SYLVIA SHANNON DAVIS

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January 3, 2019

Honorable Ed Mitchell
Blount County Mayor
341 Court Street, Maryville TN 37804

Dear Mayor Mitchell:

Thank you for the opportunity to meet with you and Randy Vineyard to learn more about the vacancy on the Blount County Public Building Authority. As follow up to our conversation, I am interested in serving on the PBA and am attaching my resume for your consideration.

I have strong ties to Blount Country having lived here for the past 25 years, as well being married to a Blount County native who has been very active in civic and political affairs. During this time, we have both owned various small business in Blount County. I am currently the owner of Louisville Mercantile, a gift/vintage/DIY shop located in Louisville and Maryville.

I consider the opportunity to serve and give back to the community where I live a privilege, and appreciate your favorable consideration for this appointment. If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Sylvia Shannon Davis

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **LOUISVILLE MERCANTILE** (2016 – Present)
  - Owner of small business with locations in Maryville and Louisville

- **OAK RIDGE NATIONAL LABORATORY (UT BATTELLE LLC)**
  Oak Ridge, TN (2009 – 2018)
  - Retired in 2018 as Director of Business Operations and Strategy Services

- **UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE**
  Knoxville, TN (1994 – 2009)
  - Retired in 2009 after serving in a variety of positions including Vice President for Strategic Planning and Operations and Vice President for Administration and Finance

- **TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS**
  Nashville, TN (1988 – 1994)
  - Served in various positions including Associate Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance

- **STATE OF TENNESSEE**
  Nashville, TN (1979 – 1988)
  - Served in various budget and auditing positions with progressively added responsibilities with the Department of Finance and Administration and the State Comptroller of the Treasury

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- University of Alabama - B.S. Accounting (1978)
- University of Alabama - MBA (1979)
- Country Chic Certified Painting Instructor (2018)
- Tennessee CPA - inactive

COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES PARTICIPATION

- University Health Systems Board of Directors
- University of Tennessee Athletics Board of Directors
- UT Chattanooga Athletics Board Member
- Knoxville Area Chamber Partnership Board of Directors
- University of Tennessee Research Foundation Board Member
- SAP Higher Education Research and Advisory Council Member
- National Association of College and University Business Officer Membership Committee
- Leadership Knoxville