

TUSCALOOSA COUNTY COMMISSION
MEETING

April 23, 2009

TUSCALOOSA COUNTY §
STATE OF ALABAMA §

This being the date and hour to which the Tuscaloosa County Commission adjourned, the County Commission met pursuant to such adjournment with Probate Judge W. Hardy McCollum presiding as Chairman. The following members were present:

Don Wallace
Gary Youngblood
Bobby Miller
Reginald Murray

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize payment of \$93,392.05 to GFC Construction, Inc. for work completed on the Duncanville Middle School Access Road Project.

Exhibit 4-1, Page 306

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize reimbursement of \$89,817.27 to Mitchell Water System for water line relocation on the Duncanville Middle School Access Road Project.

Exhibit 4-2, Page 307

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize payment of \$5,616.00 to Almon Associates for construction management of the Duncanville Middle School Access Road Project.

Exhibit 4-3, Page 308

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Don Wallace, the County Commission voted unanimously to declare Unit 912A (2002 Chevrolet Blazer), VIN #1GNDT13W42K147094, as surplus property for liquidation.

Exhibit 4-4, Page 309

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Bobby Miller, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the following bids that were opened April 8, 2009:

MISCELLANEOUS SCRAP METAL (SALE OF)
Randall Freeman

Exhibit 4-5, Page 310

LIBBY ROAD, LUKE'S TRAIL, AND HILLVIEW ROAD BASE PROCESSING
S.T. Bunn Construction Co. Inc.

Exhibit 4-6, Page 311

Commissioner Don Wallace moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the bid for earthwork and construction of Cotton Creek Loop and Spur to Summit Earth Construction, LLC. The bids were opened on April 8, 2009.

Exhibit 4-7, Page 312

Commissioner Don Wallace moved, seconded by Commissioner Gary Youngblood, the County Commission voted unanimously to award the bid for earthwork and construction of Burns Sledge Road to Tomlin Construction, LLC. The bids were opened on April 8, 2009.

Exhibit 4-8, Page 313

Commissioner Gary Youngblood moved, seconded by Commissioner Bobby Miller, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve Change Order No. 3 on the Progress Drive Extension Phase II Project. The change order increases the contract time by 27 consecutive calendar days due to bad weather.

Exhibit 4-9, Page 314

Commissioner Gary Youngblood moved, seconded by Commissioner Don Wallace, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve

the warrants issued to cover Tuscaloosa County's expenditures for the months of February and March, 2009.

Exhibit 4-10, Pages 315-316

Commissioner Don Wallace moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to approve an appropriation of \$50,000.00 to the Alabama High School Athletic Association to assist with funding for the AHSAA Super 6 Football Championship to be held in Tuscaloosa at the University of Alabama in December, 2009.

Exhibit 4-11, Pages 317-318

Commissioner Don Wallace moved, seconded by Commissioner Gary Youngblood, the County Commission voted unanimously to install two weather sirens in the Lake Tuscaloosa area, one at Hwy 69/Alton Drive and one at Tierce Patton Road/O'Quinn Road. The estimated cost per siren is \$20,000.00.

Commissioner Don Wallace moved, seconded by Commissioner Gary Youngblood, the County Commission voted unanimously to increase the speed limit from 25 MPH to 35 MPH on Lake Lurleen Road from Upper Columbus Road to Lake Lurleen State Park.

Commissioner Gary Youngblood moved, seconded by Commissioner Don Wallace, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize County Attorney Robert Spence to make a maximum offer of \$700,000.00 to purchase Tillery (chert) Pit, which is located on Dream Lake Road.

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Reginald Murray, the County Commission voted unanimously to authorize the Engineering Department to correct a drainage problem at 5601 - 15th Avenue, and to authorize the execution of a "Right to Enter" form with the property owner.

Commissioner Bobby Miller moved, seconded by Commissioner Don Wallace, the County Commission voted unanimously to improve the access road to the residence at 15755 Cattail Lane, Moundville, AL (Tuscaloosa County); contingent upon all requirements being met. This request was made by DCH Home Health Care Agency.

Exhibit 4-12, Page 319

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Don Wallace, the County Commission voted unanimously to accept Timber Lane Estates, section 2 and 3, for maintenance by Tuscaloosa County; contingent upon settlement with the bonding company.

