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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 **19th day of February, 2019**, the following resolution:

RESOLUTION 2019-25

**CONDEMNATION OF UNSAFE AND DILAPIDATED PROPERTY
Case #4 19 Collins St.**

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of January 2019 the Council of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, passed a resolution announcing the intention of the City Council to hold a hearing on, the 19th day of February, 2019, in the Council Meeting Room of City Hall in Hattiesburg, Mississippi, as provided by Section 21-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as annotated and amended, to determine whether or not the following described property is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the health and safety of the community, to-wit:

PARCEL: 2-038P-22-092, 19 Collins St. HATTIESBURG, MS 39401 and better described as Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11), Block Two (2) of the W.A. Collins Survey of the NW ¼ of SE ¼ of Section 22, Township 4 North, Range 13 West, Forrest County, Mississippi, as per the map or plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Forrest County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 4, at Page 22, together with all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

WHEREAS, the owner of the property is: Levi Jr. and Mary Annie Simmons

WHEREAS, proper and timely notice of said hearing was given to said parties more than two weeks prior to the date of the hearing; and

WHEREAS, at said hearing it was determined that the aforementioned property is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the health and safety of the community and should be condemned.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, as follows:

1. A period of fifteen (15) days shall be extended to the property owner for removal of the violations listed:

**Dilapidated Building (International Property Maintenance Code, Sec. 304)
Abandoned Building (International Property Maintenance Code, Sec. 301.3)
Overgrown Lot and Weeds (International Property Maintenance Code, Sec. 302.4**

2. If the property owners do not take corrective action within fifteen (15) days to remove the violations, then after a complete and final legal review of the property conducted by the City Attorney, the City will take action to remove all violations listed, said work to be legally contracted with a private contractor or City crews, and the cost of same plus penalty to be certified to the City Clerk for further legal disposition.

3. A copy of this Resolution will be certified and recorded in the Chancery Clerk's Office of Forrest County, Mississippi.

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

<u>YEAS:</u>	<u>NAYS:</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>
George	None	None
Delgado		
Carroll		
Dryden		
Brown		

The motion having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the Council members present, the President declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted, on this the 19th day of February, 2019.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:


CLERK OF COUNCIL

ADOPTED:


COUNCIL PRESIDENT

The above and foregoing Resolution having been submitted to and approved by the Mayor, this the 19th day of February, 2019.

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

APPROVED:


MAYOR