

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THERE IS BEGUN AND HELD THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI ON JUNE 16, 1998 AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE BOARD ROOM OF SAID CITY.

THOSE PRESENT

MAYOR JACK GAY

CITY ATTORNEY

THOMAS W. TYNER

ALDERMEN

WILLIE W. HINTON  
CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
DONALD H. ROWELL  
LEROY SCOTT

OTHERS PRESENT

DICKIE CARPENTER  
AURAR EVANS  
RODNEY JARRELL  
TERRY STEED

THE MAYOR DECLARED A QUORUM PRESENT AND DECLARED THE CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION.

THE INVOCATION WAS OFFERED BY LEROY SCOTT.

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED.

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE AGENDA TO THE BOARD WITH THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS:

ADD:

X. GENERAL BUSINESS

10. REQUEST TO PURCHASE RADAR AT STATE CONTRACT

11. REQUEST TO REINSTATE ALDERMAN HOLBROOK'S SALARY  
EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

12. REQUEST TO PURCHASE MUTE SYSTEM FOR BASE RADIO AT  
POLICE DEPARTMENT

XI. B) REQUEST FOR FIRE CHIEF TO ATTEND INTERNATIONAL FIRE  
CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION IN LOUISVILLE, KY. IN SEPTEMBER

XII. C) PROMOTE ALVIN MILLER TO SERGEANT EFFECTIVE JUNE 21,  
1998

D) REQUEST TO HIRE PART-TIME DISPATCHERS DOVE & BROADHEAD  
EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AT \$6.50 PER HOUR

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE AGENDA WITH THE FOREGOING AMENDMENTS. ALDERMAN LANGFORD SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF JUNE 2, 1998 AS WRITTEN. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY CALLED FOR PUBLIC COMMENT, BUT THERE WAS NONE.

WHEREAS, THE HOUR OF 7:00 P.M. HAVING ARRIVED THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN PROCEEDED TO PUBLICLY OPEN AND READ THE SEALED BIDS FOR THE SIX MONTH TERM CONTRACT FOR ASPHALT/OVERLAY.

SEE EXHIBIT "A"

DUNN ROADBUILDERS, L.L.C.  
P O BOX 6560  
LAUREL, MS. 39441-6560

WARREN PAVING  
P O BOX 572  
HATTIESBURG, MS. 39403

EAGLE PAVING & CONTRACTING CO.  
101 ALBERT STREET  
PETAL, MS. 39465

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT ALL OF THE BIDS BECAUSE OF AVAILABILITY PROBLEMS AT CERTAIN TIMES. ALDERMAN HINTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING QUITCLAIM DEED CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF PETAL FROM JAMES K. DUKES & PAUL H. HOLMES THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS PROFESSIONAL PARKWAY AND A LETTER FROM RAYMOND M. DEARMAN, CITY ENGINEER, STATING THAT HE HAS INSPECTED THE STREET AND CONSIDERS IT READY FOR ACCEPTANCE BY THE CITY.

SEE EXHIBIT "B"

QUITCLAIM DEED

LETTER-DEARMAN

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN LANGFORD MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT PROFESSIONAL PARKWAY AS A DESIGNATED CITY STREET. ALDERMAN ROWELL SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, DICKIE CARPENTER ADDRESSED THE BOARD REQUESTING A TEMPORARY VARIANCE FOR THE PAVING OF THE DRIVE AND PARKING AREA AROUND HIS PROPOSED MINI-WAREHOUSES BECAUSE THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TRAILERS WILL NOT BE MOVED OFF OF HIS PROPERTY UNTIL DECEMBER OF THIS YEAR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN HOLBROOK MADE A MOTION TO GRANT MR CARPENTER THE TEMPORARY VARIANCE UNTIL THE MDOT TRAILERS ARE MOVED FROM HIS PROPERTY. ALDERMAN SCOTT SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR THE CITY TO PURCHASE AN AD FROM THE PETAL HIGH SCHOOL BAND BOOSTER CLUB FOR THE PETAL HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PROGRAM.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION THAT THE CITY PURCHASE A FULL PAGE AD AT A COST OF \$100.00. ALDERMAN LANGFORD SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY REQUESTED THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE TWO (2) WARD 4 PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERS AND THE WARD 4 VARIANCE COMMITTEE MEMBER FROM WARD 4 ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO TABLE THIS MATTER THIS MATTER UNTIL THE NEXT MEETING. ALDERMAN HINTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE RECOMMENDATION FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION TO GRANT THE ZONING CHANGE REQUEST FROM A.J. MERRITT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO GRANT THE ZONING CHANGE REQUEST AND TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING MAP TO REFLECT THE CHANGE. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

SEE EXHIBIT "C"

ORDINANCE 1979 (42-A102)

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE RECOMMENDATION FROM THE PLANNING COMMISSION TO GRANT THE ZONING CHANGE REQUEST FROM MARY YEAGER.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO GRANT THE ZONING CHANGE REQUEST AND TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING MAP TO REFLECT THE ZONING CHANGE. ALDERMAN LANGFORD SECONDED THE MOTION.