Commissioner Reginald Murray's motion to approve constructing and paving a parking lot and access drive at Hasson Park in Northport failed for lack of a second.

Commissioner Reginald Murray moved, seconded by Commissioner Gary Youngblood, the County Commission voted unanimously to grant the following waivers of Tuscaloosa County Subdivision Regulations for Benton's Bend Subdivision:

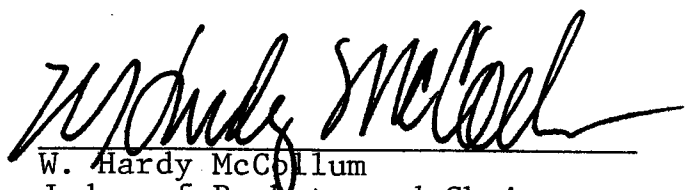
1. Waiver of 600' maximum cul-de-sac length
2. Waiver of road elevation to be 1' above 100 year flood elevation
3. Waiver of requirement to provide RCP for driveway into private residences

Exhibit 4-13, Page 320

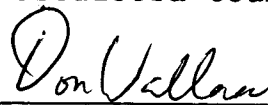
Commissioner Don Wallace presented a petition signed by residents of Nuckols Circle, Northport, requesting that the county install a speed table on said road.

Exhibit 4-14, Page 321

There being no further business to come before the Tuscaloosa County Commission, the meeting adjourned to Wednesday, May 6, 2009.



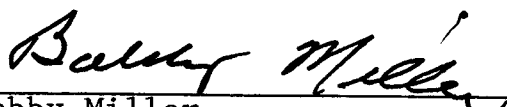
W. Hardy McCallum
Judge of Probate and Chairman
Tuscaloosa County Commission



Don Wallace
Commissioner - District I



Gary Youngblood
Commissioner - District II



Bobby Miller
Commissioner - District III



Reginald Murray
Commissioner - District IV

APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT

Attach Schedule of Values

ESTIMATE NO. 9

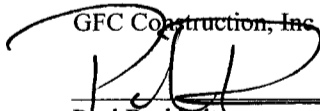
DATE: 3/24/09

Pay Request for March 2009

<p>TO OWNER: Tuscaloosa County 714 Greensboro Avenue Tuscaloosa, AL 35401</p>	<p>PROJECT: Southeast Middle School Access Road and Improvements to Bear Creek Road</p>
<p>FROM CONTRACTOR: GFC Construction, Inc. PO Box 87 Duncanville, AL 35456</p>	<p>TO: Engineer Almon Associates, Inc. 2008 12th Street P.O. Drawer 2729 Tuscaloosa, AL 35403</p>

STATEMENT OF CONTRACT ACCOUNT:

1	Original Contact Amount	\$ 4,312,204.87
2	Approved Change Order (NET - As per attached breakdown)	\$ -
3	ADJUSTED CONTRACT AMOUNT	\$ 4,312,204.87
4	Value of Work Completed to Date (as per attached breakdown)	\$ 2,758,936.28
6	Materials Stored on Site (as per attached breakdown)	\$ -
7	TOTAL TO DATE	\$ 2,758,936.28
8	Less Retainage (5%)	\$ 107,805.12
9	Subtotal Less Retainage	\$ 2,651,131.16
10	Total of Previous Applications	\$ 2,557,739.11
11	AMOUNT DUE THIS REQUEST	\$ 93,392.05

GFC Construction, Inc.

 Paul Burkhalter
 Project Manager

REVIEW AND APPROVALS

Approved by ALMON Associates, Inc.
 Engineer


 Signature

3/27/09
 Date

Approved by Tuscaloosa County
 Owner

 Signature

 Date

EX 4-1

Mitchell Water System, Inc.
P.O. Box 70458
Tuscaloosa, AL 35407

March 30, 2009

Mr. Bobby Hagler, County Engineer
Attn: Mr. James Fuller
Tuscaloosa County Public Works
P. O. Box 2089
Tuscaloosa, AL 35403

Re: Duncanville Middle School Road Water Main Relocation
Reimbursement Request No. 6

Dear Mr. Hagler:


Please find attached the current invoices approved and paid by Mitchell Water System for the project. We request reimbursement at this time for the amount as shown:

Current Invoices

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| • GFC Construction, Inc. No. 5 | \$77,964.12 |
| (Less Betterment Portion by MWS) | <u>5,036.35</u> |
| Subtotal | \$72,927.77 |
| • McGiffert and Associates, LLC No. 4 | \$16,889.50 |

Total Amount This Request \$89,817.27

Yours truly,
MITCHELL WATER SYSTEM, INC.


