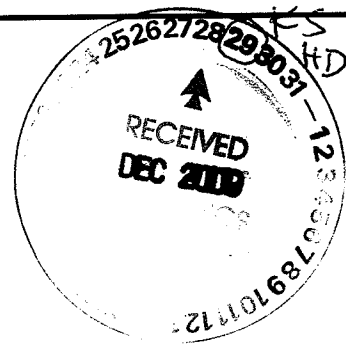


STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

200 Piedmont Avenue
Suite 1402 - West Tower
Atlanta, Georgia 30334



COMPLAINT

ALLEGING A VIOLATION OF THE ETHICS IN GOVERNMENT ACT.

I. PERSON BRINGING COMPLAINT:

Name: D. Tim Clark
Address: 130 Fairway Drive
City: Carrollton State: GA County: Carroll Zip Code: 30117
Telephone Number: (404) 372-0247 (mobile)

II. PARTY AGAINST WHOM COMPLAINT IS BROUGHT:

Name: Timothy Bearden
Address: 607 Coverdell Legislative Office Building
City: Atlanta State: GA County: Fulton Zip Code: 30334
Telephone Number: (404) 656-0287
Title of office held or sought (if applicable): District 68, Representative

III. STATEMENT OF FACTS:

State in your own words the detailed facts and the actions of the party named in Paragraph II upon which the complaint is based along with an allegation that such facts constitute one or more violations of the Ethics in Government Act. The brief space provided below is not intended to limit your statement of facts. Use the back of this form or additional sheets if necessary. Include relevant dates and times and the names and addresses of other persons who you believe have knowledge of the facts and any documentary evidence that supports the facts alleged in the complaint.

Since 2005, Tim Bearden has received \$2,200 per month in pay from the City of Carrollton Georgia, yet he has no written contract and he has not produced or provided any tangible work product. During calendar years 2006, 2007, and 2008 he received more than \$20,000 from the City of Carrollton, yet he has not reported this income from a governmental entity on his financial disclosure reports. For reference purposes, lobbyist J. Wayne Garner is the Mayor of Carrollton and Bearden sponsored a bill in support of the funeral industry which Garner's business partner at Southeastern Resource Group, Charlie Watts, represents. At the least this raises a question of impropriety.

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VERIFICATION BY OATH OR AFFIRMATION

STATE OF Georgia COUNTY OF Carroll

I, the undersigned Complainant, being duly sworn, depose (affirm) and say that the information in this Complaint is true, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

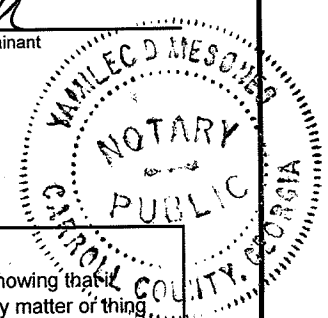
[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of Complainant

This section to be completed by a Notary Public.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on 28th DAY OF DECEMBER, 2009

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature of Notary Public

My Commission expires YAMILEC D MESONES
CARROLL COUNTY, GA
MY COMM. EXPIRES
MAY 5, 2013



PENALTIES: False Swearing

A person to whom a lawful oath or affirmation has been administered or who executes a document knowing that it purports to be an acknowledgment of a lawful oath or affirmation commits false swearing when, in any matter of thing other than a judicial proceeding, he knowingly and willfully makes a false statement. A person convicted of false swearing shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than one or more than five years, or both.