Supervisor WHITTEN moved the adoption of the following Second Amended Ordinance.

SECOND AMENDED ORDINANCE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE BOLIVAR COUNTY ENHANCED 911 EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM

It is hereby ordained by the Board of Supervisors of Bolivar County, Mississippi:

1. New Structures and Mobile Homes

(a) All persons, firms, corporations and other legal entities constructing new structures, locating and re-locating mobile homes in Bolivar County, Mississippi, shall from and after this date obtain an address notification form, which shall be in the following form:

BOLIVAR COUNTY 911
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 396
CLEVELAND, MISSISSIPPI 38732
Phone: (662)723-0053
Fax: (662)723-0022
Mobile: (662)719-8337
EMAIL: lregan911@cableone.net

ADDRESS DESIGNATION

Old Address (Not Applicable ☐):_____

Location of New Address (As Described):_____

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Name of Resident:_____ Signature:_____

Phone Number:_____

DATE RECEIVED:_____ FEE:_____ NO._____

New Address:_____

Assigned By:_____ Date Assigned:_____

Notified: Phone Company ☐ Post Office ☐ Resident ☐ Tax Office ☐

Power Company ☐ 911 Maintenance ☐ Water Association ☐

(b) No utility company operating in Bolivar County, Mississippi, shall furnish its utility services to any new or existing structure, or mobile home, including a mobile home that is moved from one location to another, until it has been furnished with the House Number, road name and serial number duly issued by the authorities, as set out hereinabove.

(c) Applicants shall apply for and file the Address Notification Form with the 911 Coordinator, Address Issuance Office, P.O. Drawer 396, Cleveland, Mississippi 38732. Applicants shall pay to the Address Issuance Office a fee of $5.00 to cover administrative costs, and the Address Issuance Office shall furnish the Applicant with sufficient copies to present to the utility companies and the United States Post Office.

(d) Upon the filing of the Address Notification Form with the Address Issuance Office, the Address Issuance Office shall assign a number and address to the structure within two (2) business days after receiving all applicable information. Any address request or required documents presented after 3:00 p.m. will not be considered to have been presented until the next business day. The Address Issuance Office shall keep a record of all numbers and addresses assigned. Additional information concerning any addresses given to any structure (new or old), mobile home or otherwise, that are located in a flood zone within Bolivar County, shall be immediately relayed to the Bolivar County Flood Plain Administrator for applicable permits for flood plain administration purposes. No person, utility department, utility organization or gas company shall connect or allow re-connect any electrical service utility or gas service to any residential or non-residential building, or part therof, located across the levee. Said issuance will only be issued for any residential or non-residential building or any part thereof after certification has been made by a licensed, certified, electrical contractor and the

company providing the gas service that the service connection is suitable for a safe connection.

2. Posting of Designated House Numbers:

The owner or occupant or person in charge of any house, building, mobile home or other structure to which a number has been assigned.

(a) Shall within 30 days after the receipt of such number affix the number in a conspicuous manner in a conspicuous place.

(b) Remove any different numbers which might be mistaken for or confused with the number assigned to the structure by the issuing authority.

(c) Each principal building or structure shall display the number assigned to the frontage on which the front entrance is located. In case the principal building or structure is occupied by more than one business or family dwelling unit, each separate front entrance may display a separate number.

(d) Numerals indicating the official numbers for each principal building, or each front entrance to such building, shall be posted in a manner as to be legible and distinguishable from the street or road on which the property is located, with numbers pained or applied, of not less than four (4) inches in height.

(e) Mail boxes shall be marked with the house number.

(f) If the structure is not visible from the street or road on which it is located with no mail box beside the driveway leading to the structure, a sign or number post shall be erected to display the number which may be displayed either vertically from the top down or horizontally.

3. In the event that the owner or occupant or person in charge of any house or building refuses to comply with the terms of this ordinance by failing to affix the number assigned within sixty (60) days after notification, or by failing within said period of

sixty (60) days to remove any old numbers affixed to such house, or house entrance, or elsewhere, which may be confused with the number assigned thereto, he shall be punished by paying a fine of not less than ten (10) dollars for every day that the situation is not rectified. In that if applicant fails to adhere to rules as set forth and fails to place required house numbers in appropriate locations, said information of failure to adhere will be brought to the E-911 Commission board for a determination of enforcement. Notification of said information will be given to the Bolivar County, Mississippi Board of Supervisors for information purposes prior to enforcement action.

4. This second amended ordinance is limited to structures in Bolivar County, Mississippi, lying outside the corporate limits of the municipalities of Alligator, Benoit, Beulah, Boyle, Cleveland, Duncan, Gunnison, Merigold, Mound Bayou, Pace, Rosedale, Shaw, Shelby, Renova, and Winstonville, and the maintenance of the Bolivar County Enhanced 911 Emergency Response System for structures within the corporate limits of said municipalities shall be controlled by the ordinances and regulations of said municipalities. Each of the above regulations of said municipalities listed above can request through the E911 Commission Board a MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) to be approved by the Bolivar County, Mississippi Board of Supervisors requesting the E911 coordinator to handle and enforcing the emergency addressing through this ordinance.

5. The amended ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

6. The purpose of this second amended ordinance is to amend paragraphs 1(a) and (d) and 4 of the ordinance heretofore adopted by this Board on January 17, 1995, for the implementation of the Bolivar County Enhanced 911 Emergency Response System. All

ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this amended ordinance are hereby repealed.

7. The Clerk of this Board is directed to publish this amended ordinance in The Cleveland Current or The Bolivar Commercial one time, to obtain a proof of publication thereof and to file said proof in the minutes of this Board.

Supervisor KING seconded the above and foregoing amended ordinance, and upon a roll call vote was as follows:

Supervisor James McBride voted:	AYE
Supervisor Donny Whitten voted:	AYE
Supervisor Benitha Calvin-Williams voted:	AYE
Supervisor Preston Billings voted:	AYE
Supervisor Larry L. King voted:	AYE

It was therefore declared that the Second Amended Ordinance be and the same is hereby adopted as the Ordinance for the Implementation and Maintenance of the Bolivar County Enhanced 911 Emergency Response System and that said Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption.

SO ORDERED, this the 21st day of November, 2016.

James McBride

James McBride, President of the Board of Supervisors of Bolivar County, Mississippi

ATTEST:

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Brenett N. Haynes, Clerk