

EMERGENCY ORDER
(Regarding Authorization of Two Members of the Laurel Police
Department to attend Regional Counterdrug Training Academy Gang
School)

WHEREAS, Mayor Johnny Magee was notified by Police Chief Tommy Cox via email, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, on August 6, 2019 of a Regional Counterdrug Training Academy Gang School to be held August 6-8, 2019 in Gulfport, MS; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to have two members of the Police Department, Sgt. Joe Berlin and Patrolman Seth Crabtree, to attend this training and receive vital education and instruction in combating gang-related crime; and

WHEREAS, this workshop, will take place on the same day of the next City Council meeting allowing no time for prior Council approval, and travel to the event will be in a City vehicle thereby incurring no need for travel expense reimbursement; and

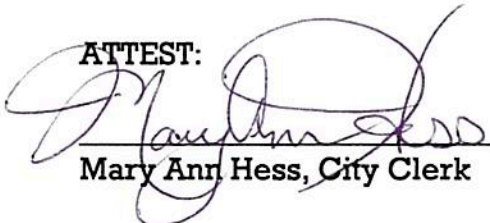
WHEREAS, §31-7-13(k) of the Mississippi Code of 1972 Annotated gives authority to the Mayor, acting as an agent of the City to order the immediate remediation of circumstances which threaten the safety and well-being of the citizens of the city, with ratification of said actions to be granted by the council at the next regularly scheduled meeting

NOW THEREFORE, I, Johnny Magee, Mayor of the City of Laurel, acting under the authority granted by §31-7-13(k) of the Mississippi Code of 1972 Annotated, do hereby authorize the travel of two police officers, Sgt. Joe Berlin and Patrolman Seth Crabtree, to Gulfport, MS, on August 6-8, 2019, for the purpose of receiving education in combating gang-related crime.

SO ORDERED on this the 6th day of AUGUST, A.D. 2019.


Johnny Magee, Mayor
City of Laurel

ATTEST:


Mary Ann Hess, City Clerk

