

RESOLUTION TO DE-ANNEX CERTAIN TERRITORY FROM THE
SOUTHWEST MADISON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TO BE ANNEXED
INTO THE CITY OF RIDGELAND

A Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District giving written approval for certain territory within the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be de-annexed and annexed into the City of Ridgeland, Mississippi.

WHEREAS, Southwest Madison Fire Protection District received written request, on behalf of the City of Ridgeland, Mississippi to de-annex certain territory from the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be annexed into the City of Ridgeland, a copy of said written request is attached hereto and incorporated herein; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District, having duly considered said written request to de-annex certain territory from the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be annexed into the City of Ridgeland based up on the present known facts and circumstances, determines that the owners or contract purchasers of the said certain territory are likely to receive an improved response to requests for services from the City of Ridgeland; and

WHEREAS, based upon the determination by the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District that the owners and the contract purchasers of the said certain territory are likely to receive an improved response to request for services from the City of Ridgeland, the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District gives its written approval to the de-annexation of that certain territory from the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be annexed into the City of Ridgeland as requested by Mississippi Code Section 19-5-167

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved and the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District hereby resolve as follows:

The Board of Commissioner of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District give its written approval to the de-annexation of that certain territory, more particularly described and identified in the written request, on behalf of the City of Ridgeland, attached hereto and incorporated herein, from the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be annexed into the City of Ridgeland as required by Mississippi Code Section 19-5-167; and

This Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District shall constitute and be the written approval required by Mississippi Code Section 19-5-167 to the de-annexation of that certain territory, more particularly described and identified in the written request, on behalf of the City of Ridgeland, attached hereto and incorporated herein, from the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District to be annexed into the City of Ridgeland.

PASSED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE
SOUTHWEST MADISON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT the 13th day of
September, 2016.

Southwest Fire Protection District

By: _____

Chairman

Attested: _____

Secretary

Pyle, Mills, Dye & Pittman

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

800 AVERY BOULEVARD NORTH, SUITE 101
RIDGELAND, MISSISSIPPI 39157

John P. Scanlon

Telephone:
(601) 957-2600
Telecopier:
(601) 957-7440

September 13, 2016

Via Email: Katie@katiebryantsnell.com

Katie Snell, Esq.
741 Avignon Drive, Suite A
Ridgeland, MS 39157

RE: City of Ridgeland Annexation

Dear Ms. Snell:

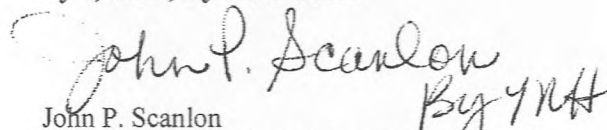
On March 23, 2016, the Chancery Court of Madison County entered a Final Decree Ratifying, Approving, and Confirming an Ordinance Enlarging, Extending and Defining the Boundaries of the City of Ridgeland, Madison County, Mississippi. The time for appeals has expired. A copy of the Final Decree with the legal description and a map of the annex area is enclosed for your reference.

Certain properties that lie within the newly annexed area of the City of Ridgeland ("City") also lie within the area taxed and serviced by the Southwest Madison County Fire Protection District ("Fire District"). These newly annexed areas will now be serviced by the City's fire department as first responders, and thus, the City would now request that the Southwest Madison Fire Protection District de-annex these properties.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Should you have any questions or require anything further from the City, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Pyle, Mills, Dye & Pittman


John P. Scanlon
Attorney for the City of Ridgeland, Mississippi

JPS/mmh
Enclosure(s)

CC: Mayor Gene F. McGee (*Via Email*)
Paula Tierce, City Clerk (*Via Email*)
Chief Matt Bailey (*Via Email*)
Jerry L. Mills, Esq. (*Via Email*)