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ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH

*Attorney General
State of Florida*

Reply to:

Office of the Attorney General
4000 Hollywood Boulevard, 505-South
Hollywood, Florida 33021

July 3, 1995

Mr. Robert F. Milligan
Office of the Comptroller
PL09 The Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0350

Dear Mr. Milligan:

As you are aware, Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida, gave the Office of the Attorney General the responsibilities of identifying and locating eligible survivors and descendants of the Rosewood massacre of 1923, and of disbursing the Rosewood compensation funds. In May 1994, I was assigned the duty of overseeing and coordinating this process.

The enclosed list represents those individuals who are descendants of Rosewood property owners and who have demonstrated sufficient evidence of real and personal property damages resulting from the violence in Rosewood, Florida, in 1923. The list contains the name, address and social security number of those Rosewood descendants who are eligible for compensation under the Rosewood law. Please process a check for each of the individuals on the attached list for the amount indicated. Because the Florida laws of intestacy are being utilized to determine the amount of compensation, it may be necessary to issue supplemental checks to some of the individuals listed on the attached list.

Additionally, there are several individuals who are eligible for compensation whose cases we have been unable to resolve. Those individuals are not on this list. Efforts are being made to reach them. Once they have been reached you will be notified immediately of the name, address, social security number and the amount in which the check should be made for the additional payees.

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Notwithstanding the above, this office is pleased to announce that the claims process of identifying survivors and eligible descendents of property owners is completed. We greatly appreciate your assistance throughout this process. It continues to be a pleasure working with the Comptrollers Office on such an important part of Florida History.

If I can be of any further assistance, please feel free to contact me at (305) 985-4445.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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Enclosure



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ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
Attorney General
State of Florida

June 30, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
Holland & Knight
315 South Calhoun Street
Tallahassee, FL 32302

Dear Mr. Hanlon:

Pursuant to our recent telephone conversation, enclosed are the affidavits that were forwarded to your clients. Also enclosed is a sample letter that accompanied each affidavit. If you have any questions regarding the documents, please contact me.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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Hollywood, Florida 33021

June 28, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
315 South Calhoun St.
P.O. Drawer 810
Tallahassee, FL 32302-0810

Dear Mr. Hanlon:

As we near the completion of the Rosewood claims process, it is important that you understand the position of this office on certain matters.

This office will utilize the Florida laws of intestacy in determining the amount of compensation to be awarded to eligible Rosewood claimants.

In order to be considered for eligibility for a deceased family member's share of compensation, the claimant must present some proof that the otherwise eligible family member is deceased without a living spouse or children. As you are aware, numerous family members have submitted obituaries, death certificates and other means of proof as to which family members are deceased. Where this office is satisfied that family members have been proven deceased, the deceased family member's share has already been apportioned to all eligible living family members. Therefore, there is no need to further apply for these shares. The total compensation for the claimant then represents their intestate entitlement plus the deceased family member's share.

There are several families who are entitled to compensation whose cases we have been unable to resolve. Your office should utilize whatever resources you have available to contact these families. In the absence of any contact from these families, their funds will revert to the state. Enclosed is a list of the families and the page on which their family tree can be found. These families must contact this office by July 15, 1995. The July 15, 1995, date also serves as the cut off date for all appeals.

Finally, each claimant will be required to sign an affidavit and return it to this office prior to receiving their compensation. Unlike the survivor compensation procedure, checks will be mailed directly from our office to the claimant. Enclosed is a copy of each affidavit.

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Additionally, a letter is being forwarded to the comptroller's office indicating the payee and what amounts may be appropriately disbursed upon receipt of the affidavits in this office. A copy of that letter will be forwarded to you as well.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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The following is a list of the families that must contact this office by July 15, 1995. Failure to contact this office will result in their shares reverting to the state. The list includes in column one the family name, column two the property owner name and column three the page on which they can be found in the current family tree book. Note that some of the names listed below in column one have direct descendents listed under them in the family tree book. Contact from any one of the direct descendents of a name in column one is acceptable.

Column One	Column Two	Column Three

FAMILY	PROPERTY OWNER	PAGE

1. Arthur and Nora Bradley	George and Maggie Bradley	5
2. Queenie Brown	Aaron and Mahulda Carrier	10
3. Ruby Carrier	Sarah and Hayward Carrier	11
4. Wade Carrier	James and Emma Carrier	12
5. Richard Coleman	John and Emma Coleman	13
6. Grover Coleman	John and Emma Coleman	13
7. Minnie Goins	Ed and Sarah Goins	16
8. Eva Mae Elvira Gordon	Lexie Jane Gordan	17
9. Will Goins (First family)	Ed and Sarah Goins	17
10. Dosha Hall	Charles and Mary Hall	18
11. Samuel Hall Jr.	Charles and Mary Hall	18
12. James Hall	Charles and Mary Hall	18
13. Mary Harris	Charles and Mary Hall	18
14. Nathaniel Hall	Charles and Mary Hall	18
15. Martha Hall	Charles and Mary Hall	18
16. Thomas Hall	Charles and Mary Hall	18

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19. Edna Dawson	Mary Jane Hayward	19
20. Leroy Hayward	Mary Jane Hayward	19
21. Alberta Hayward	Mary Jane Hayward	19
22. Lossie Hayward	Mary Jane Hayward	19
23. Eugene Hayward	Mary Jane Hayward	19
24. Brenda Ellis	Sam King	20
25. April Nicholson	Sam King	20
26. Sylvia Nicholson	Sam King	20
27. Paula Foust	Sam King	20
28. Lazell Foust	Sam King	20
29. Rodney Foust	Sam King	20
30. Carolyn Dill	Sam King	20
31. Kenneth Williams	Sam King	20
32. Levone Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
33. Elaine Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
34. Kenneth Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
35. Lorenzo Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
36. Linwood Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
37. Quida Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
38. Andrew Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
39. Percy Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
40. Marie Monroe	John and Sophie Monroe	21
41. Lucy Bradley		*
42. Gertrude Carrier (children-Oscar and Elouise)		*
43. Clara King		*

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44. Worcester Carrier (child-Bernise)		*
45. Nate Gordon	Lexie Gordon	17

* These are children of Louise Bradley who was a sister of Ed and Eliza Bradley. Lucy Bradley is another sister of Ed and Eliza Bradley. They will be reflected on page four of the family tree book.



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Reply to:

Office of the Attorney General
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June 12, 1995

Henry N. Dixon
5833 Spring Run Drive
Columbus, OH 43229

Re: Records Request

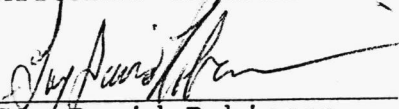
Dear Mr. Dixon:

Regarding our previous conversation, I requested that your professor contact me so that I might be better able to accommodate your request for records in the Rosewood case. I did not receive any correspondence from Professor Verdun. Your letter of May 12, 1995, does not satisfy the requirement of this office to fulfill your request.

As you will recall, there are thousands of documents involved in the Rosewood matter. Please specifically identify those documents you are seeking. If you will have your professor contact me at my office and advise as to the nature of the documents she is seeking, I will be more than happy to accommodate your request. My telephone number is 305-985-4445.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Guy David Robinson
Assistant Attorney General



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Reply to:

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June 5, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
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P.O. Drawer 810
Tallahassee, FL 32302-0810

Dear Mr. Hanlon:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 26, 1995. The kind words you expressed with regard to the efforts of this office in administering the Rosewood claims process are appreciated. I am also happy to respond to the concerns that you raised in your letter as well as clear up some of the inaccuracies and misconceptions contained therein.

Let me say up front that I am very disappointed with your inference that I have refused to meet with you. You are well aware that we have met several times on various issues. On the one occasion that I was unavailable, I made arrangements for my Senior Attorney, Guy David Robinson, to meet with you. I have been, as I was on June 1, 1995 in Tallahassee and shall always remain, assessable in person or by telephone for any meetings or discussions you desire to have. In my absence you may always talk to Mr. Robinson and he will communicate with me at his first opportunity.

It was I who suggested that Guy David Robinson meet with you in Tampa on Thursday, May 25, 1995, to update you on the claims process. As you are aware, this office has always kept you updated and informed on every step that we have taken, with regard to the claims procedure. I preferred a personal meeting because I was concerned that family members were not following the procedure that we outlined in March for applying for deceased family member shares and I wanted Mr. Robinson to illustrate the situation for you.

For this meeting, I also told Mr. Robinson to suggest that your associate, Ted Small, be present. As you are aware, Mr. Small was in attendance when we outlined the procedure for the Rosewood families at the Orlando meeting on March 11, 1995. Mr. Small was also given a copy of the letter outlining the procedure. While Mr. Small asked for some clarifications regarding the letter, he never voiced any displeasure with the procedure. Mr. Small also indicated that he would forward the letter to you. Nevertheless,

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this office forwarded a copy of the letter to you immediately following the Orlando meeting. Since that March 11, 1995, meeting until your most recent letter, you have never expressed any displeasure with the procedure for filing for deceased family member's shares. I am sure that you will agree that we have communicated with one another several times over that two and a half month period and the concerns expressed in your May 26, 1995, letter never came up. Therefore, it comes as a complete surprise that all of a sudden you are expressing concerns.

In any event, as this office has done in the past, we will work with you to address any considerations you may have.

