

Resolution No. 2025- 32

City of Osceola, Arkansas

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN BUILDINGS, HOUSES AND OTHER
STRUCTURES LOCATED AT 227 SHIPPEN IN THE CITY OF OSCEOLA TO
CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE AND CONDEMNING SAID
STRUCTURES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS the building and structures whose location is set forth herein are vacant and have become run down, dilapidated, unsightly, dangerous, obnoxious, unsafe, and not fit for human habitation and detrimental to the public welfare of Osceola citizens and residents; and

WHEREAS, the condition of such property constitutes a serious fire and health hazard to the City of Osceola, and unless immediate actions are taken to remedy this situation by removing, razing and abating said nuisance, there is a great likelihood that the surrounding property may be destroyed by fire originating from such unsafe and hazardous structures and a breeding place for rats, rodents, and other dangerous germ carriers of diseases, such buildings constitute a serious hazard to the health and safety of the citizens of Osceola and they should be removed or razed for the purpose of eliminating such hazards.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF OSCEOLA, ARKANSAS:**

SECTION 1: That the City Council hereby declares the buildings, houses, and other structures located at the property identified in section 2 below to be vacant and run down, dilapidated, unsafe, unsightly, dangerous, obnoxious, unsanitary, a fire hazard, a menace to abutting properties, with the current

condition of said structures not being fit for human habitation; and because of such conditions, the City Council declares the same to be condemned as a public nuisance and is ordered abated, removed or razed by the owner thereof.

SECTION 2: That the owner MARTHA JOHNSON of the following described property has been given adequate notice thereof and is hereby directed to raze the same or otherwise abate the said nuisance within (30) days after the posting of a true copy of this resolution at a conspicuous place upon the structure constituting the nuisance described herein, to-wit:

E43' LT14 BLK F HIGHLAND ADD 227 SHIPPEN **within** the of Osceola,
Arkansas.

(Also shown on tax records as tax parcel number **301-01505-000** and more commonly known as **227 SHIPPEN**, Osceola, Arkansas)

A copy of this Resolution shall also be mailed to **227 SHIPPEN, OSCEOLA, AR 72370**

SECTION 3: If the aforementioned structures have not been razed and/or removed within (30) days after posting a true copy of this Resolution in a conspicuous place upon the structure constituting the nuisance otherwise abated, the structures shall be torn down and/or removed by the Code Enforcement Officer or his duly designated representative or agent.

SECTION 4: That the provisions of the Resolution are hereby declared to be severable and if any section phrase or provision shall be declared or

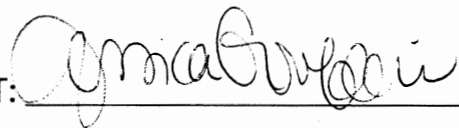
held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remainder of the sections,
phrases or provisions.

SECTION 5: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after
its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this **16TH** DAY OF JUNE 2025.

CITY OF OSCEOLA, ARKANSAS

By: 
Mayor Joe Harris, Jr

ATTEST: 
City Clerk