SEE EXHIBIT "D"

ORDINANCE 1979 (42-A103)

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION TO DENY THE ZONING CHANGE REQUEST BY CLIFFORD AND MARGARET BAYLIS.

THEREUPON, CLIFFORD BAYLIS STATED THAT THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN IN HIS FAMILY FOR SIXTY YEARS AND THAT HE AND HIS SISTER HAVE DECIDED TO SELL THE PROPERTY AS COMMERCIAL SINCE NORTH MAIN IS GOING TO EVENTUALLY BE COMMERCIAL AND THEY HAVE A BUYER WHO IS REALLY PRESSED FOR TIME AND HE WOULD REQUEST THAT THE BOARD OVERRULE THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION. MR. BAYLIS STATED THAT HE WOULD ACCEPT A ZONING CHANGE TO C-1 SINCE HIS BUYER'S BUSINESS WOULD FIT THAT ZONING.

THEREUPON, BILLY LEE, A RESIDENT OF NORTH MAIN STREET, STATED THAT WHEN N MAIN WAS WIDENED HE WAS TOLD BY THE CITY FATHERS THAT N MAIN STREET WOULD BE GOING COMMERCIAL AND THEN W 1ST AVENUE WAS WIDENED TO FACILITATE COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC TO THE SHOPPING CENTER IT WAS OBVIOUS THAT EVENTUALLY N MAIN AND THAT AREA OF TOWN WOULD BE COMMERCIAL. NOW, MR LEE STATES, THE CITY IS GOING TO DENY A PIECE OF PROPERTY REZONING TO COMMERCIAL.

THEREUPON, AFTER LENGTHY DISCUSSION, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO TAKE THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION UNDER ADVISEMENT FOR ONE (1) WEEK AND RECONVENE TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER AT 7:00 ON JUNE 23, 1998. ALDERMAN HINTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT APPLICATION FORM UNDER THE "MISSISSIPPI JUVENILE TOBACCO ACCESS PREVENTION ACT" FOR THE BOARD'S APPROVAL.

SEE EXHIBIT "E"

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT APPLICATION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION THAT THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT APPLICATION BE APPROVED. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN DISCUSSED WITH FIRE CHIEF AUBRA EVANS AND FORREST COUNTY CIVIL DEFENSE COORDINATOR TERRY STEED THE CITY'S MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICTS. AFTER A LENGTHY DISCUSSION, THE BOARD REQUESTED THAT THE CITY ATTORNEY PREPARE A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE CITY'S MUTUAL AID RESPONSE AGREEMENT.

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A REQUEST FROM CHIEF JARRELL TO PURCHASE A RADAR UNIT OF UNIT # 39 AT A COST OF \$1,077.59 FROM DECATUR ELECTRONICS AT THE STATE CONTRACT PRICE.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO PURCHASE THE RADAR. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY STATED THAT ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK HAS REQUESTED THAT HIS SALARY BE REINSTATED TO \$600.00 PER MONTH EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN HINTON MADE A MOTION TO REINSTATE ALDERMAN HOLBROOK'S SALARY TO \$600.00 PER MONTH EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY. ALDERMAN ROWELL SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A REQUEST TO PURCHASE A "MUTE SYSTEM" FROM MOTOROLA TO BLOCK OUT SOME OF THE BLEED-OVER NOISE ON THE BASE RADIO STATION AT THE POLICE STATION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF THE "MUTE SYSTEM" AT A COST OF \$648.00 FROM MOTOROLA. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A TRAVEL REQUEST TO ATTEND THE MEDC SEMINAR IN BILOXI ON JULY 22-24, 1998.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE MAYOR GAY TO ATTEND THE MEDC CONFERENCE AND TO PAY HIS EXPENSES. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A TRAVEL REQUEST FOR FIRE CHIEF AUBRA EVANS TO ATTEND THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE CHIEFS CONFERENCE IN LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY IN SEPTEMBER.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE FIRE CHIEF TO ATTEND THE CONFERENCE AND TO PAY HIS EXPENSES. ALDERMAN HOLBROOK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDER HIRING RICHARD WALLEY IN THE STREET DEPARTMENT EFFECTIVE JUNE 12, 1998.

**ORDER**

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI DO HEREBY DEEM IT NECESSARY TO HIRE A LABORER IN THE STREET DEPARTMENT.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT RICHARD WALLEY BE HIRED AS A LABORER IN THE STREET DEPARTMENT AT A RATE OF \$6.25 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JUNE 12, 1998.

SO ORDERED ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 1998.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN LANGFORD SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY REQUESTED THAT THE BOARD CONSIDER A SALARY ADJUSTMENT FOR JEFFERY ESTER TO \$6.50 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JULY 7, 1998.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDER INCREASING JEFFERY ESTER TO \$6.50 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JULY 7, 1998. ALDERMAN HINTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

**ORDER**

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI DO HEREBY DEEM IT NECESSARY DUE TO THE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF HIS THREE MONTH PROBATIONARY PERIOD TO INCREASE JEFFERY ESTER'S SALARY.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT JEFFERY ESTER'S PAY BE INCREASED TO THE RATE OF \$6.50 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JULY 7, 1998.

SO ORDERED ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 1998.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A REQUEST FROM CHIEF JARRELL TO PROMOTE PATROLMAN ALVIN MILLER TO SERGEANT EFFECTIVE JUNE 21, 1998.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN ROWELL MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDER PROMOTING PATROLMAN MILLER TO SERGEANT. ALDERMAN SCOTT SECONDED THE MOTION.

ORDER

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI DO HEREBY DEEM IT NECESSARY DUE TO THE RECOMMENDATION BY CHIEF JARRELL TO PROMOTE ALVIN MILLER TO SERGEANT.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT ALVIN MILLER'S PAY BE INCREASED TO THE RATE OF \$22,000.00 ANNUALLY EFFECTIVE JUNE 21, 1998.

SO ORDERED ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 1998.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED A REQUEST FROM CHIEF RODNEY JARRELL TO HIRE LORRAINE DOVE AND SUE ELLEN BROADHEAD AS PART-TIME DISPATCHERS.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDERS. ALDERMAN HINTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

ORDER

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI DO HEREBY DEEM IT NECESSARY TO HIRE A PART-TIME DISPATCHER IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT LORRAINE DOVE BE HIRED AS A PART-TIME DISPATCHER AT A RATE OF \$6.50 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JUNE 17, 1998.

SO ORDERED ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 1998.

ORDER

WHEREAS, THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI DO HEREBY DEEM IT NECESSARY TO HIRE A PART-TIME DISPATCHER IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT SUE ELLEN BROADHEAD BE HIRED AS A PART-TIME DISPATCHER AT A RATE OF \$6.50 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JUNE 17, 1998.

SO ORDERED ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 1998.



THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY STATED THAT THE CURRIE FAMILY, WHICH OWNS THE PROPERTY BEING PURCHASED BY WALMART FOR THE NEW STORE, HAS REQUESTED THAT THE CITY PASS A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INCLUDE THE STRETCH OF THE NEW HIGHWAY THAT WILL RUN IN FRONT OF THEIR PROPERTY IN THEIR IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION PLANS SO THAT WALMART CAN PROCEED WITH THEIR PLANS.

SEE EXHIBIT "F"

RESOLUTION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN HINTON MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION. ALDERMAN ROWELL SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY PRESENTED THE PRIVILEGE LICENSE REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY TO THE BOARD.

WHEREAS, ALDERMAN SCOTT MADE A MOTION TO CLEAR THE ROOM TO DETERMINE IF AN EXECUTIVE SESSION IS NEEDED WITH THE POLICE CHIEF TO DISCUSS PERSONNEL PROBLEMS. ALDERMAN LANGFORD SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR GAY REOPENED THE MEETING AS IT WAS DETERMINED THAT AN EXECUTIVE SESSION WAS NOT NEEDED.

NO OFFICIAL ACTION WAS TAKEN.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN HINTON MADE A MOTION TO RECESS UNTIL TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1998, AT 7:00 P.M. ALDERMAN ROWELL SECONDED THE MOTION.

