



CITY OF LAUREL OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Martin Mitchell, Councilmember, At-Large
FROM: Craig A. Moe, Mayor
SUBJ: Your Poor Judgment

As you know, the City of Laurel paid for your registration to attend the Annual National League of Cities Conference and hotel room at the Kansas City Downtown Marriott which is a **Smokefree Property**.

It has come to my attention that you were charged with a violation of their smoke-free property policy of \$250.00, which you personally paid.

This is to remind you that you attend these events representing the City of Laurel, and although you paid the violation with personal funds, violating the hotel policy shows poor judgment on your part and reflects negatively on the City of Laurel Government. Your actions were not in the best interest of City.

As stated in the City's Charter, Section 310 – City Council, ***“City Councilmembers shall be persons of known integrity, experience and sound judgement”***. I ask that you remember this and remind you that elected officials are not above the law or local regulations.

Please feel free to contact me if you wish to discuss this matter.

Attachment

cc: Brencis D. Smith, Council President
Christian L Pulley, CPM, City Administrator
Joanne Barr, Deputy City Administrator
Sara A. Green, CMC, Acting City Clerk
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