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Mayor Ivan Allen
City Hall
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We are very proud, Mayor Allen - - - - -

of the wonderful spirit which you showed to Atlanta, Georgia, and yes, even the entire country during the recent riot in the Negro community!

As many of us feel, we are moving too slowly in the slum clearances, both for Negroes and Whites, but I also realize this problem cannot be solved overnight, and to a degree, we will always have problem areas in housing especially. I do feel, however, that anyone, whether he be Negro or White, who fails to obey the laws of our cities, states, and Federal government, should be punished.

I felt that you were the person for the job as Mayor, I voted for you, I have not always agreed with your thinking on every subject, but I do pledge my full support to a man as yourself, who will take the stand and back law and order in our City, as you did the other night. May you have many years in which to serve our City, as I feel that your leadership in our great City of Atlanta has been a "booster" for Atlanta, Georgia, and even the South!

Sincerely yours,

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