

Community Analysis

Sam Lapidus Memorial Public Library



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I. Agency Profile

A. Agency information sheet

Date: Oct. 30, 2007
 Branch: Sam Lapidus Memorial Public Library
 Address: 108 Missouri St.
 P.O. Box 246
 Crenshaw, MS 38621
 Phone: (662) 382-7479
 Fax: 662 382-7479
 Email: cren@firstregional.org
 Staff:

Total number of Staff:	3
Professional Staff:	1
Library Assistants:	1
Pages:	1
Full-time Equivalent: (add total number of hours worked by all staff in a week and divide by 40)	1.14

The Building:

Date opened:	July 9, 1978
Total square feet: (closest guess if information is not available)	2856
Seating capacity:	40
Square feet in meeting rooms	480
Number of meeting rooms:	
Other rooms:	3

Parking spaces:

Regular:	7
Handicapped	1

Handicapped Accessibility:

Bathrooms:	2
Automatic Doors:	2
Ramp:	1

B. Web page address

System www.firstregional.org
 Branch <http://www.firstregional.org/page6.html>

C. Map of service area (n/a)

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D. Hours of operation

	<u>Open:</u>	<u>Close:</u>
Sunday		Closed
Monday	10 a.m.	6 p.m.
Tuesday		Closed
Wednesday	12 p.m	6 p.m.
Thursday		Closed
Friday	12 a.m.	6 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m.	2 p.m.
Total Open Hours Per Week		24

E. Statistical information**1. Circulation by Dewey 10's**

	FY 2007	CREN
000	Comp Sci, Knowledge & Sys	9
010	Bibliographies	1
020	Library Science	1
030	Encyclopedias	26
050	Magazines	0
060	Associations, Organizations	0
070	News media, Publishing	0
080	Quotations	1
090	Manuscripts & rare books	0
	TOTAL	38
100	Philosophy	0
110	Metaphysics	0
120	Epistemology	0
130	Parapsychology	12
140	Philosophical schools of thought	0
150	Psychology	31
160	Logic	0
170	Ethics	0
180	Ancient, Medieval & Eastern philosophy	0
190	Modern Western Philosophy	0
	TOTAL	43
200	Religion	3
210	Philosophy of religion	0
220	The Bible	15
230	Christianity	11
240	Christian practice and observance	14
250	Christian pastoral & religious orders	0
260	Christian organization	0
270	History of Christianity	3
280	Christian Denominations	1
290	Other religions	3
	TOTAL	50
300	Social Sciences	18
310	Statistics	0
320	Political Science	6
330	Economics	16
340	Law	8
350	Public Admin & military science	6
360	Social problems & services	90
370	Education	86

380	Commerce, communication & transportation	10
390	Customs, etiquette & folklore	21
	TOTAL	261
400	Language	0
410	Linguistics	0
420	English & Old English	10
430	German	0
440	French	0
450	Italian, Romanian & related	0
460	Spanish & Portuguese	5
470	Latin & Italic languages	0
480	Classical & modern Greek	0
490	Other languages	0
	TOTAL	15
500	Science	3
510	Mathematics	9
520	Astronomy	7
530	Physics	1
540	Chemistry	1
550	Earth sciences & geology	4
560	Fossils & Prehistoric life	4
570	Life Sciences, Biology	5
580	Botany (plants)	7
590	Zoology (animals)	60
	TOTAL	101
600	Technology	2
610	Medicine & health	95
620	Engineering	19
630	Agriculture	66
640	Home & Family management	90
650	Management & Public Relations	27
660	Chemical Engineering	2
670	Manufacturing	0
680	Manufacture for specific uses	10
690	Building & Construction	15
	TOTAL	326
700	Arts	4
710	Landscape & area planning	1
720	Architecture	8
730	Sculpture, ceramics & metalwork	4
740	Drawing & decorative arts	169
750	Painting	1
760	Graphic arts	0

770	Photography & computer arts	10
780	Music	377
790	Sports, games & entertainment	33
	TOTAL	607
800	Literature, rhetoric & criticism	6
810	American literature	43
820	English and Old English literature	9
830	German literature	0
840	French literature	0
850	Italian, Romanian & related literatures	0
860	Spanish & Portuguese literatures	0
870	Latin & Italic literatures	0
880	Classical & modern Greek	0
890	Other Literatures	0
	TOTAL	58
900	History	3
910	Geography and Travel	18
920	Biography & Genealogy	10
930	History of ancient world	3
940	History of Europe	10
950	History of Asia	3
960	History of Africa	2
970	History of North America	51
980	History of South America	1
990	History of other areas	0
	Biography	30
	TOTAL	131
	TOTAL	1,630

