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LUCEDALE, MS - 5-15-23 – At the May 15, 2023 meeting of the George County Board of Supervisors, the Board presented Jaida Strahan with a \$500 check as the George County recipient of the Mississippi Association of Supervisors 2023 County Employee Scholarship.

This year the MAS County Employee Scholarship program awarded \$40,000 I scholarships to dependents of current or retired county employees around the state.

Derrick Surrette, Executive Director of MAS said, "The MAS County Employee Scholarship program is one way that our Association can give back to the employees of our counties. We hope to have an even greater response to the program next year.

The Mississippi Association of Supervisors is a nonprofit support association for Mississippi's 82 counties. Since its inception in 1928, MAS has been committed to the improvement of county government across the state. MAS members have been instrumental in implementing efficient and effective grassroots government that serves the general welfare no one of the counties themselves, but of the entire state.