I will address each of your concerns as you have enumerated them in your letter. The first concern you mention is this office's decision to utilize the Florida State Laws of Intestacy as a guide for compensation distribution. Frankly, this office can think of no more fair way to distribute compensation than by using Florida law. You will recall that you, Mr. Robinson, Arnett Doctor, and I met with Special Master Richard Hixson on July 27, 1994. At that time, the consensus of everyone involved in that meeting was that the method of distribution that would be fairest for the Rosewood families would be a Florida Law of Intestacy based distribution procedure. Our office thus decided to utilize a procedure that you and Arnett had approved.

The second concern that you expressed deals with the standard of proof that this office is requiring to evaluate claims. This office is very comfortable with and confident in the standards of proof that we have required to prove claims. Surely, you do not think that it is unreasonable to require someone to provide a birth certificate if they are claiming to be a part of a family. In those instances where people have been unable to provide a birth certificate, we have accepted alternative means of identification. We have accepted census records, school records, obituaries, and we have even obtained records from the Office of Vital Statistics on behalf of some claimants. We have also found that several families have death certificates which have been extremely helpful in identifying family members. In short, with reference to personal and family identification, we have not asked for anything that people and families have been unable to provide.

Many families were able to submit property records to us. As you know, this office also conducted its own research to determine what type of property records are available. In some cases, we found that some families owned more property than even they knew about. Those families will be compensated consistent with the higher property amount that we discovered, not the lesser property amount they applied for. To refer to our request for birth and death certificates as, "a standard of proof which would

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be appropriate for sophisticated corporations" and "inappropriate to impose on families", is disingenuous at best. You severely underestimate the competence and resourcefulness of your clients. You need not be sophisticated to look within your family to see if you have a birth certificate or if the family has a death certificate for another family member. Remember, I have had the pleasure to meet a great many of your clients. I have found them to be very intelligent people. What they may lack in formalized education they more than make up for in common sense. They have been able to produce records that by all accounts were not even suppose to be in existence.

Concern number three appears to be nothing more than a misunderstanding on your part which I will be more than happy to clear up for you. This office is not requiring any claimant to fill out another separate application form in order to apply for a deceased family member's share of funds. All a claimant need do is notify this office of their intent to claim a deceased family member's share and then let us know which family members they are talking about. Then, they must provide this office with something on which we can rely to show that the person is indeed deceased with no living spouse or children. This procedure can be accomplished as simply as sending us a letter stating, "Jane Doe is deceased, I am entitled to her share, and here is a copy of her obituary showing that she died without a husband or children." This is a very simple procedure but necessary to ensure that we do not give away someone's entitlement only to find out that they are indeed alive. The State cannot be so careless as to breach its fiduciary duty but more importantly, I am sure that you and the Rosewood family members would not want to see someone fail to receive an entitlement because someone who was not entitled to it received it.

Also, in concern number three you inappropriately referred to Mr. Small's March 17, 1995, letter. Mr. Small's letter did not refer to the process that requires claimants to notify this office of the intent to seek a deceased family member's share. In fact, his letter did not address that issue at all. (That, in and of itself is further evidence that you expressed no concern over the deceased family member share procedure in that Mr. Small's letter was written a full week after the Orlando meeting and even then you or Mr. Small did not think the procedure worthy of mention.) His letter referred to whether claimants who are members of two or three separate families need to file separate claims for each family. You have, in essence, confused two separate issues.

We remain consistent in our position that a claimant need not file separate property affidavits for each family of which he or she may be a member. However, this office can not very well give an otherwise entitled person's share to someone else unless the requesting person asks for the share and lets us know who it is that is deceased. Surely, you recognize the danger in trying to

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guess who is alive and who is not, or the danger in merely taking one person's word that someone is deceased without a living spouse or children.

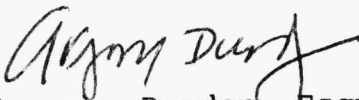
Finally, your letter makes several references to our rules and procedures and requests that we be less rigid, more flexible and equitable in this, the final disbursement process. Let me assure you, there is no need to request that which we are already doing. If it becomes necessary, I can point out countless instances throughout this process where we have bent over backwards to be fair, flexible and equitable. You would be absolutely amazed at how many people have been less than complete in the information they have provided to us. You would be shocked at how many family members we have found that were supposed to be dead who are actually very much alive. You would be disenchanted with how many adults have neglected to tell us about their parents who are living and who are rightfully entitled to the family compensation.

While I am unable to explain the intent behind the circumstances I have just described, I will say that it has proven the necessity of requiring some reasonable proof of a claimant's assertions before that persons claim can be paid. To do anything less would be a breach of this offices fiduciary duty, a disservice to the people of the state of Florida and most importantly, a grave injustice to the descendents of Rosewood.

I trust that this letter adequately addressees your concerns and clears up the inaccuracies and misconceptions contained in your letter dated May, 26, 1995. I remain available to you and I look forward to continuing to work with you until this historic process is completed.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights



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Hollywood, Florida 33021

May 23, 1995

Dr. Elizabeth Sweeney
Florida Education Center
Suite 1344
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400

Dear Dr. Sweeney:

Enclosed is a copy of the Rosewood Family trees. A final bound copy will be forwarded to you upon completion.

Sincerely,

Gregory Durden
Chief of Civil Rights

GD/cb

cc: Steve Hanlon, Esq., Holland & Knight



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ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
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State of Florida

April 17, 1995

Professor Maxine Jones
F.S.U. History Department
429 Bellamy Bldg. Room 429
Tallahassee, FL. 32306-2029

RE: Rosewood

Dear Professor Jones:

Enclosed are the copies requested. The charge for the copies is \$53.00.

It has been a pleasure working with you. If there is anything further I may assist you with, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Guy David Robinson".

Guy David Robinson, Esq.
Assistant Attorney General

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completed. We greatly appreciate your cooperation and the assistance your office has given us during this historic process.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

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Gregory Durden,
Chief of Civil Rights

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State of Florida

January 4, 1995

Mr. Robert D. Spooner
Bureau Chief of Accounting
Office of the Comptroller
PL09, The Capitol
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0350

Dear Mr. Spooner:

The office of the Attorney General has now completed the process of identifying and locating eligible individuals for the survivor section of the Rosewood law as provided for under Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida. The nine survivors who have been identified are Arnett Goins, social security number 267-01-6970; Minnie Lee Langley, social security number 264-22-0829; Willie Evans, social security number 261-07-5665; Wilson Hall, social security number 267-01-8111; Mary Hall Daniels, social security number 267-20-4039; Margie Hall Johnson, social security number 222-07-9888; Lonnie Carrol Carrier, social security number 267-63-9220; Dorothy Goins Hosey, social security number 267-22-0048; and Robie Mortin, social security number 264-22-6179. The aforementioned people are entitled to additional payments from the state in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars. As you are aware, of the nine people we have identified, four were named in the Rosewood law. No proof of eligibility was required for those four survivors. The process that led to the identification of the other five survivors started with publishing legal notices in the newspaper.

Although the law required notice in compliance with Chapter Fifty of the Florida Statutes, this office decided that it was necessary to do more. Because the events that prompted this legislation occurred over seventy years ago, we recognized that potential claimants could be scattered throughout the state and the country. With this factor in mind, legal notices were published not just in one newspaper but in newspapers across the state. As a result other newspapers across the state and country picked up and reported the Rosewood claims process. This led to media inquiries from Miami to Tallahassee to such places as Japan, Australia and France. The inquiries also resulted in advertising the claims process.

This office then contacted Steve Hanlon, the attorney that represented the Rosewood claimants during the legislative

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hearings, and Arnett Doctor who is the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Mr. Doctor was requested to send to us the names and addresses of anyone wishing to file a claim. Mr. Doctor forwarded over two hundred names. Mr. Hanlon was requested to forward to us any names and addresses he became privy to as people contacted him. Those who participated in the legislative process predicted that a total of eighty people would apply for compensation. They were surprised, as were we, when over four hundred people applied.

In order to prepare to evaluate claims, an attorney was assigned to the Rosewood case full time and an investigator was assigned to the case part time. Thousands of pages of documents prepared before, during and after the legislative proceedings were reviewed. Working relationships were established with Professor Maxine D. Jones, principal investigator for the academic research team that prepared the Documented History of Rosewood; Stephen F. Hanlon, the attorney who represented the Rosewood claimants during the public hearing process; Arnett Doctor, the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee; Gary Moore, a journalist who has researched Rosewood for the last twelve years; the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, who is legislatively required to pursue a criminal investigation of the events surrounding Rosewood; the Department of Education, who is legislatively required to establish a scholarship fund for Rosewood descendants; and the State Office of the Comptroller. As a result of this effort this office has become as knowledgeable, if not more knowledgeable, than most people who have studied Rosewood.

An affidavit was developed to assist us in evaluating the survivor claims. The affidavit was based on information that the named survivors provided during their testimony in the legislative hearings and contained information accumulated and reviewed by this office. A Rosewood Compensation Committee was created to review all survivor claims and make recommendations to this office for approval or denial. The office received a total of eighteen survivor claims in addition to the four that were named in the legislation.

