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Dear Council Members,

I respectfully submit to you for consideration the re-appointment of Mrs. Melanie Clark to serve on the Civil Service Commission. Mrs. Clark was initially appointed in June 2010 and was recently nominated as Chairperson in January 2014. She is a community volunteer and fundraiser and has been a resident of Gulfport for the past 40 years. She is a member and past president of the Board of Directors of the Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra, serves on the Board of Directors of the Humane Society of South Mississippi and the Harrison County Chapter of the American Heart Association, and the "Keep Gulfport Clean and Green" campaign where she served as chairperson for Ward 4. She is the Director of Christmas on the Bayou Lighted Boat Parade.

She has dedicated her life to enhancing the quality of life for our City and she has served our employees with honesty and integrity. Your confirmation of Mrs. Clark's re-appointment will be greatly appreciated. Her appointment will be effective immediately and will expire in December 31, 2019.

Sincerely yours,

A blue ink signature of Billy Hewes, written in a cursive style.

Billy Hewes
Mayor