2. Circulation by item type

FY 2007	CREN
AC	143
BIOGRAPHY	33
CD	214
CDROM	0
CDSW	135
DVD	2448
E-AUDIO	0
E-BOOK	0
EASY	597
EASY-RDR	0
EQUIPMENT	0
FICTION	1070
FILM	0
FILMSTRIP	0
GENEALOGY	0
JBIOGRAPHY	22
JFICTION	124
JNONFIC	137
JPAPERBACK	213
LARGE-TYPE	708
MAGAZINES	138
MAP	0
MICROFORM	0
MM-KIT	0
NONFIC	958
OVERSIZED	0
POSTER	0
PUPPET	0
RECORD	0
REFERENCE	5
STORY_TIME	1
TOY	0
UNKNOWN	0
VF	0
VIDEO	601
YFICTION	82
YPAPERBACK	33
TOTAL	7662

3. Program statistics

Date Range:		FY 2007
Programs (in library)		11
Attendance (in library)		445
Children's programs		11
Attendance at children's programs		500
Programs (outside library)		8
Attendance (outside library)		500

4. SLP statistics

Date Range:		June/July 2007	SLP Registrants
Centers			
Birth-K	Off-Site		
Grades 1-6			
Subtotal			
Birth-K	In-Library		6
Grades 1-9			83
Sub-total			89
Kid total			89
15-18			
Adult			
Grand Total			89

5. User Count statistics

Year:	FY 2007
Adult users {5 days}	102
% of Regional total	0.80
Juvenile users {5 days}	85
% of Regional total	1.12
Total Users {5 days}	188
% of Regional total	0.92
Saturday & Sunday only	27
Total Weekly Circ.	182
% of Regional total	0.73
Total Weekly Ref.Ques.	5
% Regional of total	0.09
YEARLY TOTAL USERS	11180
YEARLY TOTAL CIRC	9464
YEARLY TOTAL QUESTIONS	277
Average Weekly Users	215

II. Community Overview

A. Ride-Around summation

The town of Crenshaw is 45 miles from Memphis and is located in the Mississippi Delta. Mississippi Highway 310 (east/west) and Highway 3 (north/south) form an intersection in the center of town.

The residential area along Highway 310 (Missouri Ave.) is attractive with many well-maintained homes and yards. One home in this area is listed on the Historic Register and has been bought by a young couple hoping to restore it. The residential area extends less than one half mile to the north and south of Highway 310. The road then crosses the main street and goes over the railroad tracks. Many of the houses and vacant lots on the west side of the tracks are poorly maintained with some junk visible in the yards. There are some well-kept homes but these do not predominate in the area. Although 30.6% of the population of Crenshaw is under 18 years of age, few signs of children are evident in the front yards.

On the day the ride-around occurred there were some homes with one or two vehicles in the driveways, but because the ride occurred about 3:15 p.m. few conclusions could be formed about vehicle ownership.

A few manufactured and mobile homes are located on the east side of town, but many more are located on the west side. Of the 348 housing units in Crenshaw, 109 are trailer type homes. This area also includes three well-maintained, government-subsidized complexes. One is reserved for the elderly.

The main commercial establishments are located on Broad Street that has a very run-down appearance in general. There are many vacant buildings in disrepair and some businesses have no signage indicating the nature of the business or name. Active businesses on the south end of town include a service station and convenience store known as the Hole-in-the Wall. There is also a fast food restaurant (Snack Shack) and a car wash. Nette's Beauty shop is on this end and is one of four beauty parlors in town. Fortunately, a laundromat and arcade is about to open in a building in fair condition. The most surprising business is Miss Billie's Pecans. The proprietor gets her pecans from Georgia. She attractively packages them, sometimes with sauces, and ships these products throughout the United States.

On the north end of town is the F&S, the only grocery store in town, and Redd's Hardware and Feed store, which has a neon beer sign in the window. Then there is an auto parts store operating near a very unkempt garage surrounded by seemingly inoperable vehicles. The First Security Bank is in an attractive building and a furniture store is located on the corner of Broad and Missouri. There is a dry-cleaning pick up operation on Broad.

A successful clay mining business (Kentucky Clay) and a gravel pit are located near Crenshaw, but they are outside the town limits.

