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NEWS RELEASE

Lightning Strike Causes Fire

HINESVILLE, Ga. (June 5, 2019) – At approximately 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 4, the Hinesville Fire Department responded to a structure fire at Trinity Missionary Baptist Temple.

Containment of the fire came with mutual aid from Ft. Stewart, Walthourville and Liberty County Fire Services and there were no injuries to civilians or fire personnel.

The cause of the fire was determined to be a lightning strike and the building has been declared a total loss.

For more information, please contact Whitney Morris – Reed, Public Relations Manager, at wmorrisreed@cityofhinesville.org.

ABOUT THE CITY OF HINESVILLE:

The [City of Hinesville](http://cityofhinesville.org) was established in 1837 and is recognized as one of the fastest growing cities in the State of Georgia in both size and population. As the largest city in Liberty County, it serves as the county seat and is home to more than 35,000 people. For more information, visit cityofhinesville.org.

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