

There came on for consideration at a duly constituted meeting of the Mayor and Members of the City Council of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, held on the 6th day of November, 2018, the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION 2018-181

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE ISSUANCE OF A GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND, SERIES 2019, OF THE CITY OF HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI (THE "CITY"), FOR SALE TO THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK IN A TOTAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED TWENTY-NINE MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$29,850,000); PRESCRIBING THE FORM AND DETAILS OF SAID BOND; PROVIDING CERTAIN COVENANTS OF THE CITY IN CONNECTION WITH SAID BOND AND DIRECTING THE PREPARATION, EXECUTION AND DELIVERY THEREOF; AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF SAID BOND TO THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK; AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE FORM OF, EXECUTION OF AND DELIVERY OF, AS APPLICABLE, AN INDENTURE OF TRUST, THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT, THE CITY BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT, APPROVING THE FORM OF AND AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF A PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT AND A FINAL OFFICIAL STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE SALE AND ISSUANCE OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK SPECIAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SERIES 2019 (HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND PROJECT), IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED TWENTY-NINE MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$29,850,000); AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, acting for and on behalf of said City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, hereby find, determine, adjudicate and declare as follows:

1. (a) In addition to any words and terms elsewhere defined herein, the following words and terms shall have the following meanings, unless some other meaning is plainly intended:

"Act" means together the Bank Act and the City Bond Act.

"Agent" shall mean any Paying Agent or Transfer Agent, whether serving in either or both capacities. The Agent shall initially be the Trustee.

"Authorized Officer" shall mean the Mayor, the Clerk, the President of the Governing Body, the Vice President of the Governing Body and any other officer designated from time to time as an Authorized Officer by resolution of the City, and when used with reference to any act or document also means any other Person authorized by resolution of the City to perform such act or sign such document.

"Bank" shall mean the Mississippi Development Bank, a body corporate and politic exercising essential public functions, or any successor to its functions organized under the Bank Act.

"Bank Act" means the provisions of Sections 31-25-1 *et seq.*, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended or supplemented from time to time.

"Bank Bonds" shall mean the not to exceed \$29,850,000 Mississippi Development Bank Special Obligation Bonds, Series 2019 (Hattiesburg, Mississippi General Obligation Bond Project), authorized to be issued in one or more series by the Bank pursuant to the Bank Act and the terms and conditions of the Indenture.

"Bond Counsel" shall mean Butler Snow LLP, Ridgeland, Mississippi.

"Bond Resolution" shall mean this resolution, as may be amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Business Day" shall mean any day other than (a) a Saturday, (b) a Sunday, (c) any other day on which banking institutions in New York, New York, or Jackson, Mississippi, are authorized or required not to be open for the transaction of regular banking business, (d) any day the City Courthouse in Hattiesburg, Mississippi is closed, or (e) a day on which the New York Stock Exchange is closed.

"City" shall mean the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, a "local governmental unit" under the Bank Act.

"City Bond" shall mean the not to exceed \$29,850,000 General Obligation Bond, Series 2019, of the City authorized and directed to be issued in this Bond Resolution and registered to the Trustee as assignee of the Bank pursuant to this Indenture.

"City Bond Act" shall mean Sections 21-33-301 *et seq.*, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended or supplemented from time to time.

"Clerk" shall mean the City Clerk of the City.

"Code" shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 in effect on the date of issuance of the Bank Bonds and the City Bond, and the applicable regulations or rulings promulgated or proposed thereunder, and any successor thereto, as such may be amended from time to time.

"Construction Project" shall mean (i) constructing, improving or paving streets, sidewalks, driveways, parkways, walkways or public parking facilities, and purchasing land therefor; (ii) erecting, repairing, improving, adorning, equipping and furnishing municipal buildings, and purchasing buildings and land therefor; (iii) protecting a municipality, its streets and sidewalks from overflow, caving banks and other like dangers; (iv) constructing bridges and culverts; and (v) for other authorized purposes under the City Bond Act and the Bank Act.

"Governing Body" shall mean the Mayor and City Council of the City.

"Indenture" shall mean that certain Indenture of Trust, to be dated the date of delivery thereof, by and between the Bank and the Trustee, pursuant to which the Bank Bonds are issued. A copy of the substantial form of the Indenture is attached as **EXHIBIT A** hereto.

"Interest Payment Date" shall be as described in Section 2.3 of the Indenture as the interest payment dates of the Bank Bonds.

"Mayor" shall mean the Mayor of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

"Municipal Advisor" shall mean Government Consultants Inc., Madison, Mississippi.

"Paying Agent" shall mean any bank, trust company or other institution hereafter designated by the Governing Body for the payment of the principal of and interest on the City Bond. The Paying Agent shall initially be the Trustee.

"Payments" shall have the meaning given it in Section 12(b) hereof.

"Person" shall mean an individual, partnership, corporation, trust or unincorporated organization, limited liability company and a government or agency or political subdivision thereof.

"Project" shall mean providing funds for (i) the costs of the Construction Project and (ii) paying costs of issuance for the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, including funding capitalized interest, if applicable and paying for bond insurance premium, if applicable.

"Record Date Registered Owner" shall mean the Registered Owner of the City Bond as of the Record Date.

"Record Date" shall have the meaning given to it in Section 1.1 of the Indenture.

"Registered Owner" or **"Bondholder"** shall mean the Person whose name shall appear in the registration records of the City maintained by the Transfer Agent and shall initially be the Trustee as assignee of the Bank as provided for in the Indenture.

"State" shall mean the State of Mississippi.

"Transfer Agent" shall mean shall mean any bank, trust company or other institution hereafter designated by the Governing Body for the registration of the owner of the City Bond and for the performance of such other duties as may be herein or hereafter specified by the Governing Body. The Transfer Agent shall initially be the Trustee.

"Trustee" shall mean shall mean a bank or other financial institution to be determined upon sale of the Bank Bonds, which financial institution will have corporate trust powers and be qualified to act as Trustee under the Indenture.

"2019 Bond Fund" shall mean the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi General Obligation Bond, Series 2019 Bond Fund provided for in Section 12 hereof.

"2019 Construction Fund" shall mean the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi General Obligation Bond, Series 2019 Construction Fund provided for in Section 13 hereof.

(b) Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders. Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, words and terms herein defined shall be equally applicable to the plural as well as the singular form of any of such words and terms.