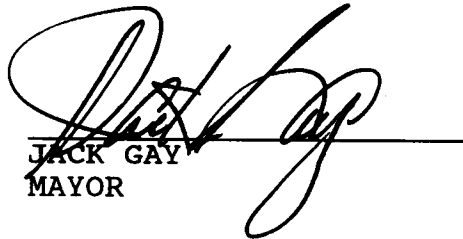
THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE":

ALDERMAN WILLIE W. HINTON  
ALDERMAN CHARLES E. HOLBROOK  
ALDERMAN ROBERT F. LANGFORD  
ALDERMAN DONALD H. ROWELL  
ALDERMAN LEROY SCOTT

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY":

NONE

THEREBEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN WAS RECESSED UNTIL 7:00 P.M. ON JUNE  
23. 1998 ON THIS THE 16TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D., 1998.



JACK GAY  
MAYOR

(SEAL)

ATTEST:



PRISCILLA C. DANIEL  
CITY CLERK

EXHIBIT "A"

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ASPHALT AND ASPHALT OVERLAY IN PLACE

Contractor's Mix Asphalt FOB Plant per ton           \$24.65          

Contractor's Mix Asphalt and EA-4tack,  
in place per ton at           \$34.50          

Sealed bids will be received until 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, June 16,  
1998, in the Board Room of the City Hall at 119 West 8th Avenue,  
Petal, MS.

WARREN PAVING, INC.  
P.O. BOX 572  
HATTIESBURG, MS 39403

James Tony Broome  
JAMES TONY BROOME, VICE-PRESII

JUNE 16, 1998

EXHIBIT "A"

Eagle Paving + Contracting  
101 Albert St Inc  
Petal MS 39465

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ASPHALT AND ASPHALT OVERLAY IN PLACE

Contractor's Mix Asphalt FOB Plant per ton \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's Mix Asphalt and EA-4tack,  
in place per ton at \$ 38.50

Sealed bids will be received until 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, June 16,  
1998, in the Board Room of the City Hall at 119 West 8th Avenue,  
Petal, MS.

*Paul Stewarts*

DUNN ROADBUILDERS, L. L. C.  
bid on  
BITUMINOUS MATERIALS

DATE: JUNE 16, 1998

TO: MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN - TOWN OF PETAL

WE PROPOSE TO FURNISH TO TOWN OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI, THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS, ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1998.

PART I, FOB PLANT: Bids shall be FOB PLANT, loaded in Town of Petal vehicles. All hot plantmix asphalt and equipment shall meet the Mississippi Standard Specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction, 1989 Edition per Sections 301, 401, 403 & 703, Tables A & B in Section 703.

BITUMINOUS MATERIALS


<u>PAY ITEM</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>UNIT PRICE</u>
S-408-B	Emulsified Asphalt for Tack, less than transport quantity	\$ 1.50/Gal.
S-301-A	Hot Bituminous Base Plantmix Asphalt (BB-1)	\$26.50/Ton
S-403-B	Hot Bituminous Binder Plantmix Asphalt (BC-1)	\$26.50/Ton
S-403-C	Hot Bituminous Surface Plantmix Asphalt (SC-1)	\$26.00/Ton
S-403-C	Hot Bituminous Surface Plantmix Asphalt (SC-2)	\$27.00/Ton
ALT.	Hot Bituminous Surface Plantmix Asphalt (Contractor Specification) to meet SC-1 or	\$24.00/Ton

PART II, COST FOR PLACING MATERIALS : Bids are IN PLACE UNIT PRICES for materials purchased from Dunn Roadbuilders, L.L.C. and placed as directed by Town of Petal. All work and equipment used must meet the Mississippi Standard Specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction, 1989 Edition, for the applicable pay items.

I.	Emulsified Asphalt for Tack, SS-1	\$1.50/Gal
II.	Hot Bituminous Asphalt  (Under 300 Tons will need to be quoted per project conditions)	\$9.00/Ton
III.	Haul of Hot Mix Asphalt/Min, Haul \$.150/Ton	\$.12/T/Mi

SUBMITTED BY:

DUNN ROADBUILDERS, L. L. C.

BY:   
Title Vice President

CERTIFICATE OF RESPONSIBILITY #0009

EXHIBIT "B"

**SHOWS, DEARMAN & WAITS, INC.**

CONSULTING ENGINEERS  
P.O. BOX 1711, 301 SECOND AVENUE  
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI 39403-1711  
TELEPHONE 601-544-1821  
FAX 601-544-0501

RAYMOND M. DEARMAN, P.E., R.L.S.  
MICHAEL T. WAITS, P.E., R.L.S.  
WILLIAM F. WAITS, P.E., R.L.S.  
NICHOLAS M. CONNOLLY, P.E.

