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Ms. Charity Murphy, Executive Director  
Clark County Park District  
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Dear Charity,

It has come to my attention that the painting that FSG did for the park has become a source of controversy for you. Let this letter serve as notification that I will pay for the two camping spots for the 2016 season that were part of the agreement between FSG and Mill Creek as it relates to the trading of paint and services for camping. My family and I have enjoyed Mill Creek for many years, and are saddened to see so much negativity brought to the park by a few disgruntled individuals with nothing more than an axe to grind. I thank you for allowing me and FSG to be a part of something positive that you were trying to achieve in bringing a fresh look to what was a run-down place in major need of maintenance.

Per our conversation and agreement to paint the remaining buildings this year, in offering to pay for our camping for this season, this will terminate our agreement for the painting as well as the donation of additional paint and any future donations. I wish you nothing but the best as you try to continue to make improvements. I ask that you share this with your board. It is important that they know how the negativity of a few is impacting the desire to want to give back to a place as special as Mill Creek.

To the Board:

Your director has tried tirelessly to make much needed improvements around the park with limited staffing and resources. I hope that she will continue to look for ways to improve services and amenities for the future of your customers, as they are the ones losing out here due to a few self-serving people who have no clue how to engage a community. The approximate total of the painting that was to be done this year in exchange for \$3,920 in camping, is \$10,800, at our cost for paint. In total, the park would have received \$23,703 in services in exchange for \$7,840 in camping, as I have sold our boat, which is \$15,863 to the good. It doesn't take a college graduate to do that math.

I have no idea who initiated this frivolous claim for an investigation but it is doing nothing but taking away from the efforts of Mill Creek. I can only imagine the good that could be done for the park if your director could spend her time and energy on implementing improvements instead of wasting it on negative crap. I wish Charity and Mill Creek nothing but the best.

God Bless.

Clifford Allison

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