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Mayor Doug Forman
City Council of Jonesboro

Dear Mayor Forman, and Council Members:

We wish to express our appreciation for all the thoughtful consideration given to find a solution concerning acquisition of a portion of our property for flood control. We are convinced that such consideration has led to a resolution that is a benefit to the home owners affected by flooding, for George and Robin Kaloghirou, for Concordia Christian Academy, for Pilgrim Lutheran Church, and for the City of Jonesboro. We are grateful to all involved for exhibiting a spirit of cooperation to reach such a good solution.

In particular we thank you, Mr. Mayor, Mr. John Street, Chairman of the Public Works Subcommittee, Mr. Chris Moore of the Subcommittee, and all the members of the Subcommittee, Mr. Erick Woodruff, Public Works Director, Mr. Craig Light, City Engineer, Mr. Phillip Crego, City Attorney, and Mr. Harry Hartwick, representative of the City of Jonesboro. We are also appreciative of the interest of Mayor-elect, Harold Perrin. We pray for God's blessings for all of them, for all of you, and for the successful completion of this project.

In the service of Christ,

Russell Shewmaker, Pastor of Pilgrim Lutheran Church

Cheryl Honoree, Principal of Concordia Christian Academy

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can grow in the life of faith, hope and
love that is found only in Christ***