2. Heretofore, on October 2, 2018, the Governing Body adopted a resolution entitled **"RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI, TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE CITY AND/OR A GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND OF THE CITY FOR SALE TO THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK, ALL IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FORTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS (\$45,000,000) TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF (I) CONSTRUCTING, IMPROVING OR PAVING STREETS, SIDEWALKS, DRIVEWAYS, PARKWAYS, WALKWAYS OR PUBLIC PARKING FACILITIES, AND PURCHASING LAND THEREFOR; (II) ERECTING, REPAIRING, IMPROVING, ADORNING, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS, AND PURCHASING BUILDINGS AND LAND THEREFOR; (III) PROTECTING A MUNICIPALITY, ITS STREETS AND SIDEWALKS FROM OVERFLOW, CAVING BANKS AND OTHER LIKE DANGERS; (IV) CONSTRUCTING BRIDGES AND CULVERTS; AND (V) FOR OTHER AUTHORIZED PURPOSES UNDER MISSISSIPPI CODE ANN. SECTIONS 21-33-301 ET SEQ., AND SECTIONS 31-25-1 ET SEQ., AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED FROM TIME TO TIME, INCLUDING FUNDING CAPITALIZED INTEREST, IF APPLICABLE AND PAYING THE COSTS OF BORROWING, INCLUDING ANY COSTS FOR BOND INSURANCE PREMIUM, IF APPLICABLE; DIRECTING THE PUBLICATION OF A NOTICE OF SUCH INTENTION; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES"** (the **"Intent Resolution"**) indicating its intent to (a) issue general obligation bonds of the City, in one or more series, and/or (b) issue a general obligation bond of the City, in one or more series, to be sold to the Bank, all in a total aggregate principal amount not to exceed Forty-Five Million Dollars (\$45,000,000), as authorized by the Act for the purposes of providing funds for the Project, and fixed 4:00 o'clock p.m. on November 6, 2018, as the date and hour for any protest to be made and filed against the issuance of such general obligation bonds and/or general obligation bond as described in the Intent Resolution.

3. As required by law and as directed by the Intent Resolution, said Intent Resolution was published once a week for at least three (3) consecutive weeks in *The Hattiesburg Post*, a newspaper published in the City, and having a general circulation in the City, and qualified under the provisions of Section 13-3-31, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, the first publication having been made not less than twenty-one (21) days before November 6, 2018, and the last publication to be not more than seven (7) days prior to such date, said notice was published in said newspaper on October 11, 18, 25 and November 1, 2018, as evidenced by the publisher's affidavit on file with the Clerk.

4. On or prior to 4:00 o'clock p.m. on November 6, 2018, no written protest against the issuance of such general obligation bonds and/or general obligation bond as described in the Intent Resolution, had been filed or presented by qualified electors of the City with the Clerk in his office located in City Hall.

5. The Governing Body did meet on November 6, 2018 and does hereby find, determine and adjudicate that no protest against such general obligation bonds and/or general obligation bond as described in the Intent Resolution has been duly filed.

6. The Governing Body is authorized and empowered by the provisions of the Act and other applicable laws of the State, to issue its City Bond in a principal amount of not to exceed \$45,000,000, in one or more series, and sell same to the Bank for the purpose of providing funds for the Project without any election on the question of the issuance thereof.

7. The Governing Body desires to authorize and approve the issuance of the City Bond pursuant to this Bond Resolution and the purchase thereof by the Bank with the proceeds of the Bank Bonds.

8. As of October 2, 2018, the assessed value of all taxable property within the City, according to the last completed assessment for taxation, is \$481,363,557; and the City has outstanding bonded indebtedness as subject to the fifteen percent (15%) debt limit prescribed by Section 21-33-303 of the City Bond Act, in the amount of \$13,955,000, and outstanding bonded and floating indebtedness as subject to the twenty percent (20%) debt limit prescribed by Section 21-33-303 of the City Bond Act (which amount includes the sum set forth above subject to the fifteen percent (15%) debt limit), in the amount of \$13,955,000; the issuance of the City Bond, when added to the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the City, will not result in bonded indebtedness, exclusive of indebtedness not subject to the aforesaid fifteen percent (15%) debt limit, of more than fifteen percent (15%) of the assessed value of taxable property within the City, and will not result in indebtedness, both bonded and floating, exclusive of indebtedness not subject to the aforesaid twenty percent (20%) debt limit, in excess of twenty percent (20%) of the assessed value of taxable property within the City, and will not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation upon indebtedness which may be incurred by the City.

9. The Governing Body is now desirous of proceeding with the issuance of the City Bond pursuant to this Bond Resolution and the purchase thereof by the Bank with the proceeds of the Bank Bonds and authorizing the negotiation of the sale of the Bank Bonds thereof to Raymond James & Associates, Inc., Memphis, Tennessee, as Underwriter (the "Underwriter").

10. The Governing Body hereby receives, examines and considers the following form of documents concerning the issuance, sale and purchase of the City Bond by the Bank: (i) the form of the City Bond Purchase Agreement, to be dated the date of sale of the City Bond (the "City Bond Purchase Agreement"), by and between the Bank and the City, which provides for the sale of the City Bond to the Bank; (ii) the form of the Indenture, to be dated the date of delivery of the Bank Bonds, by and between the Bank and a to be determined trustee (the "Trustee") (the "Indenture"), under which the Bank Bonds will be issued and by which they will be secured; (iii) the form of the Mississippi Development Bank Bond Purchase Agreement, to be dated the date of sale of the Bank Bonds (the "Bond Purchase Agreement"), by and among the Bank, the City and the Underwriter, which provides for the sale of the Bank Bonds to the Underwriter; (iv) the form of the Preliminary Official Statement, to be dated the date of distribution thereof (the "Preliminary Official Statement") describing the Bank Bonds, the City Bond, the terms of the Indenture and other matters in connection with the sale and issuance of the Bank Bonds and the City Bond, and (v) the form of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, to be dated the date of delivery thereof (the "Continuing Disclosure Certificate"), to be executed by the City in connection with the issuance of the Bank Bonds (together, the "City Documents").

11. The Governing Body does now find, determine and adjudicate that each of the City Documents referred to above, which City Documents are now before the Governing Body, are in appropriate form and are an appropriate document for the purposes identified.

12. Upon approval by the Bank, the Preliminary Official Statement will be distributed for use in connection with the sale of the Bank Bonds.

13. The City will make payments on the City Bond in amounts sufficient to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bank Bonds, as and when the same shall become due and payable.

14. The Governing Body does now find, determine and adjudicate that all conditions, acts and things required by the Act and the Constitution and laws of the State to have existed, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in connection with the adoption of this Bond Resolution, the sale and issuance of the City Bond to the Bank, the sale and issuance of the Bank Bonds, the execution by the City of the Bond Purchase Agreement, the City Bond Purchase Agreement and the distribution of the Preliminary Official Statement have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY, ACTING FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. In consideration of the purchase and acceptance of the City Bond by those who shall hold the same from time to time, this Bond Resolution shall constitute a contract between the City and the Registered Owner from time to time of the City Bond. The pledge made herein and the covenants and agreements herein set forth to be performed on behalf of the City for the benefit of the Registered Owner shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Registered Owner of the City Bond, all of which, regardless of the time or times of its authentication and delivery or maturity, shall be of equal rank without preference, priority or distinction.

