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Honorable Stephen Witt
Mayor City of Lake City, Florida
205 N. Marion Ave.
Lake City, Florida 32055

Honorable Rocky Ford
Chair Columbia County Board of County Commissioners
Lake City, Florida

Re: Florida Gateway College

Dear Mayor Witt and Chair Ford:

Our office represents Florida Gateway College (FGC) District Board of Trustees ("Board"). At its regular meeting on August 12, 2021, the Board directed me to request a joint meeting among the Lake City Council, the Columbia County Commissioners, and representatives of FGC to discuss the following items with all parties including:

1. Ownership/easements of main water and sewer lines on College property;
2. Discrepancies in ownership of a parcel of land at the Lake City Airpark;
3. Potential runway expansion of the Lake City Airport;
4. Potential closure plans and relocation of Timberwolf Drive;
5. Potential increase of significant traffic on Timberwolf Drive by development of a multi-use apartment complex;
6. Discussion of stormwater issues causing flooding issues at the

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college; and

7. Discussion of potential grants.

Your attendance and participation will be greatly appreciated.

After considering the scheduled public meetings for both the county and city in September 2021, and due to the urgency of this matter we have scheduled this meeting for Tuesday, September 21, 2021 at 6:00 pm in room 102 at the Wilson Rivers Library. This meeting will be publicly noticed and masks and social distancing will be encouraged. The public will be encouraged to attend but no formal action will be taken at the meeting. For more information please contact President Barrett at Lawrence.barrett@fgc.edu or by phone at 386-754-4200.

Very truly yours,


Marlin M. Feagle

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xc: See attached

FGC Board Members:

Mr. David Crawford
Ms. Renae Allen
Honorable Robert Brannon, III
Mr. Lindsey Lander
Ms. Kathryn McInnis
Mrs. Suzanne Norris
Dr. James Surrency
Dr. Miquel Tepedino

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Mr. Rocky Ford, Chair
Mr. Ronald Williams
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Mr. Toby Witt
Mr. Tim Murphy

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Mayor Stephen Witt
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Mr. Todd Sampson
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Mr. Joel Foreman

City of Lake City Attorney:

Mr. Fred Koberlein