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*Harrison County Fiscal Court votes on VETERANS DAY to demolish home of
War of 1812 VETERAN/U.S. Congressman, Colonel William Brown!*

For years, the citizens of Cynthiana and Harrison County have fought valiantly to save a historic property placed on the National Register of Historic Homes in 2005. This property was built by Congressman and War of 1812 Veteran, Colonel William Brown in 1817. His contribution to state and national history was significant, with direct family connections to the Todd Family, Henry Clay, and Abraham Lincoln. The house itself also produced three congressmen, one Secretary of the Interior and Attorney General under President Johnson, as well as three Veterans of the Black Hawk War, serving in the same unit as Abraham Lincoln.

The house now sits in the newly created Flat Run Veterans Park. With a commanding view and architectural elements that span almost 200 years, the property also includes a slave cemetery and a family cemetery from the earliest owners. Unfortunately, despite overwhelming local support, some voices would rather install a community pool in the exact location, despite ample acreage for a pool within the park.

*There is still time! The city has yet to vote on this issue, and the Fiscal Court voted with only half of their representative members present!
Please call or write a letter today!*

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