SECTION 2. The City Bond is hereby authorized and ordered to be prepared and issued in one or more series in a principal amount of not to exceed Twenty-Nine Million Eight Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$29,850,000) to raise money for the Project as authorized by the Act. The Governing Body is authorized and empowered by the provisions of the City Bond Act to issue the City Bond without an election on the question of the issuance thereof and is authorized to issue the City Bond pursuant to the Act or as may otherwise be provided by law.

SECTION 3. (a) Payments of interest on the City Bond shall be made to the Record Date Registered Owner, and payments of principal shall be made upon presentation and surrender thereof at the principal office of the Paying Agent to the Record Date Registered Owner in lawful money of the United States of America upon presentation of the City Bond at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent.

(b) The City Bond shall be dated the date of its delivery; shall be issued as a fully registered bond in a single denomination equal to the principal amount thereof; shall be numbered 1; shall bear interest from the date thereof at the federally taxable or tax exempt rate or rates borne by the Bank Bonds (as provided in the Indenture) which federally taxable or tax exempt rate or rates shall be reviewed by the Municipal Advisor and determined to be reasonable under then current market conditions, payable on each Interest Payment Date, subject to the limitation that the City Bond shall not bear a greater overall maximum interest rate to maturity than eleven percent (11%) per annum; and shall mature and become due and payable in the same manner and at the same dates and times as provided for the Bank Bonds in the Indenture; provided, however, that the final maturity for the City Bond shall be no later than thirty (30) years from its date of issuance unless earlier redeemed as provided for in this Bond Resolution and the Indenture.

(c) The City Bond is subject to redemption prior to maturity only at the times, to the extent, in the manner and as otherwise provided for the Bank Bonds in the Indenture. If applicable, the City shall provide proper notices to the Bank and the Trustee as provided in the Indenture in the event the City elects to redeem the City Bond or any portion thereof, and redemption of the City Bond or any portion thereof shall be as provided in this Section 3 and Article IV of the Indenture. It is intended that redemption of the City Bond may only occur through the processes provided in the Indenture, and the City hereby accepts such redemption provisions by this reference.

(d) A default in the due and punctual payment of any interest or principal on the City Bond or a default by the City under this Bond Resolution is an Event of Default (as defined in the Indenture) under the Indenture entitling the Trustee to exercise certain remedies under the Indenture, including, but not limited to, the acceleration of all principal and interest due and

owing on the Bank Bonds outstanding. In the event the Trustee exercises such remedies under the Indenture, the principal and interest due and owing on the City Bond may be accelerated in accordance with the Indenture and the City shall cause the City Bond to be redeemed and paid in full.

SECTION 4. (a) When the City Bond shall have been executed as herein provided, they shall be registered as an obligation of the City in the office of the Clerk in a record maintained for that purpose, and the Clerk shall cause to be imprinted upon the City Bond, over his manual or facsimile signature and manual or facsimile seal, his certificate in substantially the form set out in Section 6.

(b) The City Bond shall be executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor or an Authorized Officer and countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk or an Authorized Officer, with the seal of the City imprinted or affixed thereto; provided, however all signatures and seals appearing on the City Bond, other than the signature of an authorized officer of the Transfer Agent hereafter provided for, may be facsimile and shall have the same force and effect as if manually signed or impressed. In case any official of the City whose signature or a facsimile of whose signature shall appear on the City Bond shall cease to be such official before the delivery or reissuance thereof, such signature or such facsimile shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if such official had remained in office until delivery or reissuance.

(c) The City Bond shall be delivered to the Bank upon payment of the purchase price therefor in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Indenture and the City Bond Purchase Agreement, together with a complete certified transcript of the proceedings had and done in the matter of the authorization, issuance, sale and validation of the City Bond, and the final, unqualified approving opinion of Bond Counsel.

(d) Prior to or simultaneously with the delivery of the City Bond by the Transfer Agent, the City shall file with the Transfer Agent:

(i) a copy, certified by the Clerk, of the transcript of proceedings of the Governing Body in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale and validation of the City Bond; and

(ii) an authorization to the Transfer Agent, signed by the Mayor or an Authorized Officer, to authenticate and deliver the City Bond to the Bank; and

(iii) such other documentation, if any, as may be required by this Bond Resolution, the Bond Purchase Agreement, Bond Counsel and the Indenture.

(e) At delivery, the Transfer Agent shall authenticate the City Bond and deliver it to the Bank thereof upon payment of the purchase price of the City Bond to the City.

SECTION 5. (a) The City hereby appoints the Trustee designated under the Indenture as the Paying Agent, Trustee and Transfer Agent for the City Bond. The City specifically reserves the right to hereafter designate and/or approve a separate Paying Agent, Transfer Agent and/or Trustee in its discretion, subject, however to the terms and conditions of the Indenture, as hereinafter provided.

(b) So long as the City Bond shall remain outstanding, the City shall maintain with the Transfer Agent records for the registration and transfer of the City Bond. The Transfer Agent is hereby appointed registrar for the City Bond, in which capacity the Transfer Agent shall register in such records and permit to be transferred thereon, under such reasonable regulations as may be prescribed, the City Bond if entitled to registration or transfer.

(c) The City shall pay or reimburse the Agent for reasonable fees for the performance of the services normally rendered and the incurring of normal expenses reasonably and necessarily paid as are customarily paid to paying agents, transfer agents and bond registrars, subject to agreement between the City and the Agent. Fees and reimbursements for extraordinary services and expenses, so long as not occasioned by the negligence, misconduct or willful default of the Agent, shall be made by the City on a case-by-case basis, subject, where not prevented by emergency or other exigent circumstances, to the prior written approval of the Governing Body.

(d) (i) An Agent may at any time resign and be discharged of the duties and obligations of the function of the Trustee, Paying Agent and Transfer Agent pursuant to the terms and conditions stated in Section 11.5 and 11.6 of the Indenture.

(ii) In the event of the resignation or removal of the Agent, a successor Agent shall be selected as provided in Section 11.7 of the Indenture.

(iii) In the event of a change of Agents, the predecessor Agent shall cease to be custodian of any funds held pursuant to this Bond Resolution in connection with its role as such Agent, and the successor Agent shall become such custodian; provided, however, that before any such delivery is required to be made, all fees, advances and expenses of the retiring or removed Agent shall be fully paid. Every predecessor Agent shall deliver to its successor Agent all records of account, registration records, list of Registered Owner and all other records, documents and instruments relating to its duties as such Agent.