PAUL J. SHOWS (1996)

May 28, 1998

Mayor and Board of Aldermen  
City of Petal  
102 West 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Petal, Mississippi 39465

RE: James K. Dukes & Paul H. Holmes  
Acceptance of Professional Parkway

Gentlemen:

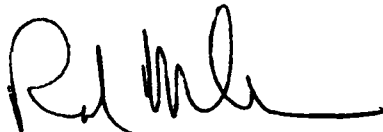
I have this day inspected the above captioned and consider it ready for acceptance and maintenance by the City.

If you recall, the development which consists of approximately 700 feet of streets was constructed about 10 years ago, and an asphalt base course was used for the riding surface. Then last week, McQueen Construction of Collins made repairs on the based course and installed the final surface course.

I don't anticipate you having any trouble with the street and am recommending to you that you accept said streets.

Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to call. With kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely,



Raymond M. Dearman, P.E., R.L.S.  
City Engineer

RMD/bs

EXHIBIT "B"

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF FORREST

QUITCLAIM DEED

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), cash in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, JAMES K. DUKES AND PAUL H. HOLMES, Grantors, do hereby sell, convey and quitclaim unto THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI, a municipal corporation, Grantee, fee simple title to the following described real property located and situated in Forrest County, Mississippi:

DESCRIPTION EASEMENT #2, PAVED ROAD:

Commence at the Southwest corner of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 36, Township 5 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi and run North for 227.91 feet; thence run East for 35.73 feet to a 1" iron pipe, the East right-of-way line of North Main paved public street, and the point of beginning. From the point of beginning, run N89°43'57"E for 148.40 feet; thence run S00°06'58"E for 29.00 feet; thence run S89°43'57"W for 148.40 feet back to the aforementioned East right of way line of North Main paved public street; thence run N00°06'58"W along said right-of-way line for 29.00 feet back to the point of beginning. Said Easement is part of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 36, Township 5 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi and contains 4303.59 square feet, more or less.

DESCRIPTION EASEMENT #3, PROFESSIONAL PARKWAY:

Commence at the Southwest corner of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the Southwest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 36, Township 5 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi and run North for 227.91 feet; thence run East for 35.73 feet to a 1" iron pipe, the East right-of-way line of North Main paved public street; thence run N89°43'57"E for 148.40 feet to and for the point of beginning. From the point of beginning, run N00°06'58"W for 392.91 feet to the South right-of-way line of Third Avenue; thence run East along said South right-of-way line for 29.00 feet; thence run S00°06'58"E for 569.41 feet to the North right-of-way line of

Mississippi State DEED OF GRANT, S81°30'00"W along said right-of-way line for 29.2 feet thence on N00°06'58"W for 180.83 feet back to the point of beginning. Said Easement is part of the Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 36, Township 5 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi and contains 16,575.61 square feet, more or less.

EXHIBIT "B"

Witness the signature of the undersigned Grantors, this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of

July, 1998.

James K. Dukes  
JAMES K. DUKES, GRANTOR  
Paul H. Holmes  
PAUL H. HOLMES, GRANTOR

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF FORREST

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said county and state, the within named JAMES K. DUKES, who acknowledged that he signed, executed, and delivered the above and foregoing Quitclaim Deed on the day and year therein mentioned.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1998.

[Signature]  
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

April 5, 2000

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF FORREST

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said county and state, the within named PAUL H. HOLMES, who acknowledged that he signed, executed, and delivered the above and foregoing Quitclaim Deed on the day and year therein mentioned.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1998.

[Signature]  
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

April 5, 2000

GRANTORS' ADDRESS

Post Office Box 2055  
Hattiesburg, MS 39403  
544-4121

GRANTEE'S ADDRESS

102 West 8th Avenue  
Petal, MS 39465  
545-1776

Indexing Instructions:

Please index in the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 35, Township 5 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi.