The Rosewood Compensation Committee considered the survivor affidavits that were filled out by the claimants, the Documented History of Rosewood and appendix that were prepared by the academic research team, the interviews that were conducted by our office of the named survivors, the interviews that were conducted by our office of other Rosewood family members, the interviews that were conducted by our office of some of the claimants, data and information gathered by journalist Gary Moore, the report that was prepared by Richard Hixson, the special master who presided over the Rosewood hearings and information that had been

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gathered by Arnett Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Even though all of this information was reviewed by the Compensation Committee, the committee decided to review some claimant affidavits more than once thus giving some claimants a second opportunity to add to their original affidavits. Finally, the Compensation Committee made recommendations to approve five additional claimants.

Before final decisions were made on the Compensation Committee recommendations our office created an appellate process for claimants whose claims were recommended for denial. This process gave claimants yet another avenue to provide whatever information and evidence they could in support of their claim. Of the eighteen people who filed survivor affidavits four people admitted in their affidavit that they were not in Rosewood at the time prescribed by the legislation. Nine of the eighteen claimants failed, after numerous opportunities, to present sufficient evidence and information to satisfy the legislative definition of a survivor. Thus, any and all information regarding Rosewood has been exhausted.

As you are aware, the deadline for filing a Rosewood claim was December 31, 1994. No other eligible Rosewood survivor claimants have come forth, and we are confident that no other eligible survivors exist. There remains in the legislative appropriation enough money to compensate each survivor in the total amount suggested by the legislature.

Therefore, in compliance with Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida, the office of the Attorney General is authorizing that checks in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars be made payable to each of the aforementioned survivors. Please prepare the checks and forward them to Janice Hays in the Finance and Accounting Office of the Attorney General in Tallahassee. We will then hold the checks for disbursement to Steve F. Hanlon, Esquire who is the attorney representing eight of the survivors. The remaining check will be forwarded to Richard Ryles, Esquire who is the attorney representing the ninth survivor. If you have any questions regarding this matter or if this office may be of further assistance to you, please advise. This office can be contacted at (305)985-4445 or suncom 473-4445.

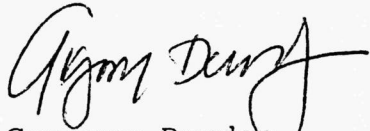
The next task for this office will be to finalize property claims. Currently we have identified the majority of the claimants who are potentially eligible for compensation under the property section of the Rosewood law. It is predicted that the entire process will be completed within sixty days. As has been our practice, we will continue to work closely with the Office of the Comptroller until the Rosewood compensation process is

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completed. We greatly appreciate your cooperation and the assistance your office has given us during this historic process.

Sincerely,

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DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS

THE CAPITOL

TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-1050

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
Attorney General
State of Florida

Reply to:

Office of the Attorney General
4000 Hollywood Boulevard, 505-South
Hollywood, Florida 33021

January 4, 1995

Robert D. Spooner
Bureau Chief of Accounting
Office of the Comptroller
PL09, The Capitol
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0350

Dear Mr. Spooner:

The office of the Attorney General has now completed the process of identifying and locating eligible individuals for the survivor section of the Rosewood law as provided for under Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida. The nine survivors who have been identified are Arnett Goins, social security number 267-01-6970; Minnie Lee Langley, social security number 264-22-0829; Willie Evans, social security number 261-07-5665; Wilson Hall, social security number 267-01-8111; Mary Hall Daniels, social security number 267-20-4039; Margie Hall Johnson, social security number 222-07-9888; Lonnie Carrol Carrier, social security number 267-63-9220; Dorothy Goins Hosey, social security number 267-22-0048; and Robie Mortin, social security number 264-22-6179. The aforementioned people are entitled to additional payments from the state in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars. As you are aware, of the nine people we have identified, four were named in the Rosewood law. No proof of eligibility was required for those four survivors. The process that led to the identification of the other five survivors started with publishing legal notices in the newspaper.

Although the law required notice in compliance with Chapter Fifty of the Florida Statutes, this office decided that it was necessary to do more. Because the events that prompted this legislation occurred over seventy years ago, we recognized that potential claimants could be scattered throughout the state and the country. With this factor in mind, legal notices were published not just in one newspaper but in newspapers across the state. As a result other newspapers across the state and country picked up and reported the Rosewood claims process. This led to media inquiries from Miami to Tallahassee to such places as Japan, Australia and France. The inquiries also resulted in advertising the claims process.

This office then contacted Steve Hanlon, the attorney that represented the Rosewood claimants during the legislative

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hearings, and Arnett Doctor who is the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Mr. Doctor was requested to send to us the names and addresses of anyone wishing to file a claim. Mr. Doctor forwarded over two hundred names. Mr. Hanlon was requested to forward to us any names and addresses he became privy to as people contacted him. Those who participated in the legislative process predicted that a total of eighty people would apply for compensation. They were surprised, as were we, when over four hundred people applied.

In order to prepare to evaluate claims, an attorney was assigned to the Rosewood case full time and an investigator was assigned to the case part time. Thousands of pages of documents prepared before, during and after the legislative proceedings were reviewed. Working relationships were established with Professor Maxine D. Jones, principal investigator for the academic research team that prepared the Documented History of Rosewood; Stephen F. Hanlon, the attorney who represented the Rosewood claimants during the public hearing process; Arnett Doctor, the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee; Gary Moore, a journalist who has researched Rosewood for the last twelve years; the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, who is legislatively required to pursue a criminal investigation of the events surrounding Rosewood; the Department of Education, who is legislatively required to establish a scholarship fund for Rosewood descendants; and the State Office of the Comptroller. As a result of this effort this office has become as knowledgeable, if not more knowledgeable, than most people who have studied Rosewood.

An affidavit was developed to assist us in evaluating the survivor claims. The affidavit was based on information that the named survivors provided during their testimony in the legislative hearings and contained information accumulated and reviewed by this office. A Rosewood Compensation Committee was created to review all survivor claims and make recommendations to this office for approval or denial. The office received a total of eighteen survivor claims in addition to the four that were named in the legislation.

The Rosewood Compensation Committee considered the survivor affidavits that were filled out by the claimants, the Documented History of Rosewood and appendix that were prepared by the academic research team, the interviews that were conducted by our office of the named survivors, the interviews that were conducted by our office of other Rosewood family members, the interviews that were conducted by our office of some of the claimants, data and information gathered by journalist Gary Moore, the report that was prepared by Richard Hixon, the special Robert Spooner January 4, 1995 master that presided over the Rosewood hearings

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and information that had been gathered by Arnett Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Even though all of this information was reviewed by the Compensation Committee, the committee decided to review some claimant affidavits more than once thus giving some claimants a second opportunity to add to their original affidavits. Finally, the Compensation Committee made recommendations to approve five additional claimants.

Before final decisions were made on the Compensation Committee recommendations our office created an appellate process for claimants whose claims were recommended for denial. This process gave claimants yet another avenue to provide whatever information and evidence they could in support of their claim. Of the eighteen people who filed survivor affidavits four people admitted in their affidavit that they were not in Rosewood at the time prescribed by the legislation. Nine of the eighteen claimants failed, after numerous opportunities, to present sufficient evidence and information to satisfy the legislative definition of a survivor. Thus, any and all information regarding Rosewood has been exhausted.

As you are aware, the deadline for filing a Rosewood claim was December 31, 1994. No other eligible Rosewood survivor claimants have come forth and we are confident that no other eligible survivors exist. There remains in the legislative appropriation enough money to compensate each survivor in the total amount suggested by the legislature.

Therefore, in compliance with Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida, the office of the Attorney General is authorizing that checks in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars be made payable to each of the aforementioned survivors. Please prepare the checks and forward them to Janice Hays in the Finance and Accounting Office of the Attorney General in Tallahassee. We will then hold the checks for disbursement to Steve F. Hanlon, Esquire who is the attorney representing eight of the survivors. The remaining check will be forwarded to Richard Ryles, Esquire who is the attorney representing the ninth survivor. If you have any questions regarding this matter or if this office may be of further assistance to you, please advise. This office can be contacted at (305)985-4445 or suncom 473-4445.

The next task for this office will be to finalize property claims. Currently we have identified the majority of the claimants who are potentially eligible for compensation under the property section of the Rosewood law. It is predicted that the entire process will be completed within sixty days. As has been our practice, we will continue to work closely with the Office of the Comptroller until the Rosewood compensation process is

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completed. We greatly appreciate your cooperation and the assistance your office has given us during this historic process.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Gregory Durden,
Chief of Civil Rights

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Reply to:

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July 11, 1995

Gretchen Douglas
444 Rock Lake Drive
Orlando, Florida 32805

Dear Ms. Douglas,

As per your request on this date, I am forwarding to you the contact information we have on file for the Hayward, King, and Monroe families.

Mary Jane Hayward:

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488 N.W. 84th Lane
Miami, Florida 33150
(305) 691-2235

George Kelly
1245 N.W. 69th Street
Miami, Florida 33150
(305) 693-0655

Evelyn Davis
1010 N.W. 90th Street
Miami, Florida 33151
(305) 696-3667

Samuel King:

Chris Nicholson
3157 Overdale Street
Deltona, Florida 32738
(407) 330-1039

Lovie Foust
505 South Orange
Deland, Florida 32720
(904) 943-8589

Dornal Foust
1408 Weiler #22
Ft. Worth, Texas 76112
(817) 451-3374

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Sophie Monroe:

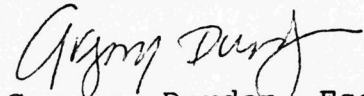
Oren Monroe, Jr.
601 Waterview Drive
Palm Springs, Florida 33461
(407) 965-2746

Clifford Monroe
8 Geary Court
Pikesville, Maryland 21208
(410) 922-0973

I hope this information is helpful to you.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL



Gregory Durden, Esq.
Chief of Civil Rights

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Mr. Robert F. Milligan
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Dear Mr. Milligan:

As you are aware, Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida, gave the Office of the Attorney General the responsibilities of identifying and locating eligible survivors and descendents of the Rosewood massacre of 1923, and of disbursing the Rosewood compensation funds. In May 1994, I was assigned the duty of overseeing and coordinating this process.