(iv) The provisions of Sections 11.7 and 11.8 of the Indenture shall govern the acceptance of any appointment of a successor Agent.

(v) Should any transfer, assignment or instrument in writing be required by any successor Agent from the City to more fully and certainly vest in such successor Agent the estates, rights, powers and duties hereby vested or intended to be vested in the predecessor Agent, any such transfer, assignment and written instruments shall, on request, be executed, acknowledged and delivered by the City.

(vi) The City will provide any successor Agent with certified copies of all resolutions, orders and other proceedings adopted by the Governing Body relating to the City Bond.

(vii) All duties and obligations imposed hereby on an Agent or successor Agent shall terminate upon the accomplishment of all duties, obligations and responsibilities imposed by law or required to be performed by this Bond Resolution.

SECTION 6. The City Bond shall be in substantially the following form, with such appropriate variations, omissions and insertions as are permitted or required by this Bond Resolution:

[CITY BOND FORM]

THIS CITY BOND HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO _____ BANK, _____, MISSISSIPPI, AS TRUSTEE (THE “TRUSTEE”) UNDER AN INDENTURE OF TRUST (THE “INDENTURE”) DATED AS OF _____, 2019, BY AND BETWEEN THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK AND THE TRUSTEE. THIS CITY BOND IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE TRUSTEE AND IS NON-TRANSFERRABLE EXCEPT AS PERMITTED IN THE INDENTURE.

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**

**CITY OF HATTIESBURG
GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND
SERIES 2019**

NO. 1 **\$ _____,000**

Rate of Interest

Maturity

Dated Date

%

_____, 2019

Registered Owner: _____ BANK,
As Assignee of the Mississippi Development Bank

Principal Amount: **DOLLARS**

The City of Hattiesburg, State of Mississippi (the "**City**"), a body politic existing under the Constitution and laws of the State of Mississippi, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received, promises to pay in lawful money of the United States of America to the Registered Owner identified above, upon the presentation and surrender of this City Bond, at the principal office of _____ Bank, in _____, Mississippi, or its successor, as paying agent (the "**Paying Agent**") for the General Obligation Bond, Series 2019, of the City (the "**City Bond**"), on the maturity date identified above, the principal amount identified above. Payment of the principal amount of this City Bond shall be made to the Registered Owner hereof who shall appear in the registration records of the City maintained by _____ Bank, _____, Mississippi, or its successor, as transfer agent for the City Bond (the "**Transfer Agent**") at the times and periods as provided in the Indenture (herein defined).

The City further promises to pay interest on such principal amount from the date of this City Bond until said principal sum is paid, to the Registered Owner hereof who shall appear in the registration records of the City maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the Record Date (as defined in the Bond Resolution defined below).

Payments of principal of and interest on this City Bond shall be made by check or draft mailed on the Interest Payment Date (as defined in the Bond Resolution) to such Registered Owner at his address as it appears on such registration records.

This City Bond is issued under the authority of the Constitution and statutes of the State of Mississippi, including Sections 21-33-301 *et seq.* and Sections 31-25-1 *et seq.*, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, and by the further authority of proceedings duly had by the Mayor and the City Council of the City, including a resolution adopted November 6, 2018 (the "**Bond Resolution**").

This City Bond is issued in the aggregate authorized principal amount of _____ Dollars (\$____,000) to raise money for the purpose of providing funds for (i) constructing, improving or paving streets, sidewalks, driveways, parkways, walkways or public parking facilities, and purchasing land therefor; (ii) erecting, repairing, improving, adorning, equipping and furnishing municipal buildings, and purchasing buildings and land therefor; (iii) protecting a municipality, its streets and sidewalks from overflow, caving banks and other like dangers; (iv) constructing bridges and culverts; and (v) for other authorized purposes under Mississippi Code Ann. Sections 21-33-301 *et seq.*, as amended and/or supplemented from time to time (the "**City Bond Act**") and Sections 31-25-1 *et seq.*, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "**Bank Act**" and together with the City Bond Act, the "**Act**"), including funding capitalized interest, if applicable and paying the costs of borrowing, including any costs for bond insurance premium, if applicable (the "**Project**").

The City will duly and punctually pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond at the dates and the places and in the manner mentioned in the Bond Resolution, according to the true intent and meaning thereof. Notwithstanding any schedule of payments upon the City Bond, the City agrees to make payments upon the City Bond and be liable therefor at such times and in such amounts (including principal, premium, if any, and interest) so as to provide for payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the \$____,000 Mississippi Development Bank Special Obligation Bonds, Series 2019 (Hattiesburg, Mississippi General Obligation Bond Project) (the "**Bank Bonds**"), outstanding under the Indenture of Trust, by and between the Mississippi Development Bank and _____ Bank, _____, Mississippi, as trustee (the "**Trustee**"), dated _____, 2019 (the "**Indenture**") when due whether upon a scheduled interest payment date, at maturity or by mandatory redemption or optional redemption.

Reference is hereby made to the Bond Resolution and to all amendments and supplements thereto for the provisions, among others, with respect to the nature and extent of the security for the Bondholder, the rights, duties and obligations of the City and the Bondholder and the terms upon which the City Bond is or may be issued and secured.

The City and the Paying Agent may deem and treat the Registered Owner hereof as the absolute owner for the purpose of receiving payment of or on account of principal hereof and interest due hereon and for all other purposes and neither the City nor the Paying Agent shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

The City Bond is a general obligation of the City and shall be payable as to principal of, premium, if any, and interest out of and secured by an irrevocable pledge of the avails of a direct and continuing tax to be levied annually without limitation as to time, rate or amount upon all the taxable property within the geographical limits of the City adequate and sufficient to provide for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond as the same becomes due; provided, however, that such tax levy for any year shall be abated pro tanto to the extent the City on or prior to September 1 of that year has transferred money to the bond fund of the City Bond, or has made other provisions for funds, to be applied toward the payment of the principal of and interest on the City Bond due during the ensuing fiscal year of the City, in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Resolution. The City, when necessary, will levy annually a special tax upon all taxable property within the geographical limits of the City adequate and sufficient to provide for the payment of the principal of and the interest on the City Bond as the same falls due. The avails of said tax are irrevocably pledged by the City under the Bond Resolution for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond as the same shall mature and accrue. Should there be a failure in any year to comply with the requirements, such failure shall not impair the right of the holder of the City Bond in any subsequent year to have adequate taxes levied and collected to meet the obligations of the City Bond, as to principal of, premium, if any, and interest.