No health services or pharmacy exist in town. There is no commercial childcare business either, but Yolanda K's is just south of town and cares for 27 children. The We Care facility is a daycare operation for the elderly and occupies a former movie theater on Broad.

Municipal services include the Post Office police station, fire department, town hall and the Sam Lapidus Library. The library operates in one of the most attractive buildings in town.

There is no public park, playground or any type of recreation center. Fishing and hunting undoubtedly provide recreation for some citizens and Sardis Lake is not far from town. A wildlife preserve is just outside of town and hunting is allowed, but no rifles may be used.

Crenshaw Elementary School serves students from pre-kindergarten through the 8th grade. The school building exterior seems in fair shape. Crenshaw Headstart is the only other educational facility in town. It does have some nice playground equipment. The nearest college is Northwest Community College in Senatobia.

Ethnic make-up is 71.5 % black, 27.6% white, .5% Hispanic and .5 Native American.

Many basic services are lacking in Crenshaw and 27.7% of the

citizens have incomes below the poverty line. Unemployment is 35% for blacks and 20% for whites. The only good economic news concerns the possible start-up of Rolando Foods that might employ up to 100 people. At this time this enterprise seems stalled.

The town does not have a promising future based on statistics and the appearance of the town. Perhaps there will be some gain in population with the general growth of the northwest Mississippi region.

B. History of the library

The Sam Lapidus Memorial Library was dedicated on July 9, 1978. The library was named for Mr. Lapidus who once owned at least two retail businesses in Crenshaw. Funds for the library were provided from an endowment from Mrs. Sam Lapidus and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Plough. These funds were combined with Crenshaw Revenue Sharing funds and matched by the Mississippi Library Commission. The cost of the building including construction, fees and equipment was \$113,000.

Library services were first provided in a room in the old Town Hall building starting in 1952. The first person serving as librarian was Marvel Ann Norton who was a high school student at the time.

When the new library opened the hours were Mon.-Fri. 1-6 p.m and Sat. 10 a.m. -3 p.m. The library is currently managed by Martha Rayburn and is open for 24 hours.

C. History of the community

The settlement called Crenshaw, Mississippi began when pioneers from Virginia from Virginia, Tennessee and the Carolinas began arriving. The land on which the settlement developed was ceded to the United States in the Treaty of Dancing Rabbit (1830) and the Treaty of Pontotoc (1832).

Some of the early settlers came with their belongings loaded on carts and wagons sometimes drawn by oxen. The community of Longtown, just East of Crenshaw, was settled first and some of these settlers invested in Crenshaw by building drygoods stores. These stores had a grocery in the back where groceries were sold and clothing and other items sold in the front. One of the early investors was Dr. H.W. Crenshaw for whom the town was named.

The town began to grow with the arrival of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad around 1902. Dr. Crenshaw gave the railroad the

right-of way. The area was heavily forested then and it became possible to easily ship the timber by train. Sawmills were built and homes constructed using planks and logs. Some early businesses were built with locally produced bricks.

The town was incorporated in 1906. The R.W. Baileys are named among the town's earliest residents. Mr. Bailey built one of the first general merchandise stores. Dr. Crenshaw, Sam Lapidus and Crawford and Fitzgerald also owned stores. The Crenshaw Bank began operation with Dr. Crenshaw, Chester Miller, J.B. Nelson, B.C. Neal (station agent), Harvey Parks and A.A. Crawford controlling shares. The bank merged with the State Bank of Como in the mid 1980's. The general merchandise store started by B.P. Gates continued operating under his son B.P. Gates, Jr. It later became a furniture store and was managed by the family until it was sold in 2003.

Around the turn of the century Baseball was a very popular activity. The first official team was organized in 1912. At first only wealthy people owned buggies, but much later Ford and Chevrolet dealerships opened. In early years people from the surrounding area would come to town on Saturdays to shop and catch up on the latest news and gossip. As more people bought cars, it became difficult to find a parking place on Saturdays. A tent picture show operated until the Ritz Theater was built by a Mr. Moore who later sold it to Paul Henterson. There was even a hotel named the Davenport. At least three grocery stores, a pharmacy and Eddie Crawley's Barber Shop were in business and later the Fox Family opened a dry cleaning establishment.

Three doctors offered their services including Dr. Jenkins and Dr. McCawley, Dr. Seale attended the birth of many babies and took care of the individuals, as they became adults.

