



MADISON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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March 19, 2025

Minnie L Smith & Robert L Batimon
581 Yandell Road
Canton, MS 39046

Re: *Tax Parcel No. 82G-25B-009/00.00*

Dear Sir/Madame,

The property referenced above is zoned R-1 Residential District. The permitted uses listed in the Madison County Zoning Ordinance are residential use, and those uses accessory to residential use. An inspection made on the property referenced above reveals this property is in violation of section 406 of the Madison County Zoning Ordinance.

The Madison County Zoning Ordinance, in **SECTION 406 – MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL REGULATIONS, SUBSECTION 406.03 PARKING AND STORAGE OF DERELICT**

VEHICLES - Vehicles that are wrecked, dismantled, partially dismantled, inoperable, abandoned or discarded and are not capable of being legally (that is, if the vehicle does not have a current inspection sticker and current license plate affixed to the vehicle) driven upon the roads, streets or highways of the Madison County shall not be parked or stored on any agricultural or residentially zoned property other than in completely enclosed buildings, nor shall such vehicles be parked on public streets or roads.

The Madison County Zoning Ordinance, in **SECTION 406 – MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL REGULATIONS, SUBSECTION 406.05 Materials and Growth Constituting Public Health and/or Safety Hazards Prohibited**: No rubbish, salvage materials, junk or hazardous waste materials, including inoperable vehicles and parts and any combustible matter, shall be openly stored, allowed to accumulate or kept in the open, and no weeds or other growth shall be allowed to go uncut within any district when the same shall be determined by the appropriate County Official (the Zoning Administrator or other authorized County employee) or health official to constitute a menace to the public health and/or safety.

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The Madison County Zoning Ordinance, in Article 26, **SECTION 2614 - ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT**- In accordance with Section 17-1-27 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, As amended, —Any person---who shall knowingly and willfully violate the terms, conditions or provisions of (this Ordinance), for violation of which no other criminal penalty is prescribed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction therefore shall be sentenced to pay a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00), and in case of continuing violations without reasonable effort on the part of the defendant to correct same, each day the violation continues thereafter shall be separate offense.

Accordingly, you are hereby being placed on notice that a hearing will be held with the Madison County Board of Supervisors on **April 7, 2025** at **9 A.M.** in the Board Room of the Madison County Chancery and Administrative Building for an adjudication regarding the cleanup of the subject property to bring it back into compliance with the zoning ordinances as referenced herein. Such adjudication would allow the Board of Supervisors to reenter the property for a period of one (1) year after the hearing without any further hearing for cleaning.

Additionally, should the Board of Supervisors adjudicate that the subject property in its condition is a menace to the public health and safety of the community and in need of clean up, you will be subject to the penalties and fees for the cost of the cleanup. Moreover, should the property continue to be in violation by the date of the hearing referenced herein, you will be fined \$100 dollars per day pursuant to law for each such day that the violation continues.

Please contact me if this property has been brought into compliance prior to the hearing date for an inspection.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Scott Weeks', followed by a horizontal line.

Scott Weeks, Administrator
Planning and Zoning
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601-826-9021 cell