This document prepared by

R. CHRISTOPHER WOOD, ESQ.  
THE LAW OFFICE OF JAMES K. DUKES  
POST OFFICE BOX 2055



EXHIBIT "C"

ORDINANCE NUMBER 1979 (42-A102)

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING AND AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE NO 1979 (42) OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NUMBERS 1979 (42-1) THROUGH 1979 (42-A101) SO AS TO CHANGE THE ZONING CLASSIFICATION OF SAID SECTIONS OF CERTAIN LAND IN SAID CITY FROM R-I ( LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT) TO C-2 (GENERAL COMMERCIAL)

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI:

SECTION 1. That the Comprehensive Zoning District Map, adopted as part of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance Number 1979 (42) of the City of Petal, Mississippi, as amended by Ordinance Numbers 1979 (42-1) through 1979 (42-A101) be and the same is hereby changed and amended as per petition filed in connection therewith so that the land described as listed below. Change of current zoning classification from R-I ( Low Density Residential District) to C-2 (General Commercial).

Said land being more particularly described as follow, to wit:

Lot 7 Indian Springs S/D

as per map or plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Forrest County, Mississippi, is hereby classified and placed in the C-2 (General Commercial) District.

SECTION 2. Except as hereby expressly changed and amended, the aforesaid Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance No. 1979 (42) of the City of Petal, Mississippi, as amended by Ordinance Numbers 1979 (42-A101) shall be and remain in full force and form as adopted on June 16, 1998.

SECTION 3. That this Ordinance take effect and be in full force from and after its passage as provided by law.

The foregoing Ordinance having been reduced to writing,  
the same was introduced and read, <sup>EXHIBIT "C"</sup> and a vote was taken  
thereon, first section by section and then upon the  
Ordinance as whole with the following results:

Those present and voting "AYE" and in favor of the passage,  
adoption and approval of Sections 1, 2, and 3 of the  
foregoing Ordinance:

Alderman Willie W. Hinton  
Alderman Charles E. Holbrook  
Alderman Robert F. Langford  
Alderman Donald H. Rowell  
Alderman Leroy Scott

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the  
adoption of any section of the foregoing Ordinance.

None

Those present and voting "AYE" and in favor of the  
adoption of the foregoing Ordinance as a whole:

Alderman Willie W. Hinton  
Alderman Charles E. Holbrook  
Alderman Robert F. Langford  
Alderman Donald H. Rowell  
Alderman Leroy Scott

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the  
adoption of the foregoing ordinance as a whole:

None

WHEREUPON, the foregoing ordinance be, and the same is  
hereby passed, adopted and approved on  
this the 16th day of June 1998.

  
Jack Gay  
Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

  
PRISCILLA C. DANIEL  
CITY CLERK

publish 1 one time: June 25, 1998

EXHIBIT "D"

ORDINANCE NUMBER 1979 (42-A103)

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING AND AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE NO 1979 (42) OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NUMBERS 1979 (42-1) THROUGH 1979 (42-A102) SO AS TO CHANGE THE ZONING CLASSIFICATION OF SAID SECTIONS OF CERTAIN LAND IN SAID CITY FROM R-2 ( LOW TO MEDIUM RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT) TO C-2 (GENERAL COMMERCIAL)

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI:

SECTION 1. That the Comprehensive Zoning District Map, adopted as part of the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance Number 1979 (42) of the City of Petal, Mississippi, as amended by Ordinance Numbers 1979 (42-1) through 1979 (42-A102) be and the same is hereby changed and amended as per petition filed in connection therewith so that the land described as listed below. Change of current zoning classification from R-2 ( Low to Medium Residential District) to C-2 (General Commercial).

Said land being more particularly described as follow, to wit:

Lots 9 thru 16 Inc Block B of Glenwood  
S/D

as per map or plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Forrest County, Mississippi, is hereby classified and placed in the C-2 (General Commercial) District.

SECTION 2. Except as hereby expressly changed and amended, the aforesaid Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance No. 1979 (42) of the City of Petal, Mississippi, as amended by Ordinance Numbers 1979 (42-A102) shall be and remain in full force and form as adopted on June 16, 1998.

SECTION 3. That this Ordinance take effect and be in full force from and after its passage as provided by law.

EXHIBIT "D"

The foregoing Ordinance having been reduced to writing, the same was introduced and read, and a vote was taken thereon, first section by section and then upon the Ordinance as whole with the following results:

Those present and voting "AYE" and in favor of the passage, adoption and approval of Sections 1, 2, and 3 of the foregoing Ordinance:

Alderman Willie W. Hinton  
Alderman Charles E. Holbrook  
Alderman Robert F. Langford  
Alderman Donald H. Rowell  
Alderman Leroy Scott

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the adoption of any section of the foregoing Ordinance.

