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October 4, 2018

Walter Osborne, City Clerk P.O. Box 150 Vicksburg, MS 39181

Dear Sir,

Good Day!

I am writing this letter of request for a funding allocation of \$5,000 from the City of Vicksburg. The funding is for the upcoming performing arts academy. The funding will allow us to upgrade our music studio and upgrade technology system. Step by Step offers STEM related courses, music, dance, and acting. This project will give opportunity to the youth specially those who are not fortunate to pay for performing arts.

Step by Step is a non-profit 501c3 organization with currently 100 students. We not only offer performing arts, but we also challenge our students to excel academically.

I am hoping that this will gain a positive response. Thank you so much.

Sincerely,

Mrs. LaMia Haggard

601-529-6370

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