At one time a cottonseed enterprise, once owned by T. Coleman Potts, two cotton gins, five service stations, The Crenshaw Insurance company and many other small businesses served the community. More recently the Plumley Rubber Company employed some residents. A regional newspaper published in 1980 contained advertisements from the Crenshaw Service Station, Bank of Crenshaw, Crenshaw Cleaners, the F&S Grocery and M & J Motors. The Ritz Theater was promoting a show by Howlin' Wolf, Jr.

Crenshaw, Como and Sardis schools consolidated in 1961 and local students began attending North Panola High School near Sardis.

The town began to lose population beginning in the 1980's, but during 2000-2005 the population was stable. The remaining residents hope for a return of prosperity.

III. Annual Community Events

Event: Christmas Parade
Date: Dec., exact date varies
Contact: Mayor Sylvester Reed, Phone (662) 382-5391
Information:

IV. Business Services

A. Three largest employers in your community

Name: F & S Grocery
Address: P.O. Box 278, Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5201

Name: Hole in the Wall
Address: P.O. Box
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5554

Name: First Security Bank
Address: P.O. Box
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5215

B. Health

1. Hospitals

Name: Quitman County Hospital
Address: 350 Getwell Drive
Marks, MS 3865
(662)326-8031

Name: North Oak Regional Medical Center
Address: 401 Getwell Drive
Senatobia, MS 38668
Phone #: (662) 562-3162

2. Clinics (n/a)**3. Nursing home / rest homes**

Name: Sardis Community Nursing Home
 Address: 613 East Lee St.
 Sardis, MS 39666
 Phone #: (662) 487-2720

Name: Golden Living Center
 Address: 154 Woodland Center
 Batesville, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 562-5664

Name: Senatobia Convalescent Center
 Address: 422 Getwell Drive
 Senatobia, MS 38668
 Phone #: (662) 562-5664

4. Other health related organizations and services

Name: Western Hills Health Care
 Address: P.O. Box 847
 Grenada, MS 38901
 Phone #: (662) 229-0081

V. Clubs, Organizations and Neighborhood Associations**A. Youth organizations and centers**

Name: Boys and Girls Club
 Address: Crenshaw Elementary School
 108 Hulet Avenue
 Crenshaw, MS 38621
 Phone #: (662) 382-5803
 Contact Person: Andrea Linzy
 Activities/Programs: Computer Hours
 (especially Summer) Arts and Crafts

B. Neighborhood Associations (n/a)***C. Civic Organizations***

Name:	Crenshaw Lions Club
Address:	P.O. Box 323 Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #:	(662) 382-5309
Contact Person:	Frank Rayburn
Activities/Programs (especially Summer)	Collects glasses, also involved in care for diabetic patients

D. Clubs – Garden, Country, Hobby (n/a)***E. Fraternal Organizations***

Name:	Masons: St. John's Lodge #61
Address:	817 Jones Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #:	(662) 382-5552
Contact Person:	F. C. Kelson, Jr.
Activities/Programs (especially Summer)	None currently

F. Housing associations (n/a)***G. Charitable organizations (n/a)******H. Social agencies (n/a)******I. Legal Aid (n/a)******J. Labor unions (n/a)***

K. Veteran's organizations

Name: None currently. The American Legion existed during 1980's and early 1990's.

L. Cultural Organizations and activities

1. Art Societies/Councils *(n/a)*
2. Dramatic Groups *(n/a)*
3. Book clubs/Literary societies *(n/a)*
4. Museums *(n/a)*
5. Symphonies/Opera/Music *(n/a)*
6. Dance *(n/a)*

M. Other

Name: A.S.L Water Association
Address: 330 Old Highway Rd
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-7463
Contact Person: Dorothy Miller

VI. Demographics

A. Population

1. Numbers

	2000	2005 (July 1)	2006 (July 1)	% Change 2000/2006	% Change 2000/2005
Panola County	34,274	35,217	35,427	3.4	2.8
Crenshaw	916	924	2,332		0.9

*Source: U.S. Census Bureau. American FactFinder. Population Estimates.