Charles P. Turnipseed, President

Attachments

received
3-31-09

EX 4-2-



P.O. Drawer 2729
Tuscaloosa, AL 35403

Invoice

April 1, 2009
Project No: 2006168.00
2006168.12
2006168.21
Invoice No: 0000025

Mr. Bobby Hagler
2810 35th Street
Tuscaloosa AL 35401

US 82 to Duncanville Middle School
Professional services from March 1, 2009 to March 31, 2009

Professional Personnel
Phase I Preliminary Design (NTE \$73,200) (Billed to date \$ 73,187.50)
Complete

Phase I Final Design (NTE \$122,800) (Billed to date \$ 121,569.21)

Total Phase I Final Design .00

Phase I Construction Phase Services (NTE \$351,000) (Billed to Date \$233,834.50)

	Hours	Rate	Amount
Project Manager II	22.00	120.00	2,640.00
Staff Engineer	30.50	80.00	2,440.00
Engineering Tech III	12.50	75.00	.00
Clerical	0.00	45.00	.00
Professional Surveyor II	0.00	125.00	.00
Professional Surveyor I	0.00	80.00	.00
Survey Tech I	0.00	35.00	.00
Survey Tech II	0.00	50.00	.00
Survey Tech III	0.00	60.00	.00
Totals	52.50		5,080.00

Testing-T T L Inc 536.00
Total Phase I Const 5,616.00

Phase II Preliminary Design (NTE \$189,000) (Billed to Date \$157,907.50)
No Activity

Total Phase II .00

Total this invoice \$5,616.00

Received
4-9-09

EX 4-3

Allan Springer

From: Bobby Hayward
Sent: Tuesday, April 14, 2009 2:32 PM
To: Allan Springer
Subject: DECLARE SURPLUS

Allan,
Please have the following unit declared surplus and sold at auction. This unit was turned in by Rod Coleman in E911.

912A – 2002 Chevrolet Blazer Vin: 1GNDDT13W42K147094 MILEAGE : 102631

4/15/2009

EX 4-4

The Tuscaloosa County Commission will accept sealed bids for miscellaneous scrap metal until 9:00 A.M. on April 8, 2009 at the Tuscaloosa County Commission Chamber. Bids shall be on a lump sum basis for each lot. You may bid on each lot separately or you may submit a bid for all of the lots combined. The award will be based upon the best overall benefit to the County. The successful bidder will be responsible for removing all the scrap metal from County property to include loading and transporting. Material is being sold on the basis of all or none. The successful bidder will not be allowed to pick and chose but must accept and remove all of the material. The description and location of the scrap metal is described below:

<i>Description</i>	<i>Location</i>
Lot #1 Scrap Metal	County Shop
Lot #2 Used Grader Blades	County shop
Lot #3 Used/damaged Signs and Sign Posts	Bridge Yard

Arrangements may be made to inspect the material by contacting Mr. Bobby Hayward, Shop Superintendent, at 345-6600 ext 234. The County Shop and Bridge Yard is located at the Tuscaloosa County Public Works Department, 2810 35th street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

BID SUBMITTAL SHEET
Miscellaneous Scrap Metal Auction

Bid Item	Lump Sum Bid
Lot #1 Lump Sum Bid, Scrap Metal	\$ 1476 ⁰⁰
Lot #2 Lump Sum Bid, Used Grader Blades	\$ 376 ⁰⁰
Lot #3 Lump Sum Bid, Used/Damaged Signs and Sign Posts	276 ⁰⁰
Lot #'s 1, 2 & 3 Combined Lump Sum Bid	\$ 2,176 ⁰⁰

PICKUP:

The material shall be removed from County property within fourteen (14) days from the date of award.

