

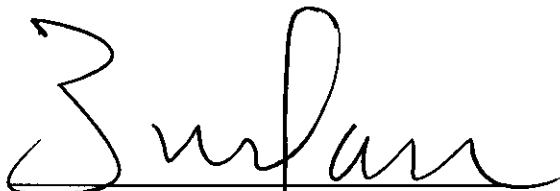
**ORDER: SPREAD ON THE MINUTES CERTIFICATION LETTER FROM THE
ADVISORY BOARD OF THE MISSISSIPPI STATE TAX COLLECTOR EDUCATION
AND CERTIFICATION PROGRAM NOTIFYING OF CERTIFICATION STATUS FOR
ROCKY KENNEDY**

Motion was made by Scott Allen, duly seconded by Greg Bynum, to spread on the minutes Certification letter from the Advisory Board of the Mississippi State Tax Collector Education and Certification Program notifying of certification status for Rocky Kennedy.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Brent Larson, voted yes
Supervisor John Morgan, voted yes
Supervisor Tim Gordon, voted yes
Supervisor Scott Allen, voted yes
Supervisor Greg Bynum, voted yes

After the vote, President Larson, declared the motion carried, this the 3rd day of September, 2024.



**Brent Larson, President
Board of Supervisors**



Mike Roberts, Chancery Clerk



June 12, 2024

Rocky Kennedy
300 North Lamar, Suite 103
Oxford, MS 38655

Dear Rocky Kennedy:

On behalf of the Advisory Board of the MS Tax Collector Education and Certification Program, the Center for Government and Community Development is providing notification of your office's certification status within the legislatively-mandated Mississippi Tax Collector Education and Certification Program. A list of participants and their current certification status is contained within this document.

As provided in Section 27-1-51 of the Mississippi Code, participants may now qualify for an annual increase:

(6)(a) When any tax collector or deputy tax collector holds a valid certificate of educational recognition from the Education and Certification Board as established by Section 27-1-67 by attaining certification as a Collector of Revenue I (CR1), he shall receive an additional Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) annually beginning the next fiscal year after completion.

(6)(b) When any tax collector or deputy tax collector holds a valid certificate of educational recognition from the Education and Certification Board as established by Section 27-1-67 by attaining certification as a Collector of Revenue II (CR 2), he shall receive an additional Two Thousand Dollars (\$ 2,000.00) annually beginning the next fiscal year after completion.

(6)(c) When any tax collector or deputy tax collector holds a valid certificate of educational recognition from the Education and Certification Board as established by Section 27-1-67 by attaining certification as a Mississippi Collector of Revenue (MCR), he shall receive an additional Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$ 2,500.00) annually beginning the next fiscal year after completion.

County	Participant	CR1=\$2000	CR2=\$2000	MCR=\$2500
Lafayette	Sylvia Baker Valid through 09/30/2025	Effective 10/1/2012	Effective 10/1/2022	
Lafayette	Shelia Kelly Valid through 09/30/2025	Effective 10/1/2012	Effective 10/1/2013	
Lafayette	Rocky Kennedy Valid through 09/30/2026	Effective 10/1/2024		
Lafayette	Mary McCain Valid through 09/30/2025	Effective 10/1/2015	Effective 10/1/2021	
Lafayette	Sophia Sawin Valid through 09/30/2025	Effective 10/1/2021	Effective 10/1/2022	

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at lcl103@msstate.edu.

Sincerely,

Lauren Colby Nickels
Extension Specialist
Center for Government and Community Development

C: President, Board of Supervisors, Lafayette County
Chancery Clerk, Lafayette County
MS Office of the State Auditor