None

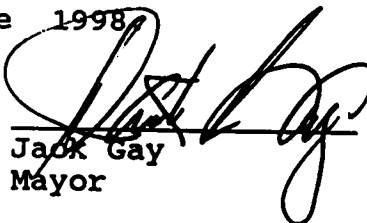
Those present and voting "AYE" and in favor of the adoption of the foregoing Ordinance as a whole:

Alderman Willie W. Hinton  
Alderman Charles E. Holbrook  
Alderman Robert F. Langford  
Alderman Donald H. Rowell  
Alderman Leroy Scott

Those present and voting "NAY" or against the adoption of the foregoing ordinance as a whole:

None

WHEREUPON, the foregoing ordinance be, and the same is hereby passed, adopted and approved on this the 16th day of June 1998.

  
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Jack Gay  
Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

  
PRISCILLA C. DANIEL  
CITY CLERK

publish 1 one time: June 25, 1998

EXHIBIT "E"

**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**  
**OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL**  
**LAW ENFORCEMENT**  
**COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT**  
**APPLICATION**

SUBMITTED THIS 8th DAY OF June, 1998.

BY City of Petal - Jack Gay, Mayor  
(Applicant's Name)

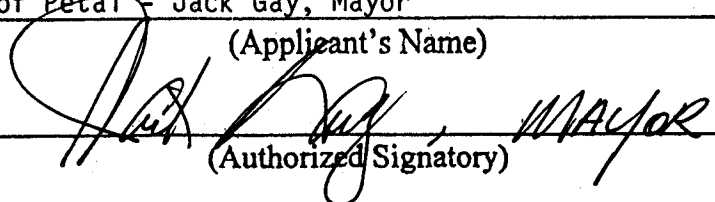
 MAYOR  
(Authorized Signatory)

EXHIBIT "E"

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT  
APPLICATION FORM

Applicant: CITY OF PETAL

Mailing Address: P.O. BOX 564  
PETAL, MS 39465

Phone Number: 601-545-1776 FAX Number: 601-544-5347

Project Coordinator: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Location: CITY OF PETAL

Project Period: July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999

Application Amount: \$29,942.75

Project Description: Crime Prevention-Enforcement of the "Mississippi  
Juvenile Tobacco Access Prevention Act"

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Questions concerning this application should be directed to Angela Parker at (601) 359-4150.

Applications should be mailed to:  
Office of the Attorney General  
P.O. Box 22963  
Jackson, MS 39225

PLEASE SUBMIT ONE (1) ORIGINAL AND TWO (2) COPIES  
OF THIS APPLICATION.

EXHIBIT "E"

SECTION 1

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION AND BUDGET

A. Periodic enforcement checks: (\$22,000.00) It shall be the goal of our department to conduct random, unannounced inspections during the grant period at 100% of the locations where tobacco products are sold in our city. This will be accomplished at a rate of approximately 10% per month. This goal will be achieved by a combination of visual inspections by a law enforcement official, and controlled buys with minors.

B. Youth Advisory Board: (\$2,000.00) A Youth Advisory Board recruited from the local schools will work on various issues including enforcement, education, and lobbying city hall for necessary ordinances to assist in the elimination of access to, and possession and use of, tobacco products by juveniles.

C. Community Groups: (\$2,000.00) Presentations will be made to civic groups including the Chamber of Commerce, Optimist Club, Kiwanis Club, and other community groups which will explain "The Mississippi Juvenile Tobacco Access Prevention Act" and the police department's plan to educate the retail sellers, conduct compliance checks, and involve the public in our efforts to reduce the access to and use of tobacco by the children on our state. We will solicit the assistance of these groups to spread the word and encourage compliance with the Act.

D. Retailer Compliance Education: (\$2,000.00) The required biannual training sessions will be accomplished by a combination of city-wide seminars and employee meetings at the larger businesses. Retailers who do not participate in the seminars will be visited individually and offered the training at times and locations convenient for them.

E. Minority Population of Jurisdiction: (\$1,000.00) Representatives from the minority community will be actively recruited and included in the Youth Advisory Board. Input will be actively solicited from minority members of civic groups and other organizations.

F. Efforts to achieve 75% or greater prosecution rate: (\$1,000.00) Training sessions will be held with law enforcement officers to inform them of the provisions of the Act and the documentation required. Coordination will be made with the city prosecutor to ensure that the cases are properly prepared. Teenagers who are used to purchase tobacco products in compliance checks will be properly trained. Equipment will be purchased which will document evidence of violations.