The enclosed list represents those individuals who are descendents of Rosewood property owners and who have demonstrated sufficient evidence of real and personal property damages resulting from the violence in Rosewood, Florida, in 1923. The list contains the name, address and social security number of those Rosewood descendents who are eligible for compensation under the Rosewood law. Please process a check for each of the individuals on the attached list for the amount indicated. Because the Florida laws of intestacy are being utilized to determine the amount of compensation, it may be necessary to issue supplemental checks to some of the individuals listed on the attached list.

Additionally, there are several individuals who are eligible for compensation whose cases we have been unable to resolve. Those individuals are not on this list. Efforts are being made to reach them. Once they have been reached you will be notified immediately of the name, address, social security number and the amount in which the check should be made for the additional payees.

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to Janice Hays-Tall.

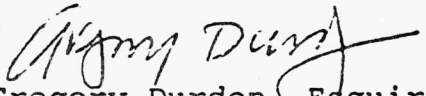
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Notwithstanding the above, this office is pleased to announce that the claims process of identifying survivors and eligible descendants of property owners is completed. We greatly appreciate your assistance throughout this process. It continues to be a pleasure working with the Comptrollers Office on such an important part of Florida History.

If I can be of any further assistance, please feel free to contact me at (305) 985-4445.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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Attorney General
State of Florida

From the Desk of...

GUY DAVID ROBINSON
Assistant Attorney General

July 5, 1995

Janice,

Please substitute the following pages for the
Richard Milligan letter.

Thank you.



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July 31, 1995

Mr. Robert F. Milligan
Office of the Comptroller
PL09 The Capitol
Tallahassee, FL 323990-0350

Dear Mr. Milligan:

The enclosed list represents those individuals who are descendents of Rosewood property owners and entitled to compensation in the amounts indicated. Also, as you are aware from our letter to you dated July 3, 1995, a copy of which is attached, we indicated that there would be supplemental checks issued to some people based on the laws of intestate succession.

Accordingly, please issue supplemental checks to the following individuals for the amounts indicated:

Marie Goins..... \$2,976.19
P.O. Box 242
Lacoochee, FL 33537
261-32-3359

Gerald Hall..... \$925.92
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Henrietta Hall..... \$4,166.67
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Joe Hall..... \$925.92
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Brunswick, GA 31520
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Stephen Hall, Jr. \$4,166.67
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Miami, FL 33147
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July 21, 1995

Steven F. Hanlon, Esquire
Holland & Knight
315 South Calhoun Street
Post Office Drawer 810
Tallahassee, Florida 32302-0810

Dear Mr. Hanlon:

This is to advise you that within the past two weeks, my investigator, Frank Beisler, has located in excess of thirty of the individuals we have been jointly seeking. Property affidavits have been forwarded to all of those individuals. A list of those names is enclosed for your convenience.

This office has remained in constant contact with your investigator, Howard Howie, and has advised him of the address and telephone number of each of those individuals we have located. We have as yet to receive any information from him.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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cc: Gretchen Douglas

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PROPERTY AFFIDAVITS TO BE REVIEWED

NAME	ROSEWOOD FAMILY
Alphonso Baines	Goins p 16
Lucille Baines	Goins p 16
Sylvia Nicholson	King p 20
Brenda Ellis	King p 20
April Nicholson	King p 20
Paula Foust	King p 20
Lazell Foust	King p 20
Rodney Foust	King p 20
Lucy Ward	Coleman p 13
Naomi Baines	Goins p 16
Zella Goins	Goins p 16
Earlean Gilbert	Monroe p 21
Henrietta Bradley	Bradley p 6
Theodore Hamilton	Hayward p 19
Julie Ann President	Goins p 16
Jessie Nelson	Bradley p 5
Sheila Nelson	Bradley p 5
Charlotte Nelson	Bradley p 5
Pam Nelson	Bradley p 5
Cynthia Nelson	Bradley p 5
Vanessa Nelson	Bradley p 5
Gail Nelson	Bradley p 5
Steven Nelson	Bradley p 5
James Nelson	Bradley p 5
Robert Truitt	Bradley p 4
Leroy Floyd	Goins p 16
Theodore Hall	Hall p 18
Teresa Hall	Hall, p 18

John Hall

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John Hall

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Linda Hall

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Matthew Hall

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David Hall

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Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
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Tallahassee, Florida 32302-0810

This is in response to your letters dated July 12 and July 13, 1995.

Per your conversation with Guy David Robinson on Friday, July 14, 1995, this will confirm that as to the forty-five (45) individuals mentioned in your July 13, 1995 letter we have agreed to extend the deadline to July 31, 1995.

With respect to providing an explanation for each award to every claimant, that request cannot be granted. For more than a year, you have been aware that the laws of intestacy would be utilized to calculate the amount of each award. These laws are utilized in part so that each claimant would understand how to calculate the award.

In March of this year my staff held a meeting in Orlando and explained in detail, to more than seventy-five (75) family members, how the laws of intestacy operate. The weekend before last, I met with the Rosewood Advisory Committee, Inc. in Orlando and again explained to several Committee officers how the money would be divided. Moreover, on at least two separate occasions, Mr. Robinson was dispatched to meet with you and Ted Small. On those two occasions, Mr. Robinson also explained in detail how the money would be calculated. Having explained to representatives of the Rosewood families how the money would be divided on two occasions, as well as having explained it to you on two occasions, it appears unduly burdensome and unnecessary to prepare eighty (80) explanations when this matter has already been thoroughly explained. To do so would further grind to a halt the processing of other applications of eligible members who are entitled to compensation but have not been paid.

Accordingly, we have considered your request to provide eighty (80) explanations or, in the alternative, to appeal the amount awarded as well as to extend the deadline to July 31, 1995. These requests cannot be approved.

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
July 21, 1995
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What I am amenable to do, however, is to allow Mr. Robinson, once again, to meet with Mr. Small regarding these awards. Perhaps one additional meeting may help Mr. Small to explain to your clients how these awards were calculated.

Mr. Beisler has located over thirty (30) additional applicants. That information has been provided to you under separate cover. We have not received a status report or any information from your investigator.

In order that we may more efficiently utilize our resources, please provide me with a status report from your investigator by Tuesday, July 25, 1995. I am particularly interested in his search regarding the following family members, their spouses, descendants or spouses of descendants:

Lucie Bradley	Page 4
Arthur Bradley	Page 5
Queenie Brown (now Brooks)	Page 10
Ruby Carrier	Page 11
Wade Carrier	Page 12
Richard Coleman	Page 13
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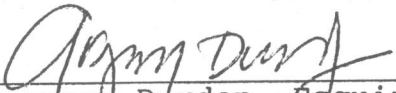
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Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL



Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

cc: Gretchen Douglas



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Reply to:

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Hollywood, Florida 33021

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
Attorney General
State of Florida

July 21, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
315 Calhoun Street
P.O. Drawer 810
Tallahassee, Florida 32302-0810

This is in response to your letters dated July 12 and July 13, 1995.

Per your conversation with Guy David Robinson on Friday, July 14, 1995, this will confirm that as to the forty-five (45) individuals mentioned in your July 13, 1995 letter we have agreed to extend the deadline to July 31, 1995.

With respect to providing an explanation for each award to every claimant, that request cannot be granted. For more than a year, you have been aware that the laws of intestacy would be utilized to calculate the amount of each award. These laws are utilized in part so that each claimant would understand how to calculate the award.

In March of this year my staff held a meeting in Orlando and explained in detail, to more than seventy-five (75) family members, how the laws of intestacy operate. The weekend before last, I met with the Rosewood Advisory Committee, Inc. in Orlando and again explained to several Committee officers how the money would be divided. Moreover, on at least two separate occasions, Mr. Robinson was dispatched to meet with you and Ted Small. On those two occasions, Mr. Robinson also explained in detail how the money would be calculated. Having explained to representatives of the Rosewood families how the money would be divided on two occasions, as well as having explained it to you on two occasions, it appears unduly burdensome and unnecessary to prepare eighty (80) explanations when this matter has already been thoroughly explained. To do so would further grind to a halt the processing of other applications of eligible members who are entitled to compensation but have not been paid.

Accordingly, we have considered your request to provide eighty (80) explanations or, in the alternative, to appeal the amount awarded as well as to extend the deadline to July 31, 1995. These requests cannot be approved.

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
July 21, 1995
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What I am amenable to do, however, is to allow Mr. Robinson, once again, to meet with Mr. Small regarding these awards. Perhaps one additional meeting may help Mr. Small to explain to your clients how these awards were calculated.

Mr. Beisler has located over thirty (30) additional applicants. That information has been provided to you under separate cover. We have not received a status report or any information from your investigator.

