Resolution 2023-R-156

A RESOLUTION DECLARING A WEED AND OTHER VEGETATION NUISANCE AND DIRECTING THE ABATEMENT OF SAID NUISANCE PURSUANT TO ALABAMA LAW

WHEREAS, the *Code of Alabama* gives all municipalities the authority to abate weeds on property within their municipal city limits under sections 11-67-60 through 11-67-67; and

WHEREAS, the property (hereafter the "subject property") located at the address listed below has an overabundance of grass and/or weeds present thereon:

• 3932 Rock Ridge Road, Irondale, Alabama 35210

WHEREAS, the abundance of overgrown grass and/or weeds on the subject property is injurious to the general public health, safety and general welfare by:

- (a) providing breeding grounds and shelter for rats, mice, snakes, mosquitoes, and other vermin, insects and pests;
- b) attaining heights and dryness that constitute a serious fire threat or hazard;
- c) bearing wingy or downy seeds, when mature that cause the spread of weeds and when breathed, irritation to the throat, lungs, and eyes of the public;
- (d) hiding debris, such as broken glass or metal that could inflict injury on a person going upon the property;
- (e) being unsightly; and/or
- (f) exceeding 12 inches in height; and

WHEREAS, such grass and/or weeds located on the subject property constitutes a threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City of Irondale and must be abated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Irondale City Council in regular meeting, duly assembled, a quorum being present that the weeds and/or grass located at the following address is declared to be a public nuisance:

• 3932 Rock Ridge Road, Irondale, Alabama 35210

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the public nuisance located at the above described property is hereby ordered to be abated by the City of Irondale as provided under Alabama law.

ADOPTED & APPROVED: This the 17th day of October, 2023.

David Spivey,	, City Counc	eil President

APPROVED:	
James D. Stewart, Jr., Mayor	
James D. Stewart, Jr., Mayor	
ATTESTED:	
Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk	
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above to be a true and correct copy of a r	f the City of Irondale, Alabama, hereby certify that the resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of ctober 17th, 2023, as same appears in the minutes of
	Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk