

AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Kelly Knight, Public Works Director

DATE June 12, 2025

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF APPROVAL FOR STREAM MAINTENANCE AND

CLEARING TO REOUEST FOR LEE CO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR

WORK TO BE PERFORMED BY TOMBIGBEE VALLEY WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT – STREAM/KINGS CREEK AREA - KWK

Request:

We are requesting the approval for the City of Tupelo to request that Lee County Board of Supervisor issue a request to Tombigbee Valley Water Management District to perform clearing and stream maintenance done within the Tupelo City Limits. This work needs to be performed on the highlighted stream on the map attached that connects with Kings Creek. This section runs from the right of way of the Natchez Trace Parkway up stream to 1863 Forrest Park. In the flood event, a private drive sustained damage to the drainage structure. We have also had flooding issues at the end of Forrest Park to North Place Dr with damage to City drainage structures in multiple rain events this year. In our inspection, the downstream section was found to be over grown with vegetation and debris in the stream therefore in need of maintenance.