In order that we may more efficiently utilize our resources, please provide me with a status report from your investigator by Tuesday, July 25, 1995. I am particularly interested in his search regarding the following family members, their spouses, descendants or spouses of descendants:

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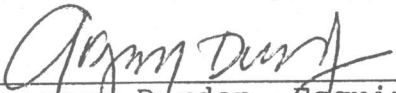
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March 2, 1995

Richard Ryles, Esquire
Schuler, Wilkerson, Halvorson, and Williams
Barristers Building
1615 Forum Place, Fourth Floor
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401-2382

Dear Mr. Ryles:

Enclosed are copies of letters that have been mailed to your clients, Oren Monroe and Roosevelt Grover. I apologize for inadvertently sending these letters directly to them instead of going through you.

It was a pleasure meeting you in Tallahassee.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
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*Attorney General
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Reply to:

Office of the Attorney General
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March 9, 1995

Dear Rosewood Claimant:

As you are aware, the Office of the Attorney General is nearing completion of the Rosewood property compensation process. As such, it is important that the Rosewood families understand the procedure and the schedule that must be followed by all Rosewood claimants.

On March 11, 1995 a meeting was held at the St. Mark AME church located at 1968 Bruton Ave., Orlando, Florida. At this meeting, Rosewood family claimants were given a copy of their family tree. The family trees were developed based on information that this office has accumulated over the past eleven months. Claimants were asked to assist us in adding and deleting names where appropriate. Claimants were also asked to indicate any family members who are deceased, as well as provide any information that would be helpful. Claimants who were unable to give information at the meeting were given until March 20, 1995, to update their family tree and forward the information to our office. They were advised that if the information is not received in our office by March 20, 1995, it will not be reflected on the final family tree.

The final family tree that is developed will dictate how funds will be distributed. For example, if a Rosewood property owner had two children, "A" and "B", compensation will be divided equally to "A" and "B". If child A is deceased with no living spouse or children, child "B" would then be entitled to "A's" share. In order to claim "A's" share, child "B" must show proof to this office that child "A" has died with no spouse or children. Otherwise, "B" would only receive half of the total amount awarded.

Rosewood claimants applying for a family member's share because the family member is deceased with no living spouse or children will have until March 20, 1995, to notify this office. The claimant will have until April 20, 1995, to present proof to this office that an otherwise eligible family member is deceased with no spouse or children. In our example above, "B" must notify this office by March 20, 1995, that he or she is applying for "A's" share because "A" is deceased with no spouse or children. "B" will then have until April 20, 1995, to present proof to this office to that effect.

Rosewood Claimant
March 9, 1995
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Once the claim has been evaluated, a determination will be made as to the claimant's eligibility for the deceased's share. In our example above, a determination will be made based on the claim, whether "B" is eligible for "A's" share. "B" would then be contacted by mail as to his or her eligibility.

If it is determined that "B" is ineligible for "A's" share then "B" will have seven days to notify this office of his or her intent to appeal the decision. "B" will then be given ten days to present additional evidence to support his or her claim to "A's" share. After this additional evidence is reviewed, "B" will receive a letter advising of the final decision as to his or her claim. The file will then be closed.

It is important to note that the Department of Education will rely heavily on the family tree when making decisions as to scholarship eligibility. For that reason, it is important that the Rosewood families be as diligent as they can in ensuring the family tree accuracy.

Finally, this office has worked very hard to develop accurate information so that every person who is entitled to compensation will be paid. The procedures we have put in place have been designed to identify and locate all eligible individuals. We know that the Rosewood families share our desire to ensure that all eligible descendants are compensated and all eligible descendants have an opportunity to be considered for scholarships. We have, however, done as much as we can do. It is now up to the families to step forward and assist in assuring the accuracy of the family trees.

All claims must be paid by June 30, 1995. If not, funds will revert back to the state of Florida. Your prompt assistance is appreciated.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Gregory Durden, Esquire
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State of Florida

Reply to:

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Hollywood, Florida 33021

March 3, 1995

Nina Martinez
Executive Director
Commission on African American Affairs
Office of the Governor
Carlton Building, Suite 315
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001

Dear Nina:

On Saturday, March 11, 1995 at 9 A.M., the Office of the Attorney General will hold a meeting to update Rosewood claimants on the final phase of the Rosewood claims process. This meeting will be held at St. Mark AME Church located at 1968 Bruton Boulevard in Orlando, Florida.

Your participation in the survivor portion of the claims process has enabled you to become very familiar with this case. As such, any information you are able to provide would be of extreme value to this office and to the Rosewood families. Accordingly, you are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Pursuant to our recent conversation, enclosed is a copy of the proposed legislation governing the criteria for educational scholarships. I am sure you will find it most interesting.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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By Representative Chestnut

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the Rosewood Family
Scholarship Fund; providing an appropriation;
amending s. 5 of ch. 94-359, Laws of Florida;
revising provisions relating to the award of
funds and eligibility; establishing an advisory
council; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated from the
General Revenue Fund to the Department of Education the sum of
\$100,000 for fiscal year 1995-1996 to be deposited in the
Rosewood Family Scholarship Fund to be awarded as scholarships
pursuant to the provisions of this act.

Section 2. Section 5 of Chapter 94-359, Laws of
Florida, is amended to read:

Section 5. (1) There is created a Rosewood Family
Scholarship Fund for minority persons with preference given to
the direct descendants of the Rosewood families, not to exceed
25 scholarships per year.

(2) The Rosewood Family Scholarship Fund shall be
administered by the Department of Education. The State Board
of Education shall adopt rules for administering this program
which shall at a minimum provide for the following:

(a) The annual award to a student shall be up to
\$4,000 but should not exceed an amount in excess of tuition
and registration fees.

(b) If funds are insufficient to provide a full
scholarship to each eligible applicant, the department may

1 prorate available funds and make a partial award to each
2 eligible applicant.

3 (c) The department shall rank eligible initial
4 applicants for the purposes of awarding scholarships with
5 preference being given to the direct descendants of the
6 Rosewood families. The remaining applicants shall be ranked
7 based on merit, financial need, and potential for success, as
8 determined by the Department of Education.

9 (d) Payment of an award shall be transmitted in
10 advance of the registration period each semester on behalf of
11 the student to the president of the university, college, or
12 community college, or his representative, or to the director
13 of the area vocational-technical school which the recipient is
14 attending.

15 (3) Beginning with the 1994-95 academic year, the
16 department is authorized to make awards for undergraduate
17 study to students who:

18 (a) Meet Meets the general requirements for student
19 students eligibility as provided in s. 240.404, except as
20 otherwise provided in this section;

21 (b) File Files an application for the scholarship
22 within the established time limits;

23 (c) Enroll Enrolls as a certificate-seeking or degree-
24 seeking student at a public or private university, college,
25 community college, or area vocational-technical school
26 authorized by law.

27 (4) There is established a five-member advisory
28 council to review the scholarship awards. Members shall be
29 appointed by the Governor and shall include:

30 (a) A descendant of a Rosewood family.
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1 (b) An individual who has legal and historical
2 knowledge of Rosewood descendants.

3 (c) A member of the Legislature.

4 (d) A member representing the Department of Education.

5 (e) A financial aid officer of a state university.

6 Section 3. This act shall take effect, July 1, 1995.

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9 HOUSE SUMMARY

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February 28, 1995

Mr. Oren Monroe
601 Waterview Drive
Palm Springs, FL. 33461

Dear Mr. Monroe:

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The purpose of this meeting is to: 1) inform the family members of the efforts that have been exhausted thus far in the claims process and 2) inform family members of what information is necessary to conclude the property portion of the claims process. This meeting will not address the survivor portion of the Rosewood law nor will we discuss any property claims that have been denied.

In our attempts to gather data about family members we discovered that many of the family trees were incomplete and in some cases inaccurate. It is our intent to correct any mistakes that may be on the tree, add any names that may be missing from the tree and indicate any family members who are deceased.

The accuracy of the Rosewood family trees is very important for two reasons. The first reason is that it will assist this office in ensuring that every person or family who is entitled to compensation will receive it. The second reason is that the family tree information will be submitted to the Department of Education. The Department of Education will utilize these trees to assist them in determining who is entitled to scholarships under the Rosewood Scholarship fund.

This office will be able to disburse compensation to eligible families only after families are able to develop an accurate family tree on which this office can rely. Again, this process will ensure that this office can rely. Again, this process will ensure that this office meets its goal of compensating every person and family that is entitled to compensation.

Mr. Oren Monroe
February 28, 1995
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We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL



Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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cc: Stephen F. Hanlon
cc. Richard Riles (per C.B.)
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March 2, 1995

Mr. Roosevelt Grover
3435 Jolliet Street
New Orleans, LA. 70118

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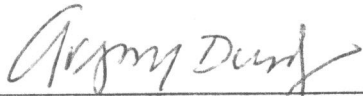
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Mr. Roosevelt Grover
March 2, 1995
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Gregory Durden, Esquire
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March 1, 1995

Professor Maxine Jones
History Department
Florida State University
Tallahassee, Florida 32306-2029

Dear Professor Jones:

This will confirm your visit to this office on March 16, 1995 for the purpose of reviewing our Rosewood files.

The following are directions from the Hollywood/Fort Lauderdale International Airport:

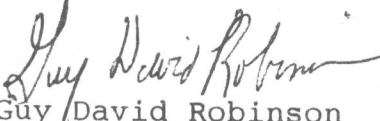
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Our address is 4000 Hollywood Boulevard, Suite 505-South, Hollywood, Florida 33021. If you have any trouble locating our office please contact us at 985-4445.