**Source for 2006 population for communities is: ESRI Business Information Solutions. Products Reports. Zip Code Lookup

2. Ages

Panola County: Population – Ages (2005 Estimate)		
Ages	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	2,731	7.70%
Ages 5-9	2,530	7.20%
Ages 10-14	2,618	7.40%
Ages 15-19	2,755	7.80%
Ages 20-34	7,580	21.40%
Ages 35-54	9,485	26.90%
Ages 55-65	3,425	9.70%
Persons 65 years and older	4,207	11.90%
TOTAL	35,331	100%
** Source: Census Bureau. Estimates 2005		
MEDIAN AGE BY LOCATION: 2006		
Panola County	33.6	
Crenshaw	32.2	

3. Changes / Trends (n/a)

4. Ethnic makeup

ETHNIC MAKEUP: Panola County 2005		
Ethnic Makeup	2005	Percentage
White	17,810	50.4
Black	16,951	48
Native American & Alaska Native	52	0.1
Asian	75	0.2
Hispanic or Latino	483	1.4
Native Hawaiian	3	0
Persons of 2 or more races	73	0.2
TOTAL COUNTY POPULATION	35,331	
Ethnic Makeup for Batesville, Como, Crenshaw and Sardis is only available for 2000		

5. Foreign languages spoken (n/a)

6. Education levels

Educational Levels: Panola County 2006		
	Number	Percentage
Less than 9 th Grade	2,423	10.93
9-12 years (no diploma)	4,051	18.27
High School Graduates	7,312	32.98
Some College – No degree	3,995	18.02
Associate Degree	1,494	6.74
Bachelor Degree	2,137	9.64
Graduate Degree	761	3.43

Educational Levels: Age 25+ Communities 2006 (percentage only)			
Location	Associate Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate Degree
Batesville	7.3	17.7	5.6
Como	4.2	12.9	6.8
Crenshaw	5.8	5.5	1.7
Sardis	5.2	6.7	4.2
2000 are the latest statistics available for High School graduates for the above communities			

B. Housing

1. Types of housing in service area

LOCATION	OWNER OCC. UNITS	RENTER OCC. UNITS	VACANT UNITS	TOTAL HOUSING UNITS	NEW CONST. PERMITS
Crenshaw	260	89	45	394	0
Source: Mississippi Development Authority					

2. House sales by Zip Code (n/a)

3. Average cost per square foot for new construction (n/a)

4. Average size of housing

LOCATION	# HOUSEHOLDS	AVG. HOUSEHOLD SIZE	MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME
Crenshaw	348	2.67	\$22,685
Source: Mississippi Development Authority			

5. Average number living in a single dwelling

HOUSING: PANOLA COUNTY 2006		
INCOME LEVEL	2006	PERCENT 2006
0 - \$34,999	7,019	53.8
\$35,000 - \$49,999	2,054	15.7
\$50,000 - \$74,999	2,213	16.95
\$75,000 +	1,768	13.5
TOTAL NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS:		
	13,054	
PERSONS BY HOUSEHOLD (2000 data only)		
	2.75	
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME:		
	\$32,114	

C. Economic

- 1. Unemployment rate**
- 2. Average income**
- 3. Percentage of types of jobs**

ECONOMIC: Panola County		
Per Capita Income: \$20,017 (2004)		
Average Annual Wage: \$24,959 (2005)		
Unemployment Rate: 8.8% (2007)		
Employment by Industry 2007		
Total Nonagricultural	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
11,730	2,150	9,580
Source: Mississippi Department of Employment Security. February 2007		

D. Zip Code map (n/a)

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VII. Education

A. Public & Private Schools

Name: Crenshaw Elementary School (pre-kindergarten-8th grade)
Address: 108 Hulet Ave
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5803

B. Universities & Colleges

Name: Coahoma Community College
Address: 3240 Friars Point Rd.
Clarksdale, MS 38614
Phone #: (662) 627-2571
Webpage: <http://www.ccc.cc.ms.us/>

Name: Northwest Community College
Address: 4975 Highway 51 North
Senatobia, MS 38668
Phone #: (662) 581-3200
Webpage: <http://www.northwestms.edu/>

C. Home School Groups (n/a)

D. Child Care Services

Name: Yolanda K. Daycare
 Address: 579 Highway 315 West Sledge
 Sledge, MS 38670
 Phone #: (662) 382-7040
 Webpage:
 Capacity: 27
 Ages served: Infants and children 4 year olds and younger
 Transportation: Parents provided

Hours	Open:	Close:
Sunday		Closed
Monday	7 a.m.	5:30 p.m
Tuesday	7 a.m.	5:30 p.m
Wednesday	7 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Thursday	7 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Friday	7 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Saturday		closed

E. Other Libraries (i.e. church, hospital, chamber, etc.) (n/a)

VIII. Government

A. Government Offices

1. City

a) City council

<http://www.firstregional.org./FRLAreaResources.html#Officials>

Name: Sylvester Reed, Mayor
 District/Ward: Town of Crenshaw
 Address: P.O. Box 88
 815 Park Ave.
 Crenshaw, MS 38621
 Phone #: (662) 382-5391
 Webpage:

Name: Keith Pride
District/Ward: Ward 1
Address: 118 Porter St.
P.O. Box 327
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-7265
Webpage:

Name: David Whitsell
District/Ward: Ward 2
Address: 232 Terry
P.O. 372
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-7320
Webpage:

Name: Alberta Bradley
District/Ward: Ward 3
Address: 221 South Ave. East
P.O. Box 37
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-7779
Webpage:

Name: Shirley Morgan
District/Ward: Ward 4
Address: P.O. Box 212
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-7601
Webpage:

Name: Milton Phipps
District/Ward: Ward 5
Address: 215 West South Ave.
P.O. 313
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5506

b) City districts (n/a)

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c) Fire stations

Name: Crenshaw Fire Dept.
Address: P.O. Box 206
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5353

d) Police stations

Name: Crenshaw Police Dept.
Address: P.O. Box 296
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5272

2. County**a) Board of Supervisors**

Name: James Birge
District/Ward: Dist. 1
Address: 23955 Highway 310
Como, MS 38619
Phone #: (662) 934-0085
Webpage:

Name: Robert Avant, Sr.
District/Ward: Dist. 2
Address: 1332 Avant Rd.
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 609-2437
Webpage: Ravant@panola.com

Name: Mack Benson
District/Ward: Dist. 3
Address: 1536 Benson Road
Courtland, MS 38620
Phone #: (662) 609-2478
Webpage:

Name: Jerry Perkins

District/Ward Dist. 4
 Address: 347 Perkins Road
 Batesville, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 609-2475

Webpage:

Name: William "Bubba" Waldrup
 District/Ward Dist. 5
 Address: 208 Bruce St.
 Batesville, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 563-3423
 Webpage:

b) County districts (n/a)

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3. State

a) Senators

Name: H. Nolan Mettetal
 District/Ward 1
 Address: P.O. Box 414
 Sardis MS 38666
 Phone #: (662) 487 1512
 Webpage: nmettetal@mail.senate.state.ms.us

b) Representatives

Name: Clara Henderson Burnett
 District/Ward 9
 Address: P.O. Box 1469
 Tunica, MS 38676
 Phone #: (662) 363-1730 (h)
 (662) 363-2531
 Webpage: cburnett@mail.house.state.ms.us

Name: Warner McBride
 District/Ward: 10

Address: 7697 Eureka Road
 Courtland, MS 38620
 Phone #: (662) 578-4371
 Webpage: wmcbride@mail.house.ms.us

Name: Dr. Joe Gardner
 District/Ward 11
 Address: 11084 Curtis Road
 Batesville, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 563-7751
 Webpage: Imorris@mail.house.state.ms.us

c) State districts (n/a)

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B. Political party organizations (n/a)

IX. Media

A. Newspapers

Name: The Democrat
 Address: 219 East Main St.
 Senatobia, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 561-3866
 Webpage: thedemocrat.com

Name: Panolian
 Address: P.O. Box 1616
 Batesville, MS 38606
 Phone #: (662) 563-4591
 Webpage:

Name: Memphis Commercial Appeal has home delivery

B. Radio stations (n/a)

C. Television stations (n/a)

X. Parks & Recreation

A. Parks (n/a)

B. Recreation center (n/a)

C. Major attractions (n/a)

D. City/County sports leagues

Name: In the fairly recent past, the Lions' Club built a baseball field, but it is no longer being maintained.

Name: Boys and Girls Club sponsors Peewee Football
Address: 108 Hulet Avenue. (Crenshaw Elementary School)
(662) 382-5803

XI. Religious Groups

A. Churches

Name: Crenshaw Baptist Church
Address: P.O. Box 246
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662)382-5945
Webpage:

Name: Crenshaw United Methodist Church
Address: P.O. Crenshaw MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5219
Webpage:

Name: Crenshaw Holiness Church
Address: 303 W.M. Stokes St.
Crenshaw, MS 38621
Phone #: (662) 382-5383
Webpage:

B. Synagogues (n/a)

C. Mosques (n/a)

XII. Transportation

A. Buses (n/a)

B. Taxis (n/a)

C. Airports

Name:	Tunica County Airport
Address:	209 South Airport Blvd Tunica, MS 38676
Phone #:	(662) 363-6889