This City Bond is the only evidence of indebtedness issued and outstanding under the Bond Resolution. This City Bond has been purchased by the Mississippi Development Bank and has been assigned to the Trustee under the Indenture. This City Bond is registered in the name of the Trustee and is non-transferrable except as provided in the Indenture.

The City and the Trustee may deem and treat the person in whose name this City Bond is registered as the absolute owner hereof, whether this City Bond shall be overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment of the principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on this City Bond and for all other purposes. All such payments so made to the registered owner shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon this City Bond to the extent of the sum or sums or paid, and neither the City nor the Trustee shall be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Upon a default in payment under this City Bond, the Trustee may, as provided in the Indenture and the Bond Resolution, declare the principal of and accrued interest on this City Bond to be due and payable immediately.

This City Bond shall only be redeemed under the Bond Resolution to the extent and in the manner required to redeem the Bank Bonds pursuant to the provisions of the Indenture.

Modifications or alterations of the Bond Resolution may be made only to the extent and under the circumstances permitted by the Indenture.

This City Bond shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any benefit or security under the Bond Resolution until the certificate of registration and authentication hereon shall have been signed by the Transfer Agent.

Capitalized terms used herein, but not defined herein, shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Bond Resolution and the Indenture.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND REPRESENTED that all conditions, acts and things required by law to exist, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in the issuance of the City Bond, in order to make the same legal and binding general obligation of the City, according to the terms thereof, do exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law. For the performance in apt time and manner of every official act herein required, and for the prompt payment of this City Bond, including principal, premium, if any, and interest, the full faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City has caused this City Bond to be executed in its name by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor of the City, countersigned by the manual or facsimile signature of the City Clerk of the City, under the manual or facsimile seal of

the City, which said manual or facsimile signatures and seal said officials adopt as and for their own proper signatures and seal, on this the ____ day of ____, 2019.

CITY OF HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI

BY: _____

Mayor

COUNTERSIGNED:

City Clerk

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION AND AUTHENTICATION

This City Bond is the City Bond described in the within mentioned Bond Resolution and is the General Obligation Bond, Series 2019, of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

BANK,
as Transfer Agent

BY: _____

Authorized Signatory

Date of Registration and Authentication: ____, 2019

REGISTRATION AND VALIDATION CERTIFICATE

**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF FORREST
CITY OF HATTIESBURG**

I, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, do hereby certify that the within City Bond has been duly registered by me as an obligation of said City pursuant to law in a record kept in my office for that purpose, and has been validated and confirmed by Decree of the Chancery Court of Forrest County, Mississippi, rendered on the ____ day of _____, 2019.

City Clerk

(SEAL)

[END OF CITY BOND FORM]

SECTION 7. In case the City Bond shall become mutilated or be stolen, destroyed or lost, the City shall, if not then prohibited by law, cause to be authenticated and delivered a new City Bond of like date, number, maturity and tenor in exchange and substitution for and upon cancellation of such mutilated City Bond, or in lieu of and in substitution for such City Bond stolen, destroyed or lost, upon the Registered Owner's paying the reasonable expenses and charges of the City in connection therewith, and in case of a City Bond stolen, destroyed or lost, his filing with the City or Transfer Agent evidence satisfactory to them that the City Bond was stolen, destroyed or lost, and of its ownership thereof, and furnishing the City or Transfer Agent with such security or indemnity as may be required by law or by them to save each of them harmless from all risks, however remote.

SECTION 8. This City Bond shall be a general obligation of the City and the City hereby irrevocably pledges its full faith, credit and taxing power for the purpose of effectuating and providing for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond as the same shall respectively mature and accrue. For the purpose of effectuating and providing for the payment of the principal of and interest on the City Bond as the same shall respectively mature and accrue, there shall be and is hereby levied a direct, continuing special tax upon all of

the taxable property within the geographical limits of the City, adequate and sufficient, after allowance shall have been made for the expenses of collection and delinquencies in the payment of taxes, to produce sums required for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and the interest on the City Bond and any additional obligations of the City under the Indenture; provided, however, that such tax levy for any year shall be abated pro tanto to the extent the City on or prior to September 1 of that year has transferred money to the 2019 Bond Fund of the City Bond, or has made other provisions for funds, to be applied toward the payment of the principal of and interest on the City Bond due during the ensuing fiscal year of the City, in accordance with the provisions of the Bond Resolution. Said tax, if necessary, shall be extended upon the tax rolls and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes of the City are collected, and the rate of tax which shall be so extended shall be sufficient in each year fully to produce the sums required as aforesaid, without limitation as to time, rate or amount. The avails of said tax are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond and any additional obligations of the City as aforesaid as the same shall respectively mature and accrue. Should there be a failure in any year to comply with the requirements of this section, such failure shall not impair the right of the Registered Owner of the City Bond in any subsequent year to have adequate taxes levied and collected to meet the all of the aforesaid obligations of the City Bond.

SECTION 9. Only if the City Bond shall have endorsed thereon a certificate of registration and authentication in substantially the form hereinabove set forth, duly executed by the Transfer Agent, shall the City Bond be entitled to the rights, benefits and security of this Bond Resolution. The City Bond shall not be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless and until such certificate of registration and authentication shall have been duly executed by the Transfer Agent, which executed certificate shall be conclusive evidence of registration, authentication and delivery under this Bond Resolution. The Transfer Agent's certificate of registration and authentication on the City Bond shall be deemed to have been duly executed if signed by an authorized officer of the Transfer Agent, but it shall not be necessary that the same officer sign said certificate on the City Bond that may be issued hereunder at any one time.

SECTION 10. Ownership of the City Bond shall be in the Bank or its assignee. The Person in whose name the City Bond shall be registered in the records of the City maintained by the Transfer Agent may be deemed the absolute owner thereof for all purposes, and payment of or on account of the principal of or interest on the City Bond shall be made only to or upon the order of the Registered Owner thereof, or his legal representative, but such registration may be changed as hereinafter provided. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon the City Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

SECTION 11. The City Bond shall be transferable only as provided in the Indenture. Upon the transfer of the City Bond, the City, acting through its Transfer Agent, shall issue in the name of the transferee a new City Bond of the same aggregate principal amount and maturity and rate of interest as the surrendered City Bond.

SECTION 12. (a) The City hereby establishes the 2019 Bond Fund which shall be maintained with a qualified depository in its name for the payment of the principal of and interest on the City Bond, and the payment of Agents' fees in connection therewith. There shall be deposited into the 2019 Bond Fund as and when received:

(i) The avails of any of the ad valorem taxes levied and collected pursuant to Section 8 hereof;

(ii) Any income received from investment of monies in the 2019 Bond Fund; and

(iii) Any other funds available to the City which may be lawfully used for payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond or for other obligations of the City which may be due under the Indenture, and which the Governing Body, in its discretion, may direct to be deposited into the 2019 Bond Fund.