We are looking forward to meeting with you.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Guy David Robinson
Assistant Attorney General

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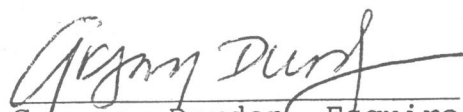
Dear Mr. Hanlon:

We have received the final affidavits of Theresa Robinson, Delray Sherman and Kevin Williams. Their checks are being mailed today. Yvonne Doctor and Theresa Hawkins checks had to be re-cut because the amounts of the checks were incorrect. It is my understanding that their checks will be ready Wednesday, July 19, 1995. Once the checks are received, they will be mailed out from Tallahassee immediately.

Please inform Arnett and any other Rosewood family member not to call Tallahassee inquiring about checks. Disbursement of checks are being controlled out of my office and any questions regarding the disbursement of checks should be directed to me.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL



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Reply to:

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Hollywood, Florida 33021

April 17, 1995

Mike D'Orso
515 Mayflower Road
Norfolk, VA. 23508

RE: Rosewood

Dear Mr. D'Orso

Enclosed are the copies requested. The charge for the copies is \$19.50

It has been a pleasure working with you. If there is anything further I may assist you with, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Guy David Robinson".

Guy David Robinson, Esq.
Assistant Attorney General

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ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
Attorney General
State of Florida

June 12, 1995

Henry N. Dixon
5833 Spring Run Drive
Columbus, OH 43229

Re: Records Request

Dear Mr. Dixon:

Regarding our previous conversation, I requested that your professor contact me so that I might be better able to accommodate your request for records in the Rosewood case. I did not receive any correspondence from Professor Verdun. Your letter of May 12, 1995, does not satisfy the requirement of this office to fulfill your request.

As you will recall, there are thousands of documents involved in the Rosewood matter. Please specifically identify those documents you are seeking. If you will have your professor contact me at my office and advise as to the nature of the documents she is seeking, I will be more than happy to accommodate your request. My telephone number is 305-985-4445.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
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February 23, 1995

Dear Rosewood Claimant:

On Saturday, March 11, 1995, at 9:00am, the office of the Attorney General will hold a meeting to update Rosewood claimants on the last phase of the Rosewood claims process. The meeting will be held at the St. Mark AME Church located at 1968 Bruton Boulevard in Orlando, Florida. If you so desire, each family may designate a representative to attend this meeting on behalf of the family.

The purpose of this meeting is to: 1)inform the family members of the efforts that have been exhausted thus far in the claims process and 2)inform family members of what information is necessary to conclude the property portion of the claims process. This meeting will not address the survivor portion of the Rosewood law nor will we discuss any property claims that have been denied.

In our attempts to gather data about family members we discovered that many of the family trees were incomplete and in some cases inaccurate. It is our intent to correct any mistakes that may be on the tree, add any names that may be missing from the tree and indicate any family members who are deceased.

The accuracy of the Rosewood family trees is very important for two reasons. The first reason is that it will assist this office in ensuring that every person or family who is entitled to compensation will receive it. The second reason is that the family tree information will be submitted to the Department of Education. The Department of Education will utilize these trees to assist them in determining who is entitled to scholarships under the Rosewood scholarship fund.

This office will be able to disburse compensation to eligible families only after families are able to develop an accurate family tree on which this office can rely. Again, this process will ensure that this office meets its goal of compensating every person and family that is entitled to compensation.

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We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Sincerely,

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February 2, 1995

Richard Ryles, Esquire
Schuler, Wilkerson, Halvorson, and Williams
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Dear Mr. Ryles:

Enclosed are two letters and property affidavits for your clients, Oren Monroe and Roosevelt Grover, as discussed in our telephone conversation of February 1, 1995. Please be advised that we plan to conclude this process by February 28, 1995. Accordingly, we must receive these property affidavits by February 16, 1995. Please advise your clients that these deadlines will not be extended.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Butterworth


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

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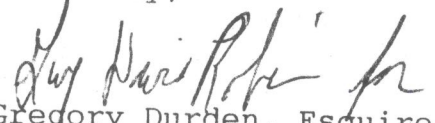
The Florida state laws of intestacy, Florida Statutes, Chapter 732, will determine how compensation will be distributed among family members. Generally, the oldest living descendent would be the person or persons to receive compensation under these provisions.

If you meet the above definition and wish to apply on behalf of yourself and/or your family, you must complete the section entitled, "Rosewood Property Affidavit". Complete all questions to the best of your ability. If you are unable to answer a question, indicate that you are unable to do so and why. The affidavit and any evidence or information you may choose to mail to this office must be received by this office no later than February 16, 1995. There will be no extensions to this deadline.

All information is to be mailed to:

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Sincerely,


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January 25, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
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Dear Mr. Hanlon:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 13, 1995. Per your request, enclosed is a copy of a letter we have sent to the office of vital statistics requesting a copy of the birth certificate for Bessie Edwards.

In your letter to this office, you provided copies of some information that Ms. Blankumsee obtained from the court house in Bronson, Florida. This information does not assist us in determining whether Ms. Blankumsee's ancestors owned property in Rosewood. Please clarify how this information establishes that Ms. Blankumsee is a descendent of a family who owned property in Rosewood, Florida, in January, 1923.

Additionally, Ms. Blankumsee indicated in her affidavit that her ancestors owned forty acres of land in Rosewood. She also provided a legal description of some property. In our letter to her we asked her to provide copies of documentation to support her claim. We also asked her to provide a copy of the document from which she retrieved the legal description. To date, we have not received the documentation we requested. Without reasonable proof of her eligibility, we will not be able to approve her claim.

We would appreciate a response by February 8, 1995.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Butterworth
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Gregory Durden, Esquire
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January 23, 1995

Gary Moore
2303 Woods Street
Tupelo, Mississippi 38801

Dear Mr. Moore:

This letter serves to express our sincerest appreciation for the assistance you have given the office of the Attorney General in regard to Rosewood. As you are aware, this office was assigned the task of locating and identifying Rosewood claimants pursuant to Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida. Your effort, resources and expertise have been invaluable and have contributed to the efforts of this office in carrying out this legislative mandate.

By adding your input to the family trees that we submitted, you will assist in assuring that Rosewood descendants who are entitled to scholarship consideration will have that opportunity. We look forward to hearing from you in that regard.

Sincerely,

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January 10, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esquire
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Dear Mr. Hanlon:

This office is in receipt of Arnett Doctor's letter of December 28, 1994, regarding the draft copy of the Rosewood family trees that we provided to you for review by Mr. Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee.

Mr. Doctor expressed concern in his letter that there were several Rosewood family members and descendants whose names were excluded or deleted from some of the family trees. It is my understanding that Mr. Robinson and Mr. Doctor resolved any concerns Mr. Doctor had regarding the families omitted or deleted. Moreover, the reason a draft copy was provided to Mr. Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee was to give the family members an opportunity to make any additions, corrections, or deletions to the document. While Mr. Doctor expresses concern that some names are missing from the family trees we provided, this office trusts that he and the Rosewood Advisory Committee did as requested and added all the names and information they found to be missing.

Additionally, this office is not in possession of all direct descendent addresses and phone numbers. The document that this office has prepared consists of information that has been provided to us through affidavits, telephone calls and personal interviews. While gathering this information it became apparent that many claimants neglected to include information regarding spouses and children. Because family members are the only ones in a position to provide this information, this office requested Mr. Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee to review this document to assist us in identifying these descendants.

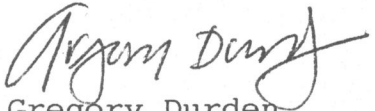
Although it is not the responsibility of the Attorney General's office to verify whether spouses or children are living or deceased, this office has attempted to assist the Rosewood Advisory Committee in this regard so that spouses entitled to compensation and children entitled to scholarships will be identified. Our joint efforts in this regard thus provides a great benefit to the Rosewood descendants.

Stephen F. Hanlon
January 10, 1995
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Enclosed you will find the draft copy of the Rosewood family trees that we provided to you for Mr. Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory committee. We have made a copy for our use.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Butterworth
Attorney General

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Gregory Durden
Chief, Civil Rights

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January 6, 1995

Adam Yeomans
Associated Press
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Dear Mr. Yeomans:

We are in receipt of your public records request regarding the Rosewood survivor affidavits. Enclosed are copies of seventeen of the eighteen claimant affidavits. You already have a copy of the affidavit of the eighteenth claimant, Robie Mortin.

Your public records request did not contain a federal express number for overnight delivery nor has our office heard from you today. Therefore, per our telephone conversation of January 5, 1995, this office will assume that you have not obtained authorization for the overnight delivery.

As you are aware, the State charges a fee of fifteen cents per page. The total cost is forty-three dollars and thirty-five cents. As we agreed, please make the check payable the Office of the Attorney General.