G. Technical and Economic Feasibility of Project: The Petal Police Department intends to use current full time staff, current reserve officers, and possibly one contract supervisor to accomplish the above tasks. In addition, the Petal Municipal Separate School District police officer will incorporate the health risks of using tobacco products and "The Mississippi Juvenile Tobacco Access Prevention Act" into the drug education program which he conducts at the schools. The police department has been actively enforcing the alcohol law, and those assets and personnel will provide valuable expertise in enforcing the tobacco law. Current equipment will be utilized, when available. However, it is necessary that the following equipment be purchased in order to conduct periodic enforcement checks:

1. Video camera
2. police radios
3. tape recorder(s) or body wires, receiver and recorder
4. vehicle (if seized vehicle cannot be obtained)
5. Cell Phone
6. Pagers

The following equipment will be purchased for use in presentations to youth advisory boards, community groups, and retailers:

1. Video Cassette Players
2. Overhead Projector and Screen
3. Computer software for preparing presentations
4. Copy machine for preparing transparencies (also for other office uses)

**EXHIBIT "E"**

The following equipment will be purchased for general office uses relating to administering this program:

1. Computer, software, modem, and color printer for e-mail correspondence with the Attorney General's office, preparing required letters, affidavits, citations and reports.
2. FAX machine for sending messages and correspondence to the office of the Attorney General, other agencies, and retailers.
3. Computer desk and chair.
4. Lap top computer for the supervisor to use when not at the office.
5. Additional telephone line for police station to be used for the computer and fax machine.

**SECTION 2**

**Description of the City of Petal**

The city of Petal is located in the northeastern part of Forrest County. US highway 11 and MS highway 42 intersect on the western side of the city near the Leaf River and the boundary with the city of Hattiesburg. The population is approximately 8000 within the city. The people of several small communities within nearby Forrest, Perry, and Jones Counties trade in the city. There are several convenience stores within the city, with others presently under construction. The Petal Separate School District has two campuses within the city and two schools outside the city on Highway 42 east. The total school population is 3300 students. Other information is attached. It is felt that the major tobacco usage by our youths is smokeless tobacco followed closely by cigarettes. At the present time the major challenge in preventing our juveniles from purchasing tobacco will be educating the retailers and retail clerks. A recent unscientific survey indicates ignorance of the provisions of the tobacco act.

**SECTION 3**

**Cooperative efforts**

As stated earlier, we will have the assistance of the Petal School District Police Department in our education efforts at the schools. The school district will also be contacted for their assistance in organizing the Youth Advisory Board.

**SECTION 4**

**Equipment List**

Video Camcorder  
Radio Transceivers (3)  
Tape Recorders (2)  
Vehicle  
Overhead Projector & Screen  
Copy Machine  
Computer, software, modem, and color printer  
Computer desk & chair  
FAX machine  
Cell Phone  
Pagers (2)  
Lap top computer & software



EXHIBIT "F"

**RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN**

WHEREAS the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal have an obligation to promote the economic well being and prosperity of the community; and

WHEREAS the Mississippi Department of Transportation is presently planning to construct a bypass from Interstate 59 to Mississippi Highway 42; and

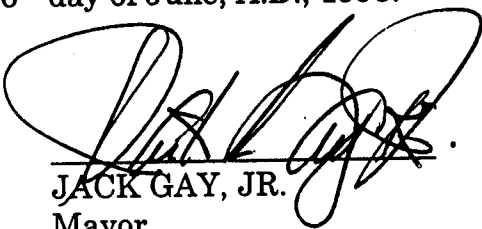
WHEREAS the Mayor and Board of Aldermen believe that it would be in the best interest of the City of Petal, its property owners and inhabitants, to expedite the construction of the I-59/Mississippi Highway 42 bypass; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen wish to encourage the Mississippi Department of Transportation to add to their first phase, the construction of the intersection at Mississippi Highway 42 in Petal, Mississippi, it is


RESOLVED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal, Mississippi to solicit and to encourage the Mississippi Department of Transportation to expedite construction of the bypass from Interstate 59 to Mississippi Highway 42, and especially to expedite the construction of the intersection of the bypass at its juncture with Mississippi Highway 42 by adding this to their first phase.

IT IS FURTHER resolved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal, Mississippi that a certified copy of this resolution be delivered to the Mississippi Department of Transportation and to the Southern District Highway Commissioner, Ronnie Shows, and to do anything proper and appropriate to encourage the expeditious completion of the project as requested.

SO RESOLVED on this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, A.D., 1998.

  
JACK GAY, JR.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
PRISCILLA DANIEL,  
City Clerk

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