Name of company: Randall Freeman Scrap Metal
Mailing Address: 15728 Murk Montgomery Rd Northport AL
Telephone: 339-3920 - Cell 799-5950 35475
Name: Randall Freeman
Title: President
Date: 3-29-09

EX 4-5

**Bid Evaluation
Libby Road
Base Processing
Apr-09**

Bidder	Prime	Processing	Total
ST Bunn Construction Co. Inc.	\$ 15,594.00	\$ 48,895.00	\$ 64,489.00
Central Alabama Asphalt & Construction Co. LLC	\$ 20,340.00	\$ 65,405.00	\$ 85,745.00
Mallory Burkhalter Paving Inc.	\$ 30,510.00	\$ 57,150.00	\$ 87,660.00
RaCon Inc.	\$ 67,800.00	\$ 67,310.00	\$ 135,110.00
Richards & Sons Construction	\$ 50,850.00	\$ 207,645.00	\$ 258,495.00

EX4-6

**Bid Evaluation
Cotton Creek Loop
Earthmoving Operation
Apr-09**

Bidder	Amount
Summit Earth Construction LLC	\$ 59,900.00
Trout Construction Inc.	\$ 74,895.00
Vinson Trucking and Contracting	\$ 74,960.00
Tomlin Construction LLC	\$ 75,900.00
Universal Pipeline LLC	\$ 80,150.00
GFC Construction Inc.	\$ 93,900.00
Cottdale Excavating	\$ 94,575.00
Central Alabama Asphalt & Construction	\$ 99,380.00
JAG Contracting Inc.	\$ 103,890.00
RaCon Inc.	\$ 123,400.00
Richards & Sons Construction	\$ 190,410.00

EX 4-7

**Bid Evaluation
Burns Sledge Road
Earthmoving Operation and Water Line Relocation
Apr-09**

Bidder	Earthmoving	Water Line	Total
Tomlin Construction LLC	\$ 59,500.00	\$ 25,686.00	\$ 85,186.00
Vinson Trucking and Contracting	\$ 55,450.00	\$ 30,066.78	\$ 85,516.78
Trout Construction Inc.	\$ 58,990.00	\$ 28,935.00	\$ 87,925.00
Cottondale Excavating	\$ 64,575.00	\$ 25,433.08	\$ 90,008.08
Central Alabama Asphalt & Construction	\$ 64,450.00	\$ 27,290.00	\$ 91,740.00
GFC Construction Inc.	\$ 70,600.00	\$ 36,890.00	\$ 107,490.00
JAG Contracting Inc.	\$ 77,661.00	\$ 32,480.04	\$ 110,141.04
RaCon Inc.	\$ 90,550.00	\$ 34,165.00	\$ 124,715.00
Richards & Sons Construction	\$ 128,590.00	\$ 89,979.00	\$ 218,569.00

EX4-8

<p>PROJECT: Tuscaloosa County Commission Progress Drive Phase II Roadway Construction Project Project No. IAR-063-000-020</p> <p>OWNER: Tuscaloosa County Commission 2501 7th Street, Suite 300 Tuscaloosa, AL 35401</p> <p>CONTRACTOR: Tomlin Construction, LLC 641 Lum Fife Road Gordo, AL 35466</p>	<p>DATE OF ISSUANCE: 4-15-09</p> <p>ENGINEER: McGIFFERT AND ASSOCIATES, LLC P.O. BOX 20559 TUSCALOOSA, AL 35402</p>
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You are directed to make the following changes in the Contract Documents.

See Page 2 of 2.

<p>CHANGE IN CONTRACT PRICE:</p> <p>Original Contract Price \$ <u>2,465,759.38</u></p> <p>Previous Change Orders No. to No. <u>1</u> to No. <u>2</u> \$ <u>(154,624.02)</u></p> <p>Contract Price prior to this Change Order \$ <u>2,311,135.36</u></p> <p>Net Increase (decrease) of this Change Order \$ <u>-0-</u></p> <p>Contract Price with all approved Change Orders \$ <u>2,311,135.36</u></p>	<p>CHANGE IN CONTRACT TIME:</p> <p>Original Contract Time <u>210 Consecutive Calendar</u> days</p> <p>Net change from previous Change Orders <u>None</u></p> <p>Contract Time Prior to this Change Order <u>245 Consecutive Calendar</u> days</p> <p>Net Increase (decrease) of this Change Order <u>27 Consecutive Calendar</u> days</p> <p>Contract Time with all approved Change Orders <u>272 Consecutive Calendar</u> days</p>
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RECOMMENDED:
McGIFFERT AND ASSOCIATES, LLC
by Jimmy D...
Engineer

APPROVED:
TUSCALOOSA COUNTY COMMISSION
by Whitney McCalh...
Owner

APPROVED:
Tomlin Construction, LLC
by Harry James
Contractor

APPROVED:
AL DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
by _____

Contract time has been increased by 27 consecutive calendar days as a result of lost time due to rain, wet conditions, excessive unforeseen underdrain installation, and construction document modifications due to storm drain piping revisions. The resulting total contract time is 272 consecutive calendar days. The date of completion of all work is therefore May 17, 2009.

