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Dear Leaseholder,

In late fall of 2008 Mississippi's Secretary of State sought an Attorney General's opinion authorizing a change in residential lease appraisals.

On March 2, 2009, the Madison County School District Board of Education conducted an open forum where over 100 residential lease holders and various government officials voiced dismay over reduced home values, among other concerns.

The Madison County School District, the City of Madison, the City of Flora, and the Madison County Board of Supervisors oppose this new methodology and have joined together to formally request that the Attorney General reconsider his January 30, 2009 opinion.

A copy of our request for reconsideration can be viewed at our website, www.madison-schools.com. Due to the expense of mailing this letter to over 600 lease holders, all future information regarding this issue will be posted on the website under the Sixteenth Section land link. Please feel free to call 601-879-3009 or 601-879-3010 if we may assist you in any way.

Warmest Regards,

Michael D. Kent, Superintendent
Madison County School District

Cc: City of Madison
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