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Mr. Ivan Allen, Jr., Mayor  
City of Atlanta  
City Hall  
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mayor Allen:

MY HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR STAND WITH REGARD TO  
MR. LESTER MADDOX.....YOU, MR. ALLEN, ARE PRICELESS!

The world must be told that true Georgians are not the rebels of our nation. My great-grandfather surrendered at Appomattox, with General Lee. Your stand was as much a mark of true leadership as was this surrender. There are many intelligent, logical thinking people in this state who feel exactly as you do.

Mr. Maddox is in no way qualified to be Governor of the State of Georgia, but he is well-qualified to embarrass our state before the world.

You may feel that you must go fishing on election day, but I must GO-BO!

Sincerely,

Hazel D. Shealy  
( An eighth generation  
Southerner )

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