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## Good morning, Alicia

You would need a list of staff, address for hotel and hotel name. I would also say a synopsis of what we'll be doing for transparency.

Per earlier discussions, here is the information concerning the Trip to Thomasville Alabama.

We plan to leave the morning of July 12th and travel to Thomasville Alabama. Along with our group there is also a group from both Dixie and Gilchrist counties participating in the trip as well. We will meet with the Mayor, Sheldon Day the following morning for a presentation on how he and other city officials have worked together to add close to one billion dollars in infrastructure and added over 1000 jobs in his 20 plus tenure as mayor. That afternoon the mayor has a tour of Thomasville and several of the businesses that have moved to Thomasville so that we can meet with their leadership and learn what put Thomasville at the top of the list when the decided to relocate their business.

We will travel back to Levy County the following morning of July 14th.

## Attendees:

Scott Osteen - Executive Director, Nature Coast Business Development Council. Wilbur Dean Alicia Tretheway John Meeks - Commissioner

Hotel accommodations:

Holiday Inn Express 30040 US-43 Thomasville, AL 36784

We will need 4 rooms at \$160/night for two nights (July 12th and 13th).

We will also need per diem for all for individuals for the following days.

Lunch and dinner on the 12th, breakfast, lunch, and dinner on the 13th, Breakfast and lunch on the 14th.

Commissioner Meeks has volunteered to take his personal vehicle so we may need milage for him.

Please let me know if I have missed anything or if you need any further information.

Thanks,

## **Scott Osteen**

## **Executive Director**



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