuesday at 6:00 pm*

**Mayor** Grady Sims  
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 P O Box 304, Walnut Grove, MS 39189  
 601-253-0198  
**At-large-Alderman** Pamela Gill  
 P O Box 49 Walnut Grove, MS 39189  
 601-253-2571  
**At-large-Alderman** Brian Gomillion  
 P O Box 129, Walnut Grove, MS 39189  
 601-826-6020  
**At-large-Alderman** Chip Jones  
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 601-826-8156

**Town of Lena**  
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**Mayor** Kenneth Thames  
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 601-654-9286  
**At-large-Alderman** Steve Langford  
 PO Box 227, Lena, MS 39094  
 601-654-9347  
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 601-654-3445  
**At-large-Alderman** Frank Sessums  
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