EX 4-9

MONTH OF: FEBRUARY, 2009

FUND	CHECK NUMBERS	AMOUNT
001 GENERAL FUND SPECIAL SALES TAX	25085-25471	\$3,184,401.29
112 ROAD & BRIDGE	6940-7080	\$2,077,632.09
116 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT		
117 RRR GAS TAX		
120 REAPPRAISAL	1159-1172	\$137,707.04
160 COMMUNITY DEVELOP	1518-1519	\$333,546.04
710 PAYROLL-CHECKS	90358-90411, 46942-47123	\$1,583,378.29
PAYROLL-DIR DEP	13983-14838	\$873,656.73
720 EXCESS LAND SALES		
750 PISTOL PERMIT	3301-3312	\$3,864.25
761 DA WORTHLESS CK	2446-2471	\$88,798.34
780 E911	4126-4131	\$25,073.67
781 GAS TAX BONDING		
783 WORKMEN'S COMP	5105, 106	\$4,173.10
784 TAX COLL SPECIAL	263	\$30.35
785 TAX ASSR SPECIAL	1615-1616	\$568.86
786 MFG HOMES		
787 MOTOR VEH TRAINING		
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		\$8,312,830.05

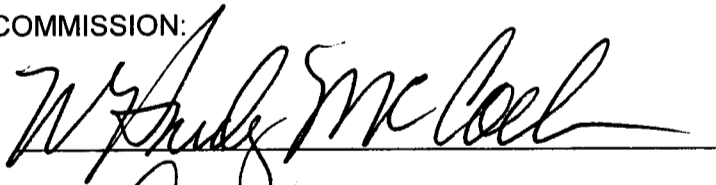
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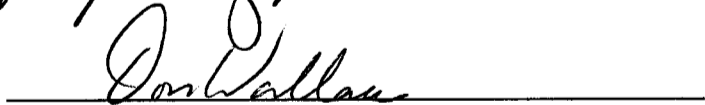
WILLIAM M. LAMB, ACCOUNTING MANAGER

APPROVED BY TUSCALOOSA COUNTY COMMISSION:

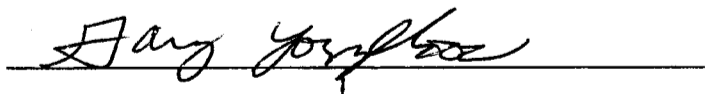
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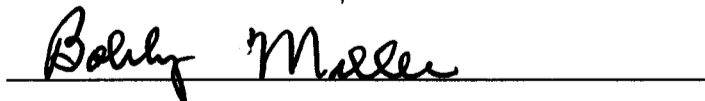
COMMISSIONER, DON WALLACE



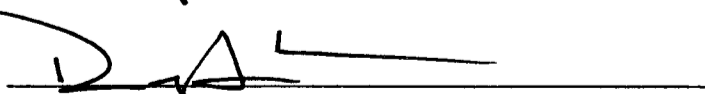
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COMMISSIONER, BOBBY MILLER



