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Return Receipt Mail to Chairman Maxwell

September 7, 2021

Chairman Louis Maxwell
101 E. Rosa Parks Avenue
Tuskegee, AL 36083

Dear Chairman Maxwell,

Clean hands is the principle that always works best for all parties concerned.

I have received County Attorney's letter of Thursday, July 15, 2021, the same day I received your highlighted copy of the Macon County Commission meeting protocol.

Ms. Gray informed me of the required repayment of \$60.00 for documents furnished me in September 2017, nearly four years earlier, before the county would produce additional documents.

The timing of sending me the protocol and Ms. Gray's letter appears to be harassment¹ and intimidation².

Contrary to Ms. Gray's letter, there were only 30 pages of county-wide commercial fuel purchases. My then-retained attorney, Dennis Bailey, requested specific WEX documents for commercial fuel purchases by the Chair, Macon County Commission; not every commercial fuel purchase county-wide as provided with an appearance of originating from a database query, which easily could have been further filtered by "Maxwell."

A WEX, Inc. customer service representative told me that the WEX forms I am being denied by the county are available to the county via its on-line account.

¹ Black's Law Dictionary – **harassment**, "Words, conduct, or action (usu. Repeated or persistent) that, being directed at a specific person, annoys, alarms, or causes substantial emotional distress to that person and serves no legitimate purpose; purposeful vexation."

² Thelawdictionary.org – **intimidation**, "In English law. Every person commits a misdemeanor, punishable with a fine or imprisonment, who wrongfully uses violence to or intimidates any other person, or his wife or children, with a view to compel him to abstain from doing, or to do, any act which he has a legal right to do, or abstain from doing. "

Chairman's purchases in the 30 pages of data comprised approximately 4.6 pages, totaling the rows per the pages provided.

On or about Fall 2017, about four years ago, I paid the county \$5.00 for the equivalent of five pages. However, I cannot readily locate the receipt.

Therefore, with "clean hands," I have enclosed a personal check in the sum of \$30.00 for the 30 pages of county-wide fuel purchases.

To my points of harassment and intimidation, I have obtained documents from the county since September 2017, depending on the chair's personal criteria as compared to "[e]very citizen has a right to inspect and take a copy of any public writings of this state, except as otherwise expressly provided by statute," including the Chair's salary 40 months after my initial request.

Respectfully, reserving all rights, known and unknown, and waiving none,

Frank Dillman

Encl: personal check in the amount of \$30.00

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