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PRESS RELEASE

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Vote for Ocean Springs as US Today's 10Best Coastal Small Town

(Ocean Springs, MS) - Ocean Springs is up for another award, USA Today's Best Coastal Small Town. As the only town in Mississippi up for the award, the community is encouraged to vote for Ocean Springs now through May 14.

With a population of fewer than 25,000 people, these towns nominated offer uncrowded, unpretentious and affordable seaside fun in small packages. Move over Miami, Honolulu and Los Angeles, Ocean Springs is in the running.

"With its quaint, eclectic charm, we are delighted to have Ocean Springs nominated once again for this award," says Executive Director Cynthia Sutton of the Ocean Springs Chamber of Commerce-Main Street-Tourism Bureau. "Ocean Springs is a tourist favorite and, we encourage our entire coastal community and those throughout the state to promote Ocean Springs for this award."

Vote for Ocean Springs once per day as Best Coastal Small Town **until polls close on May 14 at noon, ET.** Visit <https://www.10best.com/awards/travel/best-coastal-small-town/> to vote.

For more information, contact us at the Ocean Springs Chamber of Commerce-Main Street-Tourism Bureau at 228-875-4424 or visit us at www.oceanspringschamber.com.

Mission: *To promote tourism, provide progressive leadership for economic and community vitality for the greater Ocean Springs, Jackson County area and gulf coast and to enhance local culture and preserve quality of life through planned growth, diversification and beautification.*

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