

**DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FOR BROKEN FLUSH PUMP AT
WATER TREATMENT PLANT**

WHEREAS, on February 10, 2026, the Interim Director of Public Works and Water Treatment Plant Director advised the Board of Mayor and Aldermen that an emergency exists in that one of the flush pumps at the Water Treatment Plant is not working and is unable to pump waste water out of the Water Treatment Plant, the Board determines that the delay incident to competitive bidding would be detrimental to the health and safety of the citizens of Vicksburg; and

WHEREAS, the repairs will be done in-house; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to buy the parts to repair the flush pump at the Water Treatment Plant; and

WHEREAS, the cost of supplies to repair the flush pump will be more than \$10,000.00.

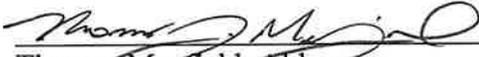
WHEREAS, the Board finds that an emergency exists with regard to the broken flush pump and determines that, pursuant to Section 31-7-13(k) of Mississippi Code Annotated of 1972, as amended, the delay incident to competitive bidding would be detrimental to the citizens of Vicksburg and authorizes the Interim Director of Public Works and the Water Treatment Plant Director to buy the parts needed for the flush pump repair from Fluid Process & Pumps, LLC; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI, that pursuant to Section 33-15-17(d) of Mississippi Code Annotated of 1972, as amended, that an emergency exists due to the broken flush pump at the Water Treatment Plant, and the delay incident to advertising would be detrimental to the City's interests, and that the Interim Director of Public Works and the Water Treatment Plant Director are authorized to enter into a contract with Fluid Process & Pumps, LLC for the supplies needed to repair the flush pump in-house and that the emergency supply contract with Fluid Process & Pumps, LLC shall be documented and placed on the Board minutes upon receipt from the contractor.

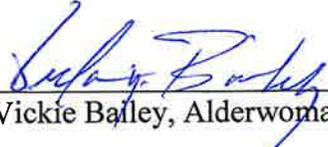
THIS THE 11th day of February 2026.



Willis Thompson, Mayor



Thomas Mayfield, Alderman



Vickie Bailey, Alderwoman