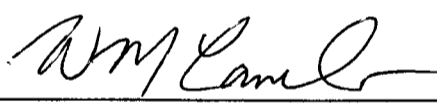
COMMISSIONER, REGINALD MURRAY



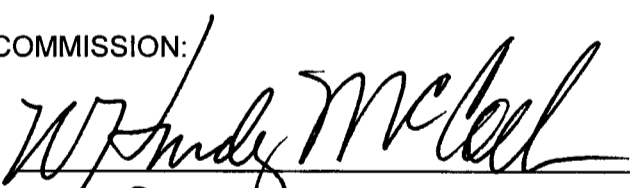
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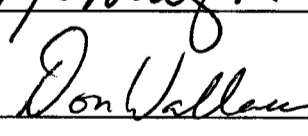
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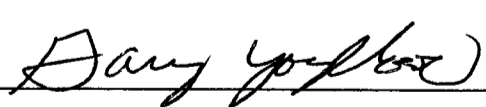
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112 ROAD & BRIDGE	7001-7214	\$2,382,928.96
116 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT		
117 RRR GAS TAX	290	\$600,000.00
120 REAPPRAISAL	1164-1185	\$157,675.81
160 COMMUNITY DEVELOP	1520-1521	\$374,542.06
710 PAYROLL-CHECKS	90412-90463, 47124-47309	\$1,363,845.73
PAYROLL-DIR DEP	14839-15692	\$904,067.59
720 EXCESS LAND SALES	333	\$1,014.17
750 PISTOL PERMIT	3313-3325	\$24,861.11
761 DA WORTHLESS CK	2456-2481	\$6,197.51
780 E911	4132-4146	\$50,893.54
781 GAS TAX BONDING		
783 WORKMEN'S COMP	5106	\$12,476.13
784 TAX COLL SPECIAL	264	\$30.35
785 TAX ASSR SPECIAL	1617-1619	\$529.84
786 MFG HOMES		
787 MOTOR VEH TRAINING		
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		\$9,815,451.78

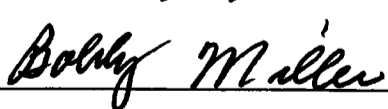
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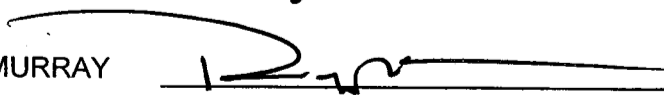
APPROVED BY TUSCALOOSA COUNTY COMMISSION:

CHAIRMAN, W. HARDY MCCOLLUM 

COMMISSIONER, DON WALLACE 

COMMISSIONER, GARY YOUNGBLOOD 

COMMISSIONER, BOBBY MILLER 

COMMISSIONER, REGINALD MURRAY 



**Meeting with Tuscaloosa County Commission
Funding for AHSAA Super 6 Football Championship
Submitted by the Tuscaloosa Sports Foundation
2009, 2011, 2013**

The Tuscaloosa Sports Foundation seeks funding for the AHSAA Super Six High School State Football Championships during the years of 2009, 2011 and 2013 in the amount of 50,000 per year.

**AHSAA Super Six Football Championships on campuses of
University of Alabama & Auburn University- 2009-2014**

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Alabama	12/2-4 /09
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Auburn	12/2-4/10
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Alabama	11/30-12/2/11
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Auburn	12/6-8/12
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Alabama	12/5-7/13
▪ AHSAA Super 6 State Football Championships	Auburn	12/6-8/14

Alabama

Football 2009, 2011, 2013

Auburn

Football 2010, 2012, 2014

TUSCALOOSA SPORTS FOUNDATION

P.O. Box 3142 TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA 35403 ▶ 205.394.0700

TUSCALOOSASPORTSFOUNDATION.ORG

EX 4-11

Bid Fee

\$100,000.00 per year paid to the AHSAA -City of Tuscaloosa

\$ 50,000.00 per year paid to AHSAA- Tuscaloosa County

\$25,000.00 per year TSF through additional support

Note: City of Auburn & Opelika will pay same amount yearly

University of Alabama Charges

These estimated costs will be charged to the AHSAA for services to operate events at Bryant Denny Stadium.

Football= \$100,120.00

Note: Auburn's cost almost identical

Football= \$ 100,300.00

Super 6 estimated economic impact based @ 40,000

Estimated Impact= \$ 5.85 Million

Tuscaloosa Sports Foundations goal in conjunction with other local organizations, AHSAA and Bruno's event team is to generate significant interest in this event through marketing and promotions which in turn will increase attendance. Expectations are future UA, Stillman and Shelton State students will make first visits to these 3 campuses while attending the Super Six Championships and the 300-500 AHSAA coaches attending the coaches clinic on Wednesday will spend at least 2 nights in our community.

The following enhancements were added to bid package

The City of Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa County, University of Alabama and Tuscaloosa Sports Foundation are prepared to make the following enhancements to help make these 2 Championships Special Events.

