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The Honorable Patricia Phillips, Mayor
City of Pelican
P. O. Box 737
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RE: FY 2016 Population Determination

Dear Mayor Phillips,

The Division of Community and Regional Affairs reviewed the City of Pelican's January 27, 2015 population Head Count Census documentation as received on February 25, 2015. We have determined that your head count agreed with DCRA's review and your resident count as of January 31, 2015 (rounded off to month end) was 101 persons. As outlined in our January 2015 Head Count population manual, your new count must be adjusted to align with the July 1, 2014 population estimate (see page 2 Head Count Census Manual). It has been calculated as follows:

Adjusted new head count as of January 31, 2015	101	Residents
DCCED certified population level as of July 1, 2013	79	Residents
Growth between July 1, 2013 and January 31, 2015	22	Residents
Number of periods between counts (July 1, 2013 to January 31, 2015)	19	# periods
Resulting population adjustment per month	1.16	person per month
Adjusted time periods from July 1, 2013 to July 1, 2014	12	# periods
Population Adjustment (growth)	14	since 7/1/2011
DCCED certified population level as of July 1, 2013	79	
Final Accepted Population Level per July 1, 2014	93	Residents

Based upon the above information, a City of Pelican population figure of 93 will be used by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development in FY 2016 financial assistance programs. If you have any questions about procedures used in making this determination, please contact Manjula Boyina, Research Analyst IV, at (907)269-7959.

The city may, under 3AAC180.050, appeal this determination to the Commissioner of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development. This appeal must be postmarked within 10 days after the municipality receives this written decision.

Sincerely,



Katherine Eldemar
Director

cc: Manjula Boyina, DCRA RA IV
Lawrence Blood, DCRA, LGS V