

There came on for consideration at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Diamondhead, Mississippi, held on the 1st day of February 2022, the following Resolution:

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD, MISSISSIPPI, FINDING AND ADJUDICATING THAT THE HEREIN DESCRIBED INOPERABLE VEHICLE IS A SERIOUS PROBLEM TO THE COMMUNITY AND WELARE OF THE CITIZENRY OF THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS OR TO OBTAIN QUOTE(S) TO REMOVE THE INOPERABLE VEHICLE AND TO ASSESS THE COSTS TO THE SAID PROPERTY**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Diamondhead, Mississippi, (the "City"), pursuant to Mississippi Code Annotated §21-19-11, 1972, as amended, finds, determines, and adjudicates, based upon the investigation of the City's Building Department, that the inoperable vehicle described below is such a menace to the public safety, and welfare of the citizenry of the City; and

**WHEREAS**, said inoperable vehicle, as described herein, is within the corporate boundaries of the City of Diamondhead, Hancock County, Mississippi; and

**WHEREAS**, the inoperable vehicle investigated by the Building Department and recommended by the Building Official for adjudication as being unsightly, a clutter to the neighborhood, provides a harborage for rodents and is an attractive nuisance for children to be a menace to the public health, safety and welfare of the citizenry of the City is identified as:

Chevrolet Silverado, blue/silver in color, license plate number KAQ 672 (expired 09/16) VIN number 3GNFK16RXXG157628.

Located on the property at 542 Lakeview Court, Diamondhead, Mississippi, Parcel #132A-2-03-012.000, owned and occupied by Louis A. Cambre and Perri Cambre.

- Remove the inoperable vehicle from the property.

**WHEREAS**, notice to the property owners was provided by the City pursuant to Mississippi Code Annotated §21-19-11, 1972, as amended, i.e. delivered in person to Perri Cambred, by City of Diamondhead Code Enforcement Officer Ty J. Wiltz and notice posted on the bulletin board at City Hall, all within Diamondhead, Mississippi; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Diamondhead further find, determine and adjudicate that advertisement for bids or obtaining quotes to remove the inoperable vehicle from the above referenced property should be made in the form and manner as provided by law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council further find, determine, and adjudicate that the cost of removal of the inoperable vehicle shall not exceed the aggregate amount of \$10,000.00 per parcel per calendar year or the fair market value of the property subsequent to cleaning, whichever is less. Said amount including a penalty shall be assessed as a lien against said property as provided by law and shall be enrolled in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, as other judgments are enrolled, and in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Diamondhead further find, determine, and grant authority to the Building Department to re-enter the properties not more than five (5) times for a period of one (1) year without any further hearings if notice is posted on these properties and at City Hall, 5000 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead, Mississippi 39525, at least ten (10) days prior to re-entering the properties for resolution of the same type of violation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY**

**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD, MISSISSIPPI, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the matters, facts, and things recited in the Preamble hereto are hereby adopted as the official findings of the Governing Authority.

**SECTION 2.** That the property at 5569 Diamondhead Drive East be and hereby are declared to be a menace to the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizenry of the City of Diamondhead.

**SECTION 3.** That the City Clerk be and hereby is authorized to advertise for bids for bid or obtain quote(s) to remove the inoperable vehicle to a proper site as described hereinabove and lying within the corporate boundaries of the City of Diamondhead, Hancock County, Mississippi.

**SECTION 4.** That the cost of removal of the herein described inoperable vehicle, including any penalty assessed, shall be a lien against said properties as provided by law and shall be enrolled in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

**SECTION 5.** That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Diamondhead further find, determine, and hereby grant authority to the Building Department to reinspect the property not more than five (5) times for a period of one (1) year without any further hearings if notice is posted on this property and at City Hall, 5000 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead, Mississippi 39525, at least ten (10) days prior to reinspecting the properties for resolution of the same type of violation.

Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_ moved for the adoption of the Resolution, which was seconded by Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_.

Upon being put to a roll call vote, the following ballots were cast:

	Aye	Nay	Absent
Councilmember Finley	___	___	___
Councilmember Moran	___	___	___
Councilmember Sheppard	___	___	___
Councilmember Clark	___	___	___
Councilmember Maher	___	___	___
Mayor Depreo	___	___	___

WHEREUPON the Mayor declared the Motion carried and the Resolution adopted,  
this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of February 2022.

ATTEST:

ADOPTED:

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CITY CLERK

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MAYOR