

MADISON COUNTY COMMISSION Huntsville, AL

CHAIRMAN DALE W. STRONG

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North Alabama Zoological Society 4100 Market St SW Suite 100 Huntsville, AL 35808

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the Madison County Commission, we are genuinely pleased to learn about the North Alabama Zoological Society's (NALZS) endeavor to create an Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) accredited combination zoo and aquarium. Such an educational and recreational facility will bring a significant new quality of life component to North Alabama.

A North Alabama Zoo and Aquarium would bring increased tourism, job creation, and encourage citizens to spend their money locally in North Alabama. This attraction would provide exciting new activities for citizens of all ages to experience through a world-class zoo, while encouraging conservation efforts for all animal species.

It is for these reason as the Chairman of the Madison County Commission, I support the North Alabama Zoological Society in your efforts moving forward with this project.

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Dale W. Strong

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