

**ORDER: SPREAD ON THE MINUTES LETTER FROM THE MISSISSIPPI STATE  
TAX COLLECTOR EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION PROGRAM FOR  
SYLVIA BAKER, SHELIA KELLY, MARY MCCAIN AND SOPHIA SWANN**

Motion was made by David Rikard, duly seconded by Mike Roberts, to spread on the minutes letter from the MS State Tax Collector Education and Certification program for Sylvia Baker, Shelia Kelly, Mary McCain and Sophia Swann.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Brent Larson, voted absent  
Supervisor Larry Gillespie, voted yes  
Supervisor David Rikard, voted yes  
Supervisor Chad McLarty, voted absent  
Supervisor Mike Roberts, voted yes

After the vote, Acting President Gillespie, declared the motion carried, this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2022.



Larry Gillespie, Acting President  
Board of Supervisors



Sherry Wall, Chancery Clerk



October 2, 2022

Sylvia Baker  
300 North Lamar Street  
Oxford, MS 38655

Dear Sylvia Baker:

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.

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County	Participant	CR1=\$2000	CR2=\$2000	MCR=\$2500
Lafayette	Sylvia Baker	Collector of Revenue I	Collector of Revenue II	
Lafayette	Shelia Kelly	Collector of Revenue I	Collector of Revenue II	
Lafayette	Mary McCain	Collector of Revenue I	Collector of Revenue II	
Lafayette	Sophia Swann	Collector of Revenue I	Collector of Revenue II	

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at [terence.norwood@msstate.edu](mailto:terence.norwood@msstate.edu).

Sincerely,



Terence Norwood  
Extension Instructor  
Center for Government and Community Development

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