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**Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi receives USA TODAY Travel Award  
and places in the Top 5 for Best U.S. Casinos**

**BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI (Wednesday, July 1, 2015)** – After receiving a nomination from USA TODAY travel experts, the 10Best Readers' Choice Awards closed on the June 28 after four weeks of voting. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi received 5<sup>th</sup> place for Best U.S. Casino. You can see and share the full list of winners at <http://www.10best.com/awards/travel/best-u-s-casino/>.

Nominees are chosen by a panel of relevant experts, which include a combination of editors from USA TODAY; editors from 10Best.com; relevant expert contributors; and sources for both these media and other Gannett properties.

"It was an honor simply to be nominated in the first place by USA TODAY travel experts as one of the top 20 U.S. Casinos", said Hard Rock Biloxi General Manager, Todd Raziano. "However, to have our loyal guests and USA TODAY readers vote as much as they did to get us ranked as one of the Top 5 Best Casinos in the country is a true honor, as it is a testament to the remarkable guests we have coming here year after year. It's a privilege and pleasure to serve them."

10Best.com provides users with original, unbiased, and experiential travel content of top attractions, things to see and do, and restaurants for top destinations in the U.S. and around the world. The core of the site's uniqueness is its team of local travel experts: a well-traveled and well-educated group who are not only experts in their fields - and their cities - but discriminating in their tastes.

**About Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi**

*Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Biloxi is owned and operated by Premier Entertainment Biloxi LLC, a subsidiary of TRMG, which is wholly owned by [Twin River Worldwide Holdings](#). The property features a Hard Rock Casino with over 1,200 slot machines, 50 table games and a poker room. There are also 479 hotel rooms and suites. The Rock Spa offers services such as facials, massages, body wraps and a full service salon. Additional conveniences include fitness center, unique beach pool features, nine restaurants including Tequila's on the Gulf, Half Shell Oyster House, Satisfaction Buffet, 24/7 Grille, Ruth's Chris Steakhouse, Pie Five Pizza Co., Hard Rock Café, Ben & Jerry's and Starbucks. Hard Rock Live® can accommodate over 2,000 guests for headline entertainment in their 9,000-square foot theater. Hard Rock also features nine bars, two dance clubs, two retail shops, three live music venues and a VIP Lounge. The Hard Rock Hotel & Casino is located at 777 Beach Boulevard – Home of the Largest Jackpot in Mississippi Gaming History! For more information, visit [www.hardrockbiloxi.com](http://www.hardrockbiloxi.com).*

**About Hard Rock International**

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