

Screwing-Up Jackson, MS

Following the ravages of seven consecutive black mayors that began in 1997 -- each with increasing levels of incompetence -- Jackson, Mississippi has finally begun to experience the inevitable consequences of black-run city government. The city no longer has a functional municipal water system, and its residents have been without reliable water service since June.

Chokwe Lumumba, Jackson's black and revolutionary socialist mayor and his admirers at the **CLARION-LEDGER** blame recent flooding by the Pearl River as the cause. However, the **REAL** cause is decades of neglect by the city's incompetent black leadership, which would have screwed-up the *Rock of Gibraltar* if it were under their control. Jackson is well on its way to Third World status, and the Mississippi National Guard has even been called up to distribute bottled water to residents.



Mayor Chokwe Lumumba & Nelson Mandela

According to state health authorities, Jackson has repeatedly failed to perform proper maintenance at its O.B. Curtis Water Treatment Plant. E-mails exchanged with the EPA and *Mississippi Department of Health* reveal that city officials knew equipment failures were inevitable, but did little or nothing to prevent them. Like most black-run cities, instead of properly maintaining its infrastructure, the city has squandered its tax revenues by diverting them to its black supporters.

There are probably myriad examples of misappropriated tax revenues, but this was an easy one to find on its vague and unhelpful website: **Jackson spends \$3.5 Million per year distributing \$10,000 Grants to 350 artistes.** That money could have been used to purchase and store new valves and other equipment the city now needs to repair its water treatment facilities. I suspect there are many more city agencies whose charters have nothing to do with the traditional responsibilities of city government, but involve "*make-work*" jobs and handing goodies to black constituents to ensure their continued support.

It doesn't require genius to recognize that the vast majority of **BLUE** cities run by blacks are plagued by a litany of problems that rarely beset cities run by white Republicans. These usually include accelerating levels of violent crime, a dramatic decline in city services, embezzled and squandered resources, an exodus of whites, and a rapidly disintegrating infrastructure.

Simply stated, it is impossible to maintain a modern, First World system of government with Third World people. It's just that simple. That's why Jackson's population has been falling like the 15 feet of sludge currently found at the bottom of its sedimentation basins.

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