BOURBON BUSINESS ALLIANCE

315 Bourbon Street New Orleans, LA 70130

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Mr. Jeremy J. DeBlieux Vice President French Quarter Business Association

Dear Jeremy;

Thank you for forwarding to me the FQBA Sidewalk Position Statement. We are pleased to add our voice to the call to action to fix the sidewalks in the French Quarter.

The infrastructure of the French Quarter has been allowed to deteriorate for many years and it is appropriate that both businesses and residents work together to encourage the city to hold property owners responsible for the state of repair of their sidewalks.

I wholeheartedly give our organization's support to this initiative.

Best regards

Robert Watters President