

# NATURALIZATION PROCEEDINGS



Memphis City Hall  
City Council Chambers  
Memphis, Tennessee  
Thursday, September 19, 2024  
10:00 A.M.

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NATURALIZATION PROCEEDINGS AT MEMPHIS**

**City of Memphis Council Chambers**

Thursday, September 19, 2024

10:00 A.M.

**Chief District Judge Sheryl H. Lipman, Presiding**

District Judge J. Daniel Breen

District Judge S. Thomas Anderson

District Judge John T. Fowlkes, Jr.

District Judge Thomas L. Parker

**OPENING COURT**

Clerk of Court Wendy R. Oliver

*Please remain standing for the advancement of the flag, Pledge of Allegiance, and the National Anthem.*

**ADVANCEMENT OF THE FLAG**

Collierville Police Department Honor Guard

Presentation of the Colors

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Maryory Rivas and Alycia Williams

Compass-Midtown High School

**NATIONAL ANTHEM**

“The Star-Spangled Banner” by The Memphis Peacemakers

Memphis Police Department

**COMMEMORATION OF THE 237<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE  
SIGNING OF THE U.S. CONSTITUTION**

Compass-Midtown High School Students will recite the  
Preamble to the United States Constitution.

**RECOGNITION OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP & IMMIGRATION SERVICES**

The Court recognizes Mallory Itayem, Immigration Services  
Officer, United States Citizenship and Immigration Services.

**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

Clerk of Court Wendy R. Oliver

**WELCOME ADDRESS BY THE COURT**

Chief District Judge Sheryl H. Lipman

**RECOGNITION OF DIGNITARIES & CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS**

Chief District Judge Sheryl H. Lipman

**REMARKS**

- Acting United States Attorney Reagan Fondren
- Congressman David Kustoff, Represented by Isaac Weston
- Deputy Administrator of Elections Joe W. Young II
- City of Memphis Multicultural Liaison Queen Keskesa

**RECOGNITION OF INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS**

Immigration Services Officer Mallory Itayem

Each new citizen will state their name and country of origin.

**ADJOURN COURT**

Clerk of Court Wendy R. Oliver

**NEW CITIZENS WILL REMAIN TO RECEIVE  
THEIR NATURALIZATION CERTIFICATES**

# SPECIAL THANKS AND RECOGNITION

## COMPASS-MIDTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

*Chris Hardesty, Principal*

*Scott Stephens, Social Studies Department Chair*

<i>Samuel Balcha</i>	<i>Paola Leon</i>	<i>Nicholas Morgan</i>	<i>Laine Tanner</i>
<i>Alex Barragan</i>	<i>Kolby Lovell</i>	<i>Maryory Rivas</i>	<i>Breyawana Taylor</i>
<i>Janiya Dockery</i>	<i>Taylor Mallory</i>	<i>Angela Rodriguez</i>	<i>Nabil Toto</i>
<i>Alejandro Espinosa</i>	<i>Imari Matthews</i>	<i>Alexander Real</i>	<i>Torri Traylor II</i>
<i>Roxana Espinoza</i>	<i>Isaiah Matthews</i>	<i>Diana Sanchez</i>	<i>Masonn Walters</i>
<i>Yesenia Gasca</i>	<i>Brenda Mena</i>	<i>Linsi Santos</i>	<i>Alycia Williams</i>

## MEMPHIS PEACE MAKERS

*Officer Thermon Richardson*

*Captain Robert Phifer, Retired*

*Lieutenant Joe Griffin, Retired*

## COLLIERVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT HONOR GUARD

*Lieutenant Steve Herring*

*Officer Summer Fitts*

*Officer Blake Marr*

*Officer Eric Stevens*

*Officer Andrew Chumney*