(b) As long as any principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the City Bond or the Bank Bonds remain outstanding and/or other obligations of the City remain outstanding under the Indenture, the Clerk is hereby irrevocably authorized and directed to withdraw from the 2019 Bond Fund sufficient monies to make the payments necessary (the "**Payments**") to pay (i)

the principal of, premium, if any, and interest coming due on the Bank Bonds, and (ii) any additional Payments necessary and required as obligations of the City under the Indenture, and to transfer same to the account of the Trustee in time to reach the Trustee at least five (5) days prior to the date on which said interest or principal and interest or premium, if any, on the Bank Bonds shall become due. The Trustee shall deposit all Payments received in the General Account of the General Fund of the Indenture, or such other fund or account in the Indenture as so directed in the Indenture.

SECTION 13. (a) The City hereby establishes the 2019 Construction Fund which shall be maintained with a qualified depository. The principal proceeds received upon the sale of the City Bond shall be deposited in the 2019 Construction Fund. Any income received from investment of monies in the 2019 Construction Fund shall be deposited in the 2019 Construction Fund and shall be used for the cost of the Construction Project and, if necessary, shall be deposited in the 2019 Bond Fund for the payment of debt service on the City Bond. From the 2019 Construction Fund there shall be held and disbursed moneys for the acquisition and construction of the Construction Project, as authorized by the Act. Any amounts which remain in the 2019 Construction Fund after the completion of the Construction Project shall be transferred to the 2019 Bond Fund and used as permitted under State law.

(b) Funds on deposit in the 2019 Construction Fund may be invested in Investment Securities, as defined in the Indenture, to the extent they are authorized by the Bank Act and applicable provisions of State law.

SECTION 14. (a) Payment of principal on the City Bond shall be made at the principal office of the Paying Agent; provided, however, the final payment of principal shall be made upon the presentation and surrender of the City Bond at the principal office of the Paying Agent, to the Record Date Registered Owner thereof who shall appear in the registration records of the City maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the Record Date.

(b) Payment of each installment of interest on the City Bond shall be made to the Record Date Registered Owner thereof whose name shall appear in the registration records of the City maintained by the Transfer Agent as of the Record Date. Interest shall be payable in the aforesaid manner irrespective of any transfer or exchange of such City Bond subsequent to the Record Date and prior to the due date of the interest.

(c) Principal of and interest on the City Bond shall be paid by check or draft mailed on an Interest Payment Date to the Registered Owner at the addresses appearing in the registration records of the Transfer Agent. Any such address may be changed by written notice from the Registered Owner to the Transfer Agent by certified mail, return receipt requested, or such other method and at the times as may be subsequently prescribed by the Transfer Agent.

SECTION 15. The City Bond shall be submitted to validation as provided by Chapter 13, Title 31, Mississippi Code of 1972, and to that end the Clerk is hereby directed to make up a transcript of all legal papers and proceedings relating to the City Bond and to certify and forward the same to the State's Bond Attorney for the institution of validation proceedings.

SECTION 16. The City covenants to comply, if applicable, with each requirement of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder necessary to maintain the exclusion of interest on the Bank Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes, and in furtherance thereof, to comply, if applicable, with a certificate of the City to be executed and delivered concurrently with the issuance of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, or such other covenants as may, from time to time, be required to be complied with in order to maintain the exclusion of interest on the Bank Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes, if applicable. The City shall not use or permit the use of any of the proceeds of the City Bond or the Bank Bonds, or any other funds of the City, directly or indirectly, to acquire any securities, obligations or other investment property, and shall not take or permit to be taken any other action or actions, which would cause any Bank Bond to be an "arbitrage bond" as defined in Section 148 of the Code, if and as applicable. Notwithstanding any other provisions to the contrary, so long as necessary in order to maintain the exclusion of interest on the Bank Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes under the Code, if applicable, the covenants contained in this Section 16 shall survive the payment of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds and the interest thereon, including any payment or defeasance thereof.

SECTION 17. The City represents as follows:

- (a) The City shall take no action that would cause the Bank Bonds to be "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of Section 149(b) of the Code;
- (b) The City shall take all necessary action to have the Bank Bonds registered within the meaning of Section 149(a) of the Code; and
- (c) The City will not employ any device or abusive transaction with respect to the investment of the proceeds of the Bank Bonds and, to the extent necessary, the City Bond.

SECTION 18. The City hereby covenants that, if applicable, in connection with the Bank Bonds it shall make, or cause to be timely made to the United States of America, any rebate payment required by Section 148(f) of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder and to that end, will enter into the Arbitrage Rebate Agreement (as defined in the Indenture) with the Bank and the Trustee. The Mayor, the Clerk and/or an Authorized Officer are each hereby authorized to execute the Arbitrage Rebate Agreement in order to comply with Section 148 of the Code and the applicable regulations thereunder. The Mayor, the Clerk and/or an Authorized Officer are each hereby authorized to sign and file or cause to be filed a completed I.R.S. Form 8038-G "Information Return for Governmental Obligations" if required by Section 149(e) of the Code.

SECTION 19. The City Bond shall be sold to the Bank based on the terms and conditions of the sale of the Bank Bonds by the Bank to the Underwriter of the Bank Bonds.

SECTION 20. Pursuant to SEC Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) (the "**Rule**"), the City, as an "obligated person" under the Rule, covenants and agrees to enter into the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, setting forth the City's agreement with regard to continuing disclosure and to comply with the covenants set forth therein and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate. In the event the City fails to comply with the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, the beneficial owners of the Bank Bonds may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including mandamus or specific performance by court order, to cause the City to comply with its obligations set forth in the Continuing Disclosure Certificate and this Section 20.

SECTION 21. The City may issue refunding bonds, in one or more series, with the consent of the Bank pursuant to a supplement to this Bond Resolution or a separate resolution to provide funds for the refunding of all or a portion of the City Bond so long as: (a) no default has occurred and is continuing under this Bond Resolution or the Indenture; and (b) there shall have been filed with the City and the Trustee an opinion of Bond Counsel that the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bank Bonds then outstanding under the Indenture shall not be adversely affected, if applicable.

Such refunding bonds shall be appropriately designated, shall be dated, shall bear interest at a rate or rates not exceeding the maximum rate then permitted by law, shall be numbered, shall have such paying agents and shall have such maturities and redemption provisions, all as may be provided in the supplement to this Bond Resolution or separate resolution of the Governing Body authorizing the issuance of such refunding bonds.

It is intended that this Section 21 allow for the provision of refunding bonds commensurate with the ability of the Bank to issue its refunding bonds as provided in Section 2.5 of the Indenture.

