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December 22, 2014

Mrs. Lesa Hardin, City Clerk 101 East Lampkin Street Starkville, MS 39759

Re: Motion Veto

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Dear Mrs. Hardin:

Be advised that pursuant to MS Code section 21-3-15, this is formal notice that I veto the Motion presented by Alderman Lisa Wynn, seconded by Alderman Roy A'. Perkins, which was passed at the December 16 Recess Meeting of the Starkville Board of Aldermen the motion being:

CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL FOR CORNERSTONE/PLAQUE TO BE LOCATED ON THE EXTERIOR OF THE NEW MUNICIPAL COMPLEX AND TO ONLY CONTAIN THE NAMES OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN SERVING DURING THE 2013-2017 TERM.

Upon the motion of Alderman Lisa Wynn, duly seconded by Alderman Roy A'. Perkins that a cornerstone be ordered and placed on the exterior of the new municipal complex containing only the names of the Mayor and Board of Alderman serving during the 2013-2017 term, the board voted as follows:

Alderman Ben Carver	voted:	Yea
Alderman Lisa Wynn	voted:	Yea
Alderman David Little	voted:	Nay
Alderman Jason Walker	voted:	Nay
Alderman Scott Maynard	voted:	Nay
Alderman Roy A'. Perkins	voted:	Yea
Alderman Henry Vaughn, Sr.	voted:	Yea

After receiving a majority of the affirmative vote, the Mayor declared the motion carried on December 16, 2014.

A plaque on a public building is an historical record of how the building came to be constructed. The construction of the new Starkville City Hall is a product of the work of the following groups of people:

the 2009-2013 Board of Aldermen (who conceived it and approved it), the 2013-2017 Board of Aldermen (who oversaw its construction), the Golden Triangle Public Buildings Corporation Board (who partnered with the City to build it), Briar Jones (who designed it), and West Brothers Construction Company (who built it). Leaving any of those names off of the plaque on the new Starkville City Hall fails to keep an accurate historical record of how it came to be constructed. Accordingly, I veto the board order to place only the names of the 2013-2017 Board of Aldermen on the building plaque.

Should you require assistance or further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Parker Y. Wiseman

Mayor

City of Starkville, MS