

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 - 157

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, has been informed by the Building Official of the City that a substandard structure located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama, was in need of demolition or removal; and

WHEREAS, the City of Phenix City, Alabama, has solicited sealed bids as required by Alabama Law, and the apparent low bidder meeting the specifications required for the demolition of the substandard structure was J & J Land Development, Inc., the bid and dumping fees being \$4,800.00 and the demolition and final inspection being completed on the 23rd day of July 2025; and

WHEREAS, the City is required by Law to give notice by certified or registered mail to the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes before the final fixing of costs and a copy of the Resolution is to be published in The Citizen of East Alabama, a newspaper of local and general publication in Russell County, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the Building Official of the City of Phenix City, Alabama was authorized to proceed with the demolition and/or removal of the substandard structure with the apparent low bidder at the approved bid price.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama as follows:

1. That the City Clerk give notice by certified or registered mail to the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes and a copy of this Resolution be published in The Citizen of East Alabama newspaper one time before the final fixing of costs and establishment of a special assessment upon the property as required by law.

2. That the date for fixing of costs before the City Council shall be September 3, 2025 at 9:00 AM in the Council Chambers.

3. That at such public hearing any person interested in this property as well as the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes should appear and give reason, if any, why the City Council should not establish a special assessment upon the property for the cost of the demolition or removal of the substandard structure which the owner of the property had either failed or refused to do after it had become a public danger or health hazard.

4. The sum of \$4,800.00 shall be levied against the property located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama as a special assessment and shall constitute a lien against the property to be collected through the Revenue Commissioner's Office for Russell County, Alabama. The Council notes that the parcel identification number of said property is 05-05-15-4-404-037.000.

5. That the property owners as shown on the tax records of Russell County, Alabama is State of Alabama (2016 Tax), State Capital Bldg, Montgomery, AL 36104.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, will meet on September 3, 2025 at 9:00 AM EDT in the Council Chambers, 1111 Broad Street to consider the fixing of costs incurred by the City of Phenix City for the demolition and/or removal of a substandard building or structure located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama.


LEGAL DESCRIPTION

That the legal description of the property is as follows: 1 Dwelling located in Section 15 Township 17N Range 30E, Phenix City, Alabama, and being more particularly described as parcel 05-05-15-4-404-037.000 according to the records of the Revenue Commissioner, 1000 Broad Street, Phenix City, Alabama 36867.

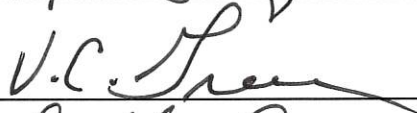
Any person, firm or corporation having any interest in the above described property should appear before Council at the aforementioned time and place if they have any objections as to why the fixing of costs for the removal of the substandard building or structure should not be assessed as a lien against the property taxes upon which the substandard building or structure was located.

This 5th day of August, 2025.


MAYOR








MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK


PUBLISH ON: August 14, 2025

PUBLIC HEARING: September 3, 2025

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of August, 2025.



MAYOR



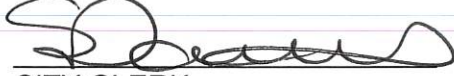






MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:



CITY CLERK

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 - _____

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, was requested by the Building Official of the City to authorize demolition and removal of a substandard structure located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the City Council on the 3rd day of June 2025, by Resolution No. 2025-103 approved the apparent low bid to demolish and/or remove said substandard structure; and

WHEREAS, the City has given notice by certified or registered mail to the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes and a notice has been published in The Citizen of East Alabama, a local newspaper of general circulation, at least 15 days before this final hearing for the fixing of costs; and

WHEREAS, after giving all interested parties an opportunity at this public hearing to address Council on this the 3rd day of September on the issue of the fixing of costs in this case, the City Council believes the fixing of costs have been determined and that they should be assessed against the substandard structure named above and recorded in the Probate Office to protect the interest of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, as follows:

1. That the final cost in the removal of the substandard structure located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama is set at \$4,800.00. The final inspection date was July 23rd, 2025.
2. That the City Clerk file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Probate Judge of Russell County, Alabama, to establish a special assessment that shall constitute a lien of Phenix City, Alabama, upon the property that shall be collected through the Revenue Commissioner's Office for Russell County, Alabama.
3. That the legal description of the property is as follows: 1 Dwelling located in Section 15 Township 17N Range 30E, Phenix City, Alabama, and being more particularly described as parcel 05-05-15-4-404-037.000 according to the records of the Revenue Commissioner, 1000 Broad Street, Phenix City, Alabama 36867.
4. That the property owner as shown on the tax records of Russell County, Alabama is State of Alabama (2016 Tax), State Capital Bldg, Montgomery, AL 36104.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of September, 2025.