SECTION 22. (a) The Bank and the City, without the consent of the owners of any of the Bank Bonds outstanding under the Indenture, may enter into supplements to this Bond Resolution which shall not be inconsistent with the terms and provisions hereof for any of the purposes heretofore specifically authorized in this Bond Resolution or the Indenture, and in addition thereto for the following purposes:

- (i) To cure any ambiguity or formal defect or omission in the Indenture;
- (ii) To grant to or confer upon the Trustee for the benefit of the Bondholders any additional benefits, rights, remedies, powers or authorities that may lawfully be

granted to or conferred upon the Bondholders or the Trustee, or to make any change which, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, does not materially and adversely affect the interest of the owners of the Outstanding City Bond and does not require unanimous consent of the Bondholders pursuant to Section 12.2 of the Indenture;

(iii) To subject to the Indenture additional Revenues, properties or collateral;

(iv) To modify, amend or supplement the Indenture or any indenture supplemental thereto in such manner as to permit the qualification thereof and thereof under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 or any similar federal statute hereafter in effect, or to preserve the status of the interest on any Bank Bonds as exempt from inclusion in gross income of the holders thereof for federal tax purposes, or to permit the qualification of the Bank Bonds for sale under the securities laws of the United States of America or of any of the states of the United States of America, and, if they so determine, to add to the Indenture or any indenture supplemental thereto such other terms, conditions and provisions as may be permitted by said Trust Indenture Act of 1939 or similar federal statute;

(v) To evidence the appointment of a separate or co-trustee or the succession of a new Trustee under the Indenture or the succession of a new registrar and/or paying agent; and

(vi) In connection with issuance of refunding bonds.

(b) The provisions of this Bond Resolution may be amended in any particular with the written consent of the Bank and the owners of not less than a majority of the aggregate principal amount of Bank Bonds then outstanding; provided, however, that no such amendment may be adopted which decreases the percentage of owners of Bank Bonds required to approve any amendment, or which permits a change in the date of payment of the principal of or interest on any Bank Bonds or of any redemption price thereof or the rate of interest thereon.

(c) If at any time the Bank and the City shall request the Trustee to consent to a proposed amendment for any of the purposes of this Section 22, the Trustee shall, upon being satisfactorily indemnified with respect to expenses, cause notice of the proposed execution of such proposed amendment to be given in the manner required by the Indenture to redeem Bank Bonds. Such notice shall briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and shall state that copies thereof are on file at the principal corporate trust office of the Trustee for inspection by all holders of Bank Bonds. If, within 60 days or such longer period as shall be prescribed by the Bank following such notice, the owners of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bank Bonds outstanding at the time of the execution of any such proposed amendment shall have consented to and approved the execution thereof as herein provided, no owner of any Bank Bond shall have any right to object to any of the terms and provisions contained therein, or the operation thereof, or in any manner to question the propriety of the execution thereof, or to enjoin or restrain the Trustee, the City or the Bank from executing or approving the same or from taking any action pursuant to the provisions thereof. Upon the execution of any such proposed amendment as in this Section permitted and provided, this Bond Resolution shall be and be deemed to be modified and amended in accordance therewith.

(d) Copies of any such supplement or amendment shall be filed with the Trustee and delivered to the Bank and the City before such supplement or amendment may become effective.

SECTION 23. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body are authorized to execute and deliver such resolutions, agreements, certificates and other documents as our required for the sale, issuance and delivery of the City Bond.

SECTION 24. The Indenture, in the form submitted to this meeting, is hereby made a part of this Bond Resolution as though set forth in full herein and shall be, and the same hereby is, approved in substantially the form attached as **EXHIBIT A** (with such completions, changes, insertions and modifications as may be approved by such officers, said execution being conclusive evidence of such approval). The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body are hereby authorized to approve such additional changes as may be requested by the Bank. The Governing Body hereby approves and acknowledges the Indenture and the

terms and provisions thereof and recognizes that may items governing the terms and conditions of the City Bond are based upon terms, limitations and conditions provided in the Indenture.

SECTION 25. The City Bond Purchase Agreement, in the form submitted to this meeting, is hereby made a part of this Bond Resolution as though set forth in full herein and shall be, and the same hereby is, approved in substantially the form as provided in **EXHIBIT B** hereto. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the City Bond Purchase Agreement with such changes, insertions and omissions as may be approved by such officers.

SECTION 26. The City deems it most advantageous to authorize the Municipal Advisor, to negotiate for the sale of the Bank Bonds with the Underwriter and to approve the form of the Bond Purchase Agreement for the sale of the Bank Bonds to the Bank and the City, for approval at a subsequent date to be determined by the Municipal Advisor to be the most financially advantageous to the City and the Bank and hereby gives authority to the Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body to approve the sale of the Bank Bonds, including the execution of the Bond Purchase Agreement as evidence thereof, for and on behalf of the City, subject to the following conditions: (1) compliance of the City and the Bank with the provisions of the Act regarding the issuance of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds; (2) a total amount of Bank Bonds, in one or more series, not to exceed a total aggregate principal amount of \$29,850,000; (3) the Bank Bonds shall not bear a greater overall maximum interest rate to maturity than eleven percent (11%) per annum; (4) approval by the City and the Bank of the Bond Purchase Agreement for the sale of the Bonds evidenced by the execution of the Bond Purchase Agreement; (5) maturity schedule for the Bank Bonds of not to exceed thirty (30) years; and (6) terms and provisions of the Bank Bonds in compliance with the Act.

SECTION 27. (a) The forms of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Bond Purchase Agreement as submitted to this meeting and made a part of this resolution as though set forth in full herein shall be, and the same hereby are, approved in substantially said forms. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Preliminary Official Statement and Bond Purchase Agreement with such changes, insertions and omissions as may be approved by such officer, said execution being conclusive evidence of such approval. The Preliminary Official Statement is hereby "deemed final" by the City as described in the Rule. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer of the Governing Body are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Official Statement in connection with the Bank Bonds with such changes from the Preliminary Official Statement as he/she may approve. Said Preliminary Official Statement and Bond Purchase Agreement are attached hereto as **EXHIBIT C** and **EXHIBIT D**, respectively.

(b) If in the opinion of the Bond Counsel, the Underwriter and the Municipal Advisor, a supplement or amendment to the Preliminary Official Statement and/or Official Statement is necessary to provide proper disclosure for the Bank Bonds, the Governing Body of the City hereby authorizes (a) Bond Counsel to prepare and distribute such supplement or amendment to the Preliminary Official Statement and/or the Official Statement in a form and in a manner approved by the Underwriter, and (b) the Underwriter to provide distribution of such supplement or amendment to the Preliminary Official Statement and/or Official Statement, as the case may be, in connection with the sale of the Bank Bonds, with the distribution of such supplement or amendment being conclusive evidence of the approval of the Governing Body.

