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Honorable Mayor George Flaggs, Jr. City of Vicksburg 1401 Walnut Street Vicksburg, MS 39180

Dear Mayor Flaggs:

The Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen Organization is about to celebrate our 13th crowning of a Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen In Vicksburg. As in the past, we would like to thank you and the City of Vicksburg for your continued support of our pageant.

The City of Vicksburg administration has always been very supportive of our endeavor to promote the teen young ladies of our great state. Once again, we will have the opportunity to showcase these young ladies and our city to the state of Mississippi.

Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen Organization wants to again thank the City of Vicksburg for their previous financial support. We again need the financial support of the City in order to host the event this year. The Miss Mississippi Outstanding Teen Organization is requesting a total of \$7,500.00 from the City to sponsor the 2017 Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen pageant. This amount includes the rental fee waiver of the city auditorium you previously agreed to provide.

The reason for the additional request of funding is because the Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen Organization must provide production lighting and sound equipment, not currently provided by or available at the City Auditorium in the amount of \$19,550.00 for the production of our show.

Should you have any question please give me a call at 601-831-3577 and thank you again for your support in the past years.

Sincerely

H.J. "Winky" Freeman **Executive Director**

Miss Mississippi's Outstanding Teen Pageant