MAYOR

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK



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Alabama

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

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SHANNON DAVIS, City Clerk
RAY ROGERS, Chief Building Official

MEMORANDUM

To: Wallace Hunter, City Manager 

From: Ray Rogers, Chief Building Official 

Date: July 25, 2025

RE: Resolution Notice of Cost, Public Hearing Document, and Resolution Establishing Lien

The bid, award, and demolition of the following property has been concluded and the Resolution giving Notice of Cost, Public Hearing Document, and the Resolution Establishing a Lien on the following properties are ready for Council's consideration:

- 1010 12th Avenue, Phenix City, AL
- 1008 12th Avenue, Phenix City, AL
- 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, AL
- 531 6th Place, Phenix City, AL

Upon your approval, please forward the attached Resolutions to the City Clerk to be placed on the next available Council Agenda.



NATALIE KIRKLAND
RUSSELL COUNTY REVENUE COMMISSION
ASSESSMENT RECORD - 2025

1000 BROAD STREET
PHENIX CITY AL 36867
Tel: (334) 298-6922
Printed On: 7/28/2025

PARCEL: 05 05 15 4 404 037.000
CORPORATION: I
OWNER: STATE OF ALABAMA (2016 TAX)
ADDRESS: STATE CAPITAL BLDG
MONTGOMERY, AL 36104
EXEMPT CODE: 5 []
OVER 65 CODE: DISABILITY CODE: EXM OVERRIDE AMT: \$0
PROP. CLASS: 2 []
OVR ASD VALUE: SCHOOL DIST: 02 HS YEAR: 0
CLMNT:
CLASS USE 0
FOREST ACRES: 0
LAND USE CODE: 0
PREV. YEAR VALUE: \$6,200
NBH: 0003EAST
PARENT PARCEL:
REMARKS:
Last Modified: 4/12/2024 3:28:30 AM LETTERS
DEMOLITION FEE FIRE FEE WEED FEE
LAND VALUE 10% \$0
LAND VALUE 20% \$3,800
CU VALUE [DEACTIVATED] \$0
LV 10% WITH CU [DEACTIVATED] \$0
CLASS 2
BLDG 1 111 \$2,600
CLASS 3
TOTAL MARKET VALUE: \$6,400
Assessment Override:
MARKET VALUE:
CU VALUE:
PENALTY:
ASSESSED VALUE:
ACT 2024-344 7% CAP:
STATUS: **APPLIED**
ASSD. VALUE: \$1,280 % CHANGE: 3.23
OVERRIDE: **NO**

Property Address: 1220 8TH ST
Contiguous Parcels:

ASSESSMENT/TAX		CURR ASSMT: [NONE] MTG CODE: - LOAN: ACCOUNT NO : 0001089950						
		CLASS	MUNCODE	ASSD. VALUE	TAX	EXEMPTION	TAX EXEMPTION	TOTAL TAX
STATE		2	02	\$1,280	\$8.32	\$1,280	\$8.32	\$0.00
COUNTY		2	02	\$1,280	\$15.36	\$1,280	\$15.36	\$0.00
SCHOOL		2	02	\$1,280	\$5.76	\$1,280	\$5.76	\$0.00
DIST SCHOOL		2	02	\$1,280	\$30.72	\$1,280	\$30.72	\$0.00
CITY		2	02	\$1,280	\$15.36	\$1,280	\$15.36	\$0.00
FOREST		2	02	\$0	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00

ASSD. VALUE: \$1,280.00 (\$1,280.00)
EXMT. TAX: \$75.52

TAXABLE VALUE: \$6,400.00
TOTAL MILLAGE: 59 \$75.52 ESTIMATED TOTAL: \$0.00

INSTRUMENTS

INST NUMBER	DATE
001334-000344	08/08/2016
001334-000344	08/08/2016
001334-000344	08/08/2016
001101-000329	02/15/2008
001101-000329	02/15/2008
001099-000306	01/22/2008
000000-000000	04/02/1996

SALES INFORMATION

SALE DATE SALE PRICE SALE TYPE RATIOABLE
No Sales Information on Record

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

MAP NUMBER: CODE1: 009999 CODE2:
SUB DIVISON1: N/A
SUB DIVISON2:

MAP BOOK: 001334 PAGE: 000344
MAP BOOK: PAGE:

PRIMARY LOT: PRIMARY BLOCK: 275
SECONDARY LOT: SECONDARY BLOCK:

SECTION1 15	TOWNSHIP1 17N	RANGE1 30E
SECTION2	TOWNSHIP2	RANGE2
SECTION3	TOWNSHIP3	RANGE3
SECTION4	TOWNSHIP4	RANGE4
LOT DIM1 0.00	LOT DIM2 0.00	ACRES 0.000
		SQ FT 0.000

METES AND BOUNDS:

REMARKS:

S15 T17N R30E PT LOT 5 BLK 275 PCTM COM NE INT 13TH AVE & 8TH ST RUN E220 TO PB CON E64 N107
W50 S107 TO PB
1220 8TH ST ***1 DWELLING

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 - 103

WHEREAS, the City of Phenix City has solicited bids for the demolition of structure as required by the Alabama bid law; and

WHEREAS, the apparent low bidder meeting the specifications required for the demolition of the structure located at 1220 8th Street which was from J & J Land Development, Inc., in the amount of \$4,800.00 with dumping fees; said bid having met all specifications as required.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, does hereby accept the bid from J & J Land Development, Inc., for the demolition of the structure located at 1220 8th Street in the amount of \$4,800.00.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of June, 2025.

