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Mississippi State Fairgrounds to Conclude Supplying Non-Potable Water

STATE FAIRGROUNDS, Miss. – The Mississippi State Fairgrounds will conclude efforts to provide non-potable water to the public this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. The Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce will continue to monitor the water situation and will resume providing access to non-potable water should the need arise.

“I am proud of the Fairgrounds staff for coordinating this effort to assist members of the community during their time of need. The Fairgrounds supplied approximately 4,000 gallons of water to Jackson residents since opening just over a week ago. The demand has decreased with fewer people coming to the Fairgrounds to get water in the last few days. So, while we are concluding the service at this time, we will continue monitoring the situation and will re-open, if needed,” said Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson.

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