Sincerely,

Gregory Durden,
Chief of Civil Rights



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January 4, 1995

Mr. Robert D. Spooner
Bureau Chief of Accounting
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Tallahassee, FL 32399-0350

Dear Mr. Spooner:

The office of the Attorney General has now completed the process of identifying and locating eligible individuals for the survivor section of the Rosewood law as provided for under Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida. The nine survivors who have been identified are Arnett Goins, social security number 267-01-6970; Minnie Lee Langley, social security number 264-22-0829; Willie Evans, social security number 261-07-5665; Wilson Hall, social security number 267-01-8111; Mary Hall Daniels, social security number 267-20-4039; Margie Hall Johnson, social security number 222-07-9888; Lonnie Carrol Carrier, social security number 267-63-9220; Dorothy Goins Hosey, social security number 267-22-0048; and Robie Mortin, social security number 264-22-6179. The aforementioned people are entitled to additional payments from the state in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars. As you are aware, of the nine people we have identified, four were named in the Rosewood law. No proof of eligibility was required for those four survivors. The process that led to the identification of the other five survivors started with publishing legal notices in the newspaper.

Although the law required notice in compliance with Chapter Fifty of the Florida Statutes, this office decided that it was necessary to do more. Because the events that prompted this legislation occurred over seventy years ago, we recognized that potential claimants could be scattered throughout the state and the country. With this factor in mind, legal notices were published not just in one newspaper but in newspapers across the state. As a result other newspapers across the state and country picked up and reported the Rosewood claims process. This led to media inquiries from Miami to Tallahassee to such places as Japan, Australia and France. The inquiries also resulted in advertising the claims process.

This office then contacted Steve Hanlon, the attorney that represented the Rosewood claimants during the legislative

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hearings, and Arnett Doctor who is the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Mr. Doctor was requested to send to us the names and addresses of anyone wishing to file a claim. Mr. Doctor forwarded over two hundred names. Mr. Hanlon was requested to forward to us any names and addresses he became privy to as people contacted him. Those who participated in the legislative process predicted that a total of eighty people would apply for compensation. They were surprised, as were we, when over four hundred people applied.

In order to prepare to evaluate claims, an attorney was assigned to the Rosewood case full time and an investigator was assigned to the case part time. Thousands of pages of documents prepared before, during and after the legislative proceedings were reviewed. Working relationships were established with Professor Maxine D. Jones, principal investigator for the academic research team that prepared the Documented History of Rosewood; Stephen F. Hanlon, the attorney who represented the Rosewood claimants during the public hearing process; Arnett Doctor, the chairman of the Rosewood Advisory Committee; Gary Moore, a journalist who has researched Rosewood for the last twelve years; the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, who is legislatively required to pursue a criminal investigation of the events surrounding Rosewood; the Department of Education, who is legislatively required to establish a scholarship fund for Rosewood descendants; and the State Office of the Comptroller. As a result of this effort this office has become as knowledgeable, if not more knowledgeable, than most people who have studied Rosewood.

An affidavit was developed to assist us in evaluating the survivor claims. The affidavit was based on information that the named survivors provided during their testimony in the legislative hearings and contained information accumulated and reviewed by this office. A Rosewood Compensation Committee was created to review all survivor claims and make recommendations to this office for approval or denial. The office received a total of eighteen survivor claims in addition to the four that were named in the legislation.

The Rosewood Compensation Committee considered the survivor affidavits that were filled out by the claimants, the Documented History of Rosewood and appendix that were prepared by the academic research team, the interviews that were conducted by our office of the named survivors, the interviews that were conducted by our office of other Rosewood family members, the interviews that were conducted by our office of some of the claimants, data and information gathered by journalist Gary Moore, the report that was prepared by Richard Hixson, the special master who presided over the Rosewood hearings and information that had been

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gathered by Arnett Doctor and the Rosewood Advisory Committee. Even though all of this information was reviewed by the Compensation Committee, the committee decided to review some claimant affidavits more than once thus giving some claimants a second opportunity to add to their original affidavits. Finally, the Compensation Committee made recommendations to approve five additional claimants.

Before final decisions were made on the Compensation Committee recommendations our office created an appellate process for claimants whose claims were recommended for denial. This process gave claimants yet another avenue to provide whatever information and evidence they could in support of their claim. Of the eighteen people who filed survivor affidavits four people admitted in their affidavit that they were not in Rosewood at the time prescribed by the legislation. Nine of the eighteen claimants failed, after numerous opportunities, to present sufficient evidence and information to satisfy the legislative definition of a survivor. Thus, any and all information regarding Rosewood has been exhausted.

As you are aware, the deadline for filing a Rosewood claim was December 31, 1994. No other eligible Rosewood survivor claimants have come forth, and we are confident that no other eligible survivors exist. There remains in the legislative appropriation enough money to compensate each survivor in the total amount suggested by the legislature.

Therefore, in compliance with Chapter 94-359, Laws of Florida, the office of the Attorney General is authorizing that checks in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars be made payable to each of the aforementioned survivors. Please prepare the checks and forward them to Janice Hays in the Finance and Accounting Office of the Attorney General in Tallahassee. We will then hold the checks for disbursement to Steve F. Hanlon, Esquire who is the attorney representing eight of the survivors. The remaining check will be forwarded to Richard Ryles, Esquire who is the attorney representing the ninth survivor. If you have any questions regarding this matter or if this office may be of further assistance to you, please advise. This office can be contacted at (305)985-4445 or suncom 473-4445.

The next task for this office will be to finalize property claims. Currently we have identified the majority of the claimants who are potentially eligible for compensation under the property section of the Rosewood law. It is predicted that the entire process will be completed within sixty days. As has been our practice, we will continue to work closely with the Office of the Comptroller until the Rosewood compensation process is

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Lillie Mae Edwards.....\$5,333.33
432 S. Salisbury Avenue
Deland, Florida 32720
264-04-1361

Maude Edwards.....\$5,333.33
C/O Rose Wooten
P. O. Box 744
Deland, Florida 32721
266-63-0352

Berthina Fagin.....\$5,333.33
717 South Delaware Avenue
Deland, Florida 32720
266-18-7657

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Dornal Foust.....\$1,000.00
1408 Weiler, Apt. #22
Forth Worth, Texas 76112
261-35-7352

Lovie Foust.....\$1,000.00
505 South Orange
Deland, Florida 32720
261-17-4523

Charlene Gibbons.....\$ 500.00
2421 N. W. 67 Street
Miami, Florida 33141
261-13-3864

Linda Graham.....\$ 625.00
3952 Atlantic Boulevard C-15
Jacksonville, Florida 32207
267-13-5684

Marie Goins.....\$1,562.50
P. O. Box 242
Lacoochee, Florida 33537
261-32-3359

Cora Hall.....\$1,200.00
5029 Walcott Avenue
Jacksonville, Florida 32209
266-40-4156

Gerald Hall.....\$2,777.78
1026 Stonewall Street
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
259-70-3941

Henrietta Hall.....\$12,500.00
7657 N. W. 6 Court
Miami, Florida 33150
265-52-2822

Joe Hall.....\$2,777.78
1026 Stonewall Street
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
252-56-9902

Steven Hall, Jr.....\$12,500.00
9290 N. W. 22 Avenue
Miami, Florida 33147
264-36-0362

Wilson Hall.....\$2,777.78
1026 Stonewall Street
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
258-60-1800

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Ms. Doretha Haywood.....\$7,142.86
2921 N. W. 69th Street
Miami, Florida 33147
266-22-0410

Mr. Eugene Haywood.....\$2,380.95
341 W. 23rd Street
Riviera Beach, Florida 33404
267-94-5516

Rogers Haywood.....\$2,380.95
16266 68th Street North
Loxahatchee, Florida 33470
261-50-9784

Vera Hamilton.....\$11,250.00
20503 Pine Product Road
Dade City, Florida 33525
262-24-7531

Thelma Hawkins.....\$10,000.00
P. O. Box 772
Dade City, Florida 33526
267-32-3395

Virginia Hayes.....\$3,125.00
903 N. E. 23rd Street
Gainesville, Florida 32641
144-26-2372

Ola Mae Hines.....\$ 666.67
2028 NE 3rd Place
Gainesville, Florida 32601
267-58-8082

Rosetta Jackson.....\$8,000.00
3623 Oak Avenue
Miami, Florida 33133
264-60-4609

Eva Jenkins.....\$6,250.00
1822 Horne Avenue
Orlando, Florida 32811
266-76-4029

Elouise Johnson.....\$2,777.78
1615 Ellis Street #A
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
252-54-5864

Doris Jones.....\$5,125.00
2800 24th Avenue South
St. Petersburg, Florida 33712
263-52-4950

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Mr. George Kelly.....\$4,761.90
1245 N. W. 69th Street
Miami, Florida 33150
232-44-2699

Mr. Nathaniel King.....\$ 800.00
1245 N. W. 69th Street
Miami, Florida 33150
266-14-7354

Robert King.....\$ 400.00
805 East Oak Avenue
Tampa, Florida 33602
267-36-6248

Annie Lee\$5,000.00
20755 Pine Product Road
Dade City, Florida 33525
264-36-9326

Queen Manley.....\$1,200.00
329 Englewood Avenue
Englewood, New Jersey 07631
117-34-9742

Mae McDonald.....\$ 400.00
4137 Rolling Spring Drive
Tampa, Florida 33624
264-90-3581

Elizabeth Milligan.....\$ 833.33
131 Midway Oval
Groton, Connecticut 06340
267-36-6062

Clifford Monroe.....\$ 555.56
8 Geary Court
Pikesville, Maryland 21208
265-52-4619

Oren Monroe Jr.....\$ 555.56
601 Waterview Drive
Palm Springs, Florida 33461
267-48-4325

Chris Nicholson.....\$2,500.00
3157 Overdale Street
Deltona, Florida 32738
266-53-6956

