

*Remarks for the  
DRA Announcement / Town of Glendora  
January 21, 2003*

- Recognize Mayor Johnny Thomas,  
Congressman Bennie Thompson, Senator  
David Jordan, Representative Robert  
Huddleston
  
- Pleased and proud to be in Glendora today
  - Announce Delta Regional Authority  
grant = \$124,000
  - Will be used for purchase of fire truck /  
construction of fire station
  
- Glendora is perfect example of community  
working hard to protect its people
  - Commend Mayor Thomas on his  
leadership here

- This is good news for this area
  - Rural areas hit hard by national recession
  - Jobs lost because of NAFTA
  
- Proud to see this community working to turn things around
  - Creative, aggressive pursuit of funding to help people
  
- Working to improve that funding from state for education
  - Strengthen the foundation for all Mississippians
  - Need to invest now to realize full promise and potential
  - Build good schools, good jobs, good communities