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TO:

Madison County Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Lee Westbrook

Madison County Circuit Clerk

DATE:

August 26, 2013

RE:

Consideration of New Election Equipment

I had previously sent each of you a request for consideration of new election equipment. One of the reasons for my request was that the Secretary of State was unsure if the State would continue to provide maintenance of the Diebold equipment. Further, the Secretary of State was unsure if the State would continue to fund the costs for creation of our election database.

The Secretary of State's office has advised that they have signed a 3-year contract with ES&S to provide preventative maintenance of the TSX voting equipment as well as data base coding.

Before you make such an important decision, I want to be certain that you have all of the most up-to-date information available. Should you have any questions, please feel free to call me. My cell phone number is 601-331-2159.

cc:

Shelton Vance

Interim Madison County Administrator

Madison County Election Commissioners