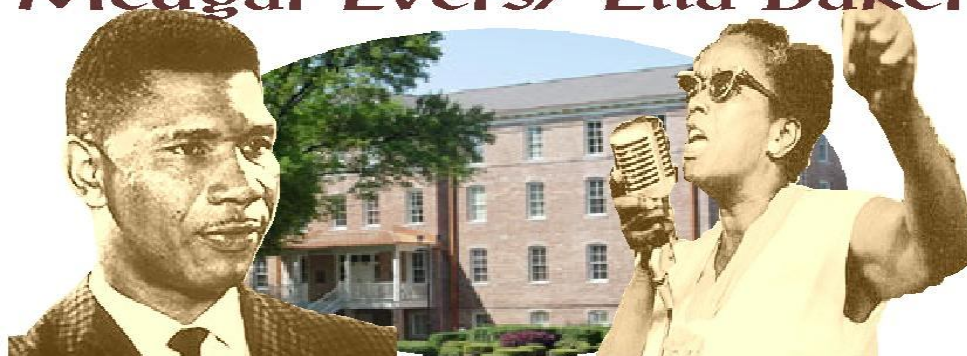


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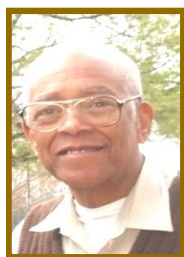
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Moderator



Mr. Hollis Watkins

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*Executive Director
Mississippi Association of
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Mr. Rims Barber
*Mississippi Human
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Dr. Earl Watkins
*Past Superintendent of
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Mr. Charlie Cobb, Jr.

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