

## Board of County Commissioners • Escambia County, Florida

George Touart Interim County Administrator

January 15, 2014

Mr. Lumon L. May, Chairman, District 3 Board of County Commissioners 221 Palafox Place, Suite 400 Pensacola, Florida 32502

Dear Chairman May,

I would like to thank the Board of County Commissioners for the opportunity to serve the citizens of Escambia County since December 1, 2012. Since that time, I'm proud of the list of our accomplishments, which include:

- Transition of the Escambia County Jail
- Transition of the West Florida Public Library
- Funded Mass Transit (4<sup>th</sup> Cent Gas Tax)
- Protected Escambia County's Flow Control Ordinance and stopped ECUA from building a waste processing facility at a different location
- Economic Development (NOLFX and Project Stallion)
- Purchased the Brownsville Assembly of God Church which will become the Brownsville Community Center
- Funded a 3% across the Board Employee Pay Raise

With a new year upon us, this seems like a good time to announce my retirement effective Monday, February 3, 2014. I wish you and the rest of the Commissioners the very best.

Sincerely,

George Touart

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