Ollie Mae Owah.....\$1,200.00
126 Cassidy Place, #Q1
Staten Island, New York 10301
124-32-3622

Ollie Parker.....\$2,777.78
611 Wolfe Street
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
260-64-8528

Thelma Pettway.....\$2,500.00
10220 153rd Court, North
Jupiter, Florida 33478
204-24-4284

Clarence Pollard.....\$6,000.00
1510 S. E. 14th Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32601
263-22-6771

Marie Randle.....\$3,333.33
11171 Pakwood Drive
Loma Linda, California 92354
573-24-1459

Theresa Robinson.....\$3,333.33
6807 S. W. 45th Avenue
Gainesville, Florida 32607
261-58-6392

Delray Sherman.....\$ 625.00
6457 Ft. Caroline Road #7
Jacksonville, Florida 32277
267-47-5219

Harvey Sherman.....\$ 625.00
424 Homer Road
Jacksonville, Florida 32209
262-25-4371

Helen Taylor.....\$2,000.00
2510 30th Street South
St. Petersburg, Florida 32607
267-50-9226

Willie Mae Thomas.....\$2,000.00
P. O. Box 34
Mango, Florida 33550
264-44-5598

Sarah Ward.....\$11,250.00
1227 W. 37th Court
Riviera Beach, Florida 33404
266-20-0866-D

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Lillie Mae Washington.....\$ 1,333.33
924 S. E. 7th Place
Gainesville, Florida 32641
264-20-6773-A

Kevin Williams.....\$1,000.00
308 South Garfield
Deland, Florida 32724
593-05-8294

Ferman Wingate, Jr.....\$6,250.00
10231 New Hampshire Avenue
Silver Springs, Maryland 20903
263-50-5102

Barbara Woods.....\$ 400.00
1220 S. E. 17th Drive
Gainesville, Florida 32601
266-68-6007

Arbeaulah Warmack.....\$1,666.67
Route 1, Box 11715
Williston, Florida 32696
264-34-0584

Altamese Wrispus.....\$5,000.00
20755 Pine Product Road
Dade City, Florida 33525
267-40-5424

Marie Ames.....(904) 229-9075
 P. O. Box 1507
 Wewahitchka, Florida 32456

Galvester Bradley, Jr.....(305) 691-2329
 2421 N. W. 67 Street
 Miami, Florida 33147

Sandra Brockington.....(904) 789-3769
 2449 Almanda Avenue
 Deltona, Florida 32738

Bernice Crawford.....(203) 442-9822
 14 Franklin Street
 New London, Connecticut 06320

* Linda Graham.....(904) 346-3878
 3952 Atlantic Boulevard C-15
 Jacksonville, Florida 32201

Doretha Haywood.....
 2921 N. W. 69th Street
 Miami, Florida 33147

Clifford Monroe.....(410) 922-0973
 8 Geary Court
 Pikesville, Maryland 21208

Chris Nicholson.....(407) 330-1039
 3157 Overdale Street
 Deltona, Florida 32738

**Marie Randle.....(909) 799-0734
 11171 Oakwood Drive
 Loma Linda, California 92354

Theresa Robinson.....(904) 495-2197
 6807 S. W. 45th Avenue
 Gainesville, Florida 32607

* Alzada Sherman..... ?
 605 Butler Boulevard
 Daytona Beach, Florida 32118

* Delray Sherman.....(904) 745-6923
 6457 Ft. Caroline Road #7
 Jacksonville, Florida 32277

* Harvey Sherman.....(904) 768-3237
 4234 Homer Road
 Jacksonville, Florida 32249

Kevin Williams.....(904) 736-7150
 308 South Garfield
 Deland, Florida 32724

* RECENTLY MAILED - DUE 7/18/95

** STATED SHE NEVER RECEIVED IT - RE-MAILED RECENTLY

Mr. Robert F. Milligan
July 31, 1995
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Brenda Ellis..... \$2,500.00
1025 Persian St.
Deltona, FL 32725
266-53-6096

Leroy Floyd..... \$14,285.71
19130 NW 22nd Place
Carol City, FL 33056-2649
267-68-0067

Paula Foust..... \$1,000.00
631 NW 177th St. #101
Miami, FL 33169
264-77-9911

Rodney Foust..... \$1,000.00
3015 NW 157th St.
Miami, FL 33054
266-90-4767

Zella Goins..... \$4,761.90
1004 SE 7th Ave.
Gainesville, FL 32601
147-16-3679

David Hall..... \$617.28
4242 W. Adams
Chicago, IL 60624
361-46-6030

John Hall..... \$617.28
4858 S. Drexel
Chicago, IL 60615
353-50-4927

Linda Hall..... \$617.28
903 N. Lawndale
Chicago, IL 60651
330-50-3814

Theresa Hall..... \$617.28
822 N. Lawndale
Chicago, IL 60651
341-54-1757

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Theodore Hall..... \$617.28
903 N. Lawndale
Chicago, IL 60651
353-50-4098

Theodore Hamilton..... \$14,285.71
1245 NW 69th St.
Miami, FL 33147
263-34-7971

Oscar Ingram..... \$400.00
2304 119th St.
Largo, FL 34648
264-10-2150

Bertha Marshall..... \$3,571.43
702 Linwood Ave.
Durham, NC 27701
244-28-8644

Jesse Nelson..... \$6,000
2371 W. Beaver St.
Jacksonville, FL 32209
262-60-4205

April Nicholson..... \$2,500
145 2nd St.
Orange City, FL 32763
266-53-6499

Sylvia Nicholson..... \$2,500
318 Bellview Ct.
Deland, FL 32720
266-53-7173

Alzada Sherman..... \$625.00
605 Butler Blvd.
Daytona Bch, FL 32118
267-54-7591

Robert Truitt..... \$800.00
54 W. North St. #205
Stamford, CT 06902
260-12-4187 A

Finally, there are three individuals whose checks you have already prepared but our office has not mailed. Recently discovered information indicates that the check amounts may be incorrect. In an abundance of caution we request that you cancel the warrants already prepared for these individuals and reissue the checks in the following amounts:

Robert F. Milligan
July 31, 1995
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Ernest Brockington..... \$3,380.95
1816 30th St. South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
266-44-3265

Helen Davis..... \$4,761.90
2413 14th Ave. South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
262-62-5757

Doris Jones..... \$3,380.95
2800 24th Ave. South
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
263-52-4950

As mentioned in the July 3, 1995 letter, we will continue to contact you when it is determined that it is appropriate to issue a supplemental check for these individuals. We will also contact you as we resolve previously unresolved cases for those individuals who are eligible for compensation.

Again, we greatly appreciate your assistance throughout this process. It continues to be a pleasure working with the Comptrollers Office on this important part of Florida history.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden, Esquire
Chief of Civil Rights

Enclosure

cc: Stephen F. Hanlon
Gretchen Douglas



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FAX # 224-8832

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July 3, 1995

Stephen F. Hanlon, Esq.
Holland & Knight
315 South Calhoun Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32302-0810

Dear Mr. Hanlon:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter faxed on July 3, 1995.

To extend the deadline from July 5th to July 31st would subject this office again to an unfair criticism of "dragging it's feet" in submitting checks to eligible Rosewood claimants. I strongly suggest that you have your clients submit their affidavits as soon as possible, as the checks will not be released until the affidavits have been received.

We are scheduled to begin disbursing checks as early as July 6, 1995.

Sincerely,

ROBERT A BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL


Gregory Durden
Chief of Civil Rights

GD/cb



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PER YOUR REQUEST, ATTACHED IS A LIST OF THOSE WHO HAVE YET TO
RESPOND WITH THEIR FINAL AFFIDAVITS. I HAVE FORWARDED THIS DATE
PROPERTY AFFIDAVITS TO SYLVIA NICHOLSON, BRENDA ELLIS AND APRIL
NICHOLSON. THANKS FOR THE INFO.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Janice Hayes
FROM: *Gregory Durden*
RE: Rosewood Disbursements per letter to
Comptroller dated July 3, 1995
DATE: July 11, 1995

This will confirm our telephone conversation on July 10, 1995, where I authorized release of warrants for those names submitted to the Comptroller with the exception of the following persons:

Affidavit not received:

Marie Ames
Chris Nicholson
Theresa Robinson
Harvey Sherman
Clifford Monroe, Jr.
Marie Randle
Delray Cherman
Kevin Williams

Further verification needed:

Ernest Brockington
Doris James
Helen Davis

Warrants to be reissued:

Yvonne Doctor
Thelma Hawkins

MAILED
7/11/95

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7/11/95



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July 11, 1995

Robert F. Milligan
Office of the Comptroller
PL09 The Capitol
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0350

Re: Rosewood

Dear Mr. Milligan,

On July 3, 1995, this office requested checks for eighty individuals who qualified for compensation under the Rosewood law.

From the time of the request until today additional information was uncovered to necessitate that two checks be cancelled and reissued for a different amount.

Accordingly, we are returning the checks for Yvonne Doctor in the amount of 5,625.00 and Thelma Hawkins in the amount of 10,000.00. Please reissue these checks in the following amounts:

Yvonne Doctor	\$6,071.43
Thelma Hawkins	\$6,666.67

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated .

Sincerely,

ROBERT A. BUTTERWORTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gregory Durden", is written over the typed name.

Gregory Durden, Esq.
Chief of Civil Rights

GD/cb



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