(c) The Continuing Disclosure Certificate, in the form attached to the Preliminary Official Statement as submitted to this meeting, is hereby made part of this Bond Resolution as though set forth in full herein and shall be, and the same hereby is, approved in substantially said form. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Continuing Disclosure Certificate with such changes, insertions and omissions as may be approved by such officers, said execution being conclusive evidence of such approval.

(d) The City hereby authorizes Bond Counsel, the Underwriter and Municipal Advisor to prepare and distribute any notices and/or filings necessary to provide certain financial information and operating data to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "**MSRB**") through the MSRB's Electronic Municipal Market Access system at www.emma.msrb.org ("**EMMA**"), in the electronic format then prescribed by the Securities and Exchange

Commission pursuant to the Rule as required by the Rule, including but not limited to a Notice of Past Filing Failures.

SECTION 28. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby given the authority to select and appoint the Trustee for the Bank Bonds under the Indenture.

SECTION 29. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized and directed to sign requisitions and perform such other acts as may be necessary to authorize the payment by the Trustee for the Bank Bonds on the closing date of the Bank Bonds the costs of issuance of said Bank Bonds and cost of issuance for the City Bond of the City; provided, however, total costs of issuance for said Bank Bonds and the City Bond shall not exceed five (5%) percent of the par amount of the Bank Bonds (excluding Underwriters' discount and any premiums for municipal bond insurance, if applicable).

SECTION 30. The Tax-Exempt Financing Compliance Procedure (the "Tax Policy") setting forth the City's tax compliance procedures in connection with its outstanding and future tax-exempt debt, in the form submitted to this meeting and attached hereto as **EXHIBIT E**, is hereby approved and adopted. The City hereby authorizes and directs the appropriate officers of the City to implement the Tax Policy and, in connection with any outstanding or future debt of the City, to take such actions and file such documents as may be required by the Tax Policy, the Code, the Internal Revenue Service, the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

SECTION 31. Upon receiving the recommendation of the Municipal Advisor and Bond Counsel, the Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized and directed to make all final determinations necessary to prepare the Indenture, the sale of the Bank Bonds, including the date of sale, the dated date of the Bank Bonds, the final principal amount of the Bank Bonds, the maturity schedule relating to the Bank Bonds, the redemption terms of the Bank Bonds and any other terms thereof; provided, however, that all such determinations shall be made subject to approval by the Bank, to be evidenced by the execution of the Bond Purchase Agreement for the sale of the Bank Bonds.

SECTION 32. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver any additional documents, agreements, instruments, requisitions and certificates, which are required in connection with the sale and issuance of the Bank Bonds and the City Bond, including the approval of the final Official Statement in connection with the Bank Bonds. Notwithstanding any other provision herein or in any attachments hereto, the Governing Body further authorizes any necessary changes to the name or title or series designation of the Bank Bonds or the City Bond and corresponding changes to any of the related documents approved hereby if it is determined, after consultation with the Municipal Advisor, that it is in the best interest of the City for the Bank Bonds to be issued at a later date or in one or more tax-exempt or taxable series, as municipal bond market conditions may dictate.

SECTION 33. Prior to their delivery, the City Bond shall be validated pursuant to Sections 31-13-1 *et seq.*, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, by the Chancery Court of Forrest County, Mississippi.

SECTION 34. Upon the recommendation of the Municipal Advisor, the Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized to apply for, execute and deliver, a commitment for the provision of municipal bond insurance and any additional documents and certificates which are required by any provider of such municipal bond insurance selected to provide credit enhancement in connection with the issuance of the Bank Bonds. Such insurer shall be selected by the Bank and the City following negotiations with perspective insurers by the Municipal Advisor. Any changes, insertions and omissions as may be required by the provider of the municipal bond insurance to the Indenture, the City Bond, the Bank Bonds, and the Preliminary Official Statement are to be approved by the City and the Bank, and the execution of the commitment for said municipal bond insurance being conclusive evidence of such approval. Payment of the premiums, if applicable, for such municipal bond insurance out of the proceeds of the Bank Bonds is hereby approved. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized to execute, if applicable, the commitment for municipal bond insurance on behalf of the Bank and/or the City.

SECTION 35. The Mayor and other representatives, employees and/or members of the Governing Body of the City, as selected by the Mayor, including the City’s counsel, are hereby authorized to participate and attend any rating presentation and/or meeting in connection with the issuance of the Bank Bonds and the City Bond. The payment of travel expenses, if applicable, for such rating presentation or rating meeting is hereby approved.

SECTION 36. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are authorized to execute and deliver such resolutions, agreements, certificates and other documents as are required for the sale, issuance and delivery of the City Bond. The Governing Body further authorizes Bond Counsel, City Counsel and the Municipal Advisor, to prepare and distribute all necessary documents and to do all things required in order to negotiate the sale of the Bank Bonds and to effectuate the sale and issuance of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds.

SECTION 37. The Mayor, the Clerk and an Authorized Officer are hereby authorized and directed to make all final determinations necessary in connection with the City Bond and the Bank Bonds including, but not limited to, the final principal amount of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, the maturity schedule relating to the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, the redemption terms of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, the dated date and payment dates of the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, the interest rate or rates to be borne by the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, and the price to be paid for the City Bond and the Bank Bonds, subject to the provisions of the Act and this Bond Resolution.

SECTION 38. If any one or more of the provisions of this Bond Resolution shall for any reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Bond Resolution, but this Bond Resolution shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provision or provisions had not been contained herein.

SECTION 39. All orders, resolutions or proceedings of the Governing Body in conflict with any provision hereof shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, rescinded and set aside, but only to the extent of such conflict. For cause, this Bond Resolution shall become effective upon the adoption hereof.

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The above and foregoing Resolution, after having been first reduced to writing, was introduced by Council Vice President Dryden seconded by Council Member George, and was adopted by the following vote, to wit:

YEAS:

George

Delgado

Carroll

Dryden

Brown

NAYS:

None

ABSENT:

None

The President thereby declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted this the 6th day of November, 2018.



ATTEST:


CLERK OF COUNCIL

ADOPTED:


PRESIDENT

The above and foregoing Resolution, having been submitted to and approved by the Mayor, this the 6th day of November, 2018.

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

APPROVED:


MAYOR

EXHIBIT A
FORM OF THE INDENTURE

EXHIBIT B
FORM OF CITY BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT

EXHIBIT C

FORM OF PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT

EXHIBIT D

**FORM OF MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK
BOND PURCHASE AGREEMENT**

EXHIBIT E

TAX-EXEMPT FINANCING COMPLIANCE PROCEDURE