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**Certification to Close Committee**

This Certification is used to express the intent to close the committee after all funds have been properly disbursed.

**FILED BY:**

Committee Name: Mary Bess Lawing Newton City Council  
 Treasurer Name: Mary Bess Lawing  
 Treasurer Address: 610 S Main Ave  
 (include city, state, & zip) Newton, NC 28658  
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 Treasurer Phone: 828-464-2290

I certify that the above mentioned Committee intends to close and cease existence. Upon signing this certification, I declare that all funds have been distributed and reported (if required). In addition, no contributions will be accepted or disbursements made after the "Final Report" is filed or this form is signed. If the Committee at any future time intends to accept or spend funds in support or opposition of any candidate or ballot issue, a new political committee must be formed and registered with the Board of Elections before such activities may commence.

Committees that have filed under the \$1,000 threshold will only be required to sign this Certification. No "Final Report" will be required for committees meeting this criterion. Any Committees that did not file under the \$1,000 threshold must submit a "Final Report" with this Certification. This report must have a zero balance with no outstanding loans or debts.

6-16-20  
 Date Signed

Mary Bess Lawing  
 Signature

Note: This Certification is to be filed at the Election Board where the committee's campaign reports are filed.