

ORDER

(To Consider Authorizing Acceptance of Donations to the Laurel Police Department from Local Businesses Should It Be Awarded)

WHEREAS, the Laurel Police Department wishes to acknowledge and accept donations for the National Night Out Against Crime Event on August 6, 2019 from local businesses through our community partnership campaign called Back-the-Blue Community Partnership Program and;

WHEREAS, local businesses and individuals have the opportunity to partner with us by generously donating to help us provide outreach and educational programs throughout this year. This is a community awareness against crime event sponsored by the Laurel Police Department.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Laurel City Council that the City of Laurel accept donations from local businesses with funds to be deposited in the General Fund Donations account #001-000-109-6 of the Laurel Police Department. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Finance Director be authorized to perform whatever budget transactions are necessary for implementation of the foregoing Order.

Motion was made by Councilperson S. Comegys, seconded by Councilperson T. Comegys, that the above and foregoing Order be adopted.

Upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Wheat, Thaxton, Carmichael, S. Comegys, T. Comegys

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: Capers, Page

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Order adopted this the 21st day of May, A.D. 2019.

PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

ATTESTED AND SUBMITTED TO THE MAYOR BY THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL ON _____.

Clerk of the Council

APPROVED () DATE_____

VETOED () DATE_____

MAYOR

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Min. of: 05/21/19; Book No: 101; Agenda Item No: 4G; Page. No: _____



Laurel Police Department

317 South Magnolia Street

Laurel, MS 39440

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Dear,

This year the Laurel Police Department has numerous community events planned to educate and empower the citizens of Laurel. Having an active role in the community, beyond our day-to-day operations, is important to build relationships and trust. Additionally, educating the citizens of Laurel is a crucial role of our police department, and we look forward to partnering with you to assist us in providing these much-needed services.

We are launching a community partnership campaign called Back-the-Blue Community Partnership Program, where local businesses and individuals have the opportunity to partner with us by generously donating to help us provide outreach and educational programs throughout this year. Your contribution will assist us in hosting our annual Night Out Against Crime. At this annual event, we provide literature on crime prevention, give out backpacks to school-aged children, and enjoy fellowship together as a community. Additionally, your support will assist us in providing other child safety awareness events, crime prevention, and drug abuse education programs throughout the city. We appreciate the consideration of «company» for our Back-the-Blue Community Partnership Program.

Sincerely,

Chief Tommy Cox
Laurel Police Department

Your Contribution Information

Level of Giving (circle one)

★ *Blue Star (\$1,000+)*

★ *Gold Star (\$500)*

★ *Silver Star (\$200)*

★ *Bronze Star (\$100)*

Name of Business and Contact

Please mail your contribution to: *Laurel Police Department*
Attention: Back-the-Blue Community Partnership
317 South Magnolia Street
Laurel, MS 39440