## ORDER: ADOPT RESOLUTION RELEASING RIGHT-OF-WAY ON WEST SIDE OF RICKY BRITT PROPERTY OFF OF CR 101 AT CR 168

Motion was made by Mike Pickens, duly seconded by Chad McLarty, to Adopt a Resolution releasing right-of-way on west side of Ricky Britt property off of CR 101 at CR 168.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Mike Pickens, voted yes Supervisor Jeff Busby, voted yes Supervisor Robert Blackmon, was absent Supervisor Chad McLarty, voted yes Supervisor Mike Roberts, voted yes

After the vote, President Busby, declared the motion carried, this the 8th day of December, 2014.

The next matter that came up for consideration before the Board was the proposed closure of a portion of the west side of the ROW of County Road 101 adjacent to the property owned by Ricky Britt. Upon further discussion, Supervisor Mike Pickers moved for the adoption of the following resolution:

## **RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, on or before 1989, the Mississippi Department of Transportation conveyed its interests in that portion of Old Highway 7 lying in the unincorporated areas of Lafayette County to Lafayette County which has since maintained a road right-of-way easement and such other ownership interests, if any, said road being listed on the Lafayette County Official Road Register as County Road 101; and

WHEREAS, Ricky Britt, owner of certain property located adjacent to CR 101, has petitioned the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors to abandon a certain section of an unused portion of the ROW of County Road 101; and

WHEREAS, the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors convened a public hearing, upon proper notice published for at least two consecutive weeks prior to the date of the public hearing, which was held on October 22, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. at the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors Board Room; and

WHEREAS, the Lafayette County Board of Supervisors has discretionary authority to close or abandon the right of way provided that said property is surplus property and is not needed for purposes of maintaining County Road 101 and provided that its continued upkeep is not in the interests of the citizens of Lafayette County.

## THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the section of right of way lying on the west side of County Road 101 and located adjacent to the Ricky Britt property, and described more particularly in the attached Exhibit "A" hereto, be, and is hereby, declared surplus property and is hereby abandoned, and that the County's easement, and any ownership interests, be, and are hereby, permanently and forever abandoned in favor of Ricky Britt, subject to a permanent easement granted to Lafayette County to maintain a certain drainage pipe located within the abandoned right of way.

Supervisor Chad McLarty seconded the motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution, and the question being put to a roll call vote, the result was as follows:

Supervisor Busby voted:

Supervisor Pickens voted:
Supervisor Blackmon voted:
Supervisor McLarty voted:
Supervisor Roberts voted:

Yea

Yea

The motion having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the members present, the presiding official declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted, this the gap day of December, 2014.

Jeff Busky

PRESIDENT, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS LAFAYETTE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

ATTESTATION:

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