Eddie N. Lowe
MAYOR

K M Long

Steve Bask

Vincent Green

Arlo Lee Way Jr

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:

S Davis

CITY CLERK

Opening Date: May 27, 2025 at 10:00 AM EST

Department Representative

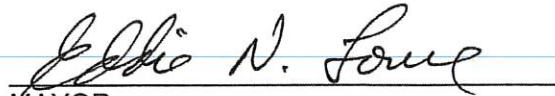
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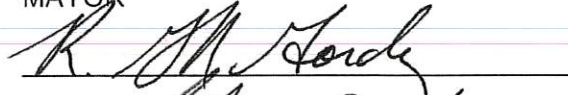
WHEREAS, the City of Phenix City has declared the property located at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama to be a public nuisance, in accordance with Alabama State Law, Section 11-53A-1.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, that the Housing Abatement Board is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary action to demolish, remove and clear all building materials, trash and debris from property and to have the lot cleared at 1220 8th Street, Phenix City, Alabama.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the cost of demolition by the City of Phenix City, Alabama shall be assessed against the property taxes.

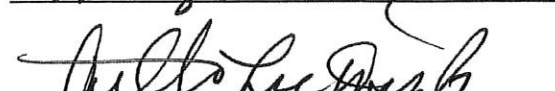
PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of December, 2024.


MAYOR










MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, has been informed by the Building Official of the City that substandard structures at the following locations in Phenix City were in need of demolition or removal:

1. 1008 12th Avenue
2. 1010 12th Avenue
3. 531 6th Place
4. 1220 8th Street

WHEREAS, the City of Phenix City, Alabama, has solicited sealed bids as required by Alabama Law, and the apparent low bidders meeting the specifications required for the demolition of the substandard structures are as follows, the amount listed below includes dumping fees:

1. 1008 12th Avenue – J & J Land Development, Inc., - \$3,200.00
2. 1010 12th Avenue - J & J Land Development, Inc., - \$3,100.00
3. 531 6th Place – J & J Land Development, Inc., - \$5,800.00
4. 1220 8th Street – J & J Land Development - \$4,800.00

WHEREAS, the City is required by Law to give notice by certified or registered mail to the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes before the final fixing of costs and a copy of the Resolution is to be published in The Citizen of East Alabama, a newspaper of local and general publication in Russell County, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the Building Official of the City of Phenix City, Alabama was authorized to proceed with the demolition and/or removal of the substandard structure with the apparent low bidder at the approved bid price.

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2. That the date for fixing of costs before the City Council shall be September 3, 2025 at 9:00 AM in the Council Chambers.
3. That at such public hearing any person interested in this property as well as the person last assessed for ad valorem taxes should appear and give reason, if any, why the City Council should not establish a special assessment upon the property for the cost of the demolition or removal of the substandard structure which the owner of the property had either failed or refused to do after it had become a public danger or health hazard.
4. The costs of demolition for each structure as listed above shall be levied against each property as a special assessment and shall constitute a lien against the property to be collected through the Revenue Commissioner's Office for Russell County, Alabama. The Council notes that the parcel identification number for each property is listed on the public notice and the individual resolution for each property.
5. That the property owner as shown on the tax records of Russell County, Alabama for each property is as follows:
 1. 1008 12th Avenue – Davis Shelley C/O Jimmy Davis Shelley, Samuel Bert Shelley & Samuel Brooks Shelley, 195 Lee Road 601, Phenix City, AL 36870.
 2. 1010 12th Avenue – GREV, LLC C/O House Buyers of America Inc., 8609 Westwood Center Drive Suite 110, Tysons Corner, VA 22182.
 3. 531 6th Place – Dolores Blanco, 16 Clear Creek, Ft. Mitchell, AL 36856.
 4. 1220 8th Street- State of Alabama (2016 Tax), State Capital Building, Montgomery, AL 36104.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of August 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama, will meet on September 3, 2025 at 9:00 AM in the Council Chambers, 1111 Broad Street to consider the fixing of costs incurred by the City of Phenix City for the demolition and/or removal of substandard buildings or structures at the following locations:

1. 1008 12th Avenue
2. 1010 12th Avenue
5. 531 6th Place
6. 1220 8th Street

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

(is as listed on individual Public Notice for that property)

Any person, firm or corporation having any interest in the above described property should appear before Council at the aforementioned time and place if they have any objections as to why the fixing of costs for the removal of the substandard building or structure should not be assessed as a lien against the property taxes upon which the substandard building or structure was located.

This 5th day of August, 2025.

PUBLISH ON: August 14, 2025

PUBLIC HEARING: September 3, 2025