- *Pep Rally/ Tide Walk-in from Walk of Fame
- * Each team will be assigned a Host Family during stay in Tuscaloosa for smooth transition
- * Police Escort to Stadium for FB team bus to help better navigate due to possible construction issues.
- * FB-Welcome reception at New Amphitheater 2011 Football
- * Welcome address by Mayor Walt Maddox, Judge Hardy McCollum
- * Sports Personality Guest Speaker
- * Fireworks display
- * Campus Tours available for non Student Athletes per NCAA rules
- * Bryant Museum Tours
- * Possible Shuttle Service from offsite parking
- * Practice facilities available at local area High Schools through TSF

DCH Home Health Care Agency

1401 Greensboro Avenue
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401
205.759.7010

04/21/09

To: Bobby Miller
County Commissioner
Tuscaloosa County Courthouse
714 Greensboro Avenue
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401

From: Scott Singer, RN
Donna Lowery, MSW
DCH Homecare Agency
Tuscaloosa, Al
205-759-7010

Subject: Inaccessible/Hazardous county road access to a homecare patient's home

Client: Rhonda P. Moore.
15755 Cattail Ln.
Moundville, Al 35474 (In Tuscaloosa County)

Dear Mr. Miller:

We are providing critical homecare services to the Client listed above. It was reported to us by our homecare nurses that access to this patient's home is hazardous and a possible limitation to our ability to provide necessary home health to our client. Access to this patient's home and three other homes is blocked by a rather large depression in the dirt road and is filled with water. We are requesting your consideration as it relates to providing fill dirt to fill in the road depression.

Respectfully,

 Scott Singer, RN

 Donna Lowery, LBSW

DCH
Health System

EX 4-12



Longleaf Engineering, LLC

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Tuscaloosa County Commission
2501 7th Street, Suite 300
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

**Re: Benton's Bend Subdivision
Fosters, Alabama**

Dear Commission Members:

I hereby offer the following regarding a letter dated October 26, 2000 containing comments made by the Tuscaloosa County Public Works Department regarding Phase I of Benton's Bend Subdivision:

1. "the cross drain pipes are concrete power poles which are not acceptable drainage pipes" – *All previously placed concrete poles used for drainage have been removed.*
2. "water line was installed under pavement and not in the back five feet of R-O-W" – *McGiffert & Associates were the Engineer of record on behalf of the Fosters/Ralph Water Authority. It has been conveyed to me the water line was placed on the shoulder in accordance with the Engineer's recommendations to get it out of a potential scour area.*
3. "guy wires and anchors are between poles and road" – *The power company made site modifications to particular problematic poles and relocated the guy wires to a different location.*
4. "ditches are holding water" – *Ditches were recently re-graded to promote positive drainage and eliminate standing water.*
5. "cul-de-sac not paved" – *The cul-de-sac has been paved.*
6. "there are several pavement failures in the road" and "road has settled causing large dips" – *Several failure areas have been addressed and many areas have been leveled and patched. The final layer of asphalt will create a continuous smooth surface when installed.*
7. "plastic pipes have been installed for side drains" – *Plastic pipe is under some of the driveways in this development. However, they have been installed for approximately 9 years and have presented no problems. They appear to be in better shape than some of the other corrugated metal pipe (CMP) that was installed in some locations.*

The above items were based on my observations at the site and information provided to me.

The following three variances are requested for the noted subdivision:

1. Waiver of the 600' maximum cul-de-sac length.
2. Waiver of the roadway elevation to be 1' above 100 year flood elevation. This waiver was granted in Phase I because of a request from the Corps of Engineers. Achieving the 1' elevation difference would create a "dam type effect" between the roadway and the river and the natural flow of floodwaters would be diverted. The Corps does not want that to happen.
3. Waiver of requirement to provide RCP for driveway pipe into private residences.

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If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
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Project Engineer

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To whom it may concern, we the residents of Nuckols Circle, Northport, Alabama request that Tuscaloosa County please install a speed table on our road. We have in our residence a combine number of 15 kids who live and play in this area. Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

1. Kenny Gray 7511
2. Wanda Gray 7511
3. Johnny Holcomb 7504
4. Donna Holcomb 7504
5. Susan Kottler 7304
6. Whit Hesse 7601
7. Sam Hest 7601
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