



Fast Life Ducks Youth Football and Cheer  
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**Mayor George Flaggs**  
**City of Vicksburg Officials**  
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Dear Board of Mayor and Alderman and Mr. Osborne,

The Fast Life Ducks, formerly known as the River City Longhorns, is a non-profit organization that provides an extensive youth tackle football and cheerleading program to the youth ranging from the ages of 6-12 within Vicksburg, MS and surrounding communities. This is the 3rd year of our football season and we look for it to be as great of a year as it was for the previous years. With the amount of potential that our teams have, this season can be a very successful for us with your help.

We would first like to thank you for your sponsorship that you have given us in the past 2 years. Your support helped us to bring home the Championship during the first year of our program from Jackson, MS and also helped us to make it to the playoffs of our second year. The children of this organization have been able to be a part of a winning team and there is no greater feeling than that of accomplishment amongst these hardworking and dedicated young athletes.

It is our mission to "Practice Excellence" in everything that we do. The Fast Life Ducks has many volunteer coaches, mentors, and assistants that give their time to help the children that are a part of our organization succeed in every way of their lives. During the previous years, we have always offered help to the children if there were ever an issue to arise with them. This year we will be implementing a study hall hour before practice begins to help any and all of the children within our organization with their school work as well as other related issues they may have.

This organization exists only because we have many dedicated volunteers giving their time coaching and administrating, and because of businesses like you who financially sponsor our teams to help with the growing costs of equipment and league fees. Your support is essential to each child that wants to be involved in this organization. We, as an organization, are writing this letter to you in hopes that we may request a sponsorship in the amount of \$8,000.00 to help support the children of this program and assist the Fast Life Ducks in providing a quality program for the children of our community. Any funding that is received will go towards football equipment, uniforms, transportation, insurance, safety gear, field usage, and other costs involved in running a youth sports league. In return for this sponsorship, we will have the city seal visible on all of the following:

- I. A new Fast Life Ducks banner to be displayed at all home games
- II. All helmets and team apparel will have the City of Vicksburg seal printed on them
- III. Transportation bus/van will also display the City Seal on the side of the vehicle

We would like to thank you in advance for your generous sponsorship and for helping to make a difference in the lives of our children. Also, all sponsorships paid towards our team are tax deductible.

Sincerely,

Joseph Harris, Jr. (aka Buff)

Head Coach

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