

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI



JIM HOOD
ATTORNEY GENERAL
OPINIONS DIVISION

May 26, 2006

Ms. Megan Willoughby
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Post Office Box 567
Hernando, Mississippi 38632

Re: Interlocal Agreement between the DeSoto County Board of Supervisors and the DeSoto County Convention and Visitors Bureau

Dear Ms. Willoughby:

Attorney General Jim Hood has received your request to review and approve the above-referenced Interlocal Agreement. The agreement provides for the repayment of funds by the DeSoto County Convention and Visitors Bureau to the DeSoto County Board of Supervisors.

We have examined the Agreement pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1974 and find that the Agreement is in proper form and compatible with state law, and is hereby approved. Prior to becoming effective, in addition to being executed by the governing authorities and receiving the approval of this office, the agreement must be filed with the Chancery Clerk of DeSoto County and with the Secretary of State. Please include a copy of this approval letter when filing with the Secretary of State. Further, the agreement must be filed with the State Auditor within sixty (60) days of its effective date.

If our office may be of further assistance, please advise.

Sincerely,

Heather P. Wagner
Assistant Attorney General

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encl.