Dear Sheriff -

I am writing as a deeply concerned citizen about the ongoing sale of illegal THC products - commonly known as "gas station weed" - within our county. These intoxicating substances called names like Delta-8, Delta-10, THC-A, etc., are illegal under Mississippi law but continue to be sold openly at local gas stations and convenience stores.

On June 11, 2025, Attorney General Lynn Fitch wrote "Legality of Hemp Products for Human Ingestion and/or Consumption," confirming these non–FDA-approved products are prohibited under the Mississippi's Uniform Controlled Substances Law.

These illegal substances are unregulated, mislabeled, highly addictive, harmful, and easily accessible to the youth in our community.

Oxford and Brandon have recently taken decisive action to remove these products and enforce state law. Meanwhile, our community remains unprotected, putting public safety and youth health at risk. I urge your office to vigorously enforce the state law ensuring that these harmful and illegal substances are no longer sold in our community.

Your leadership and swift action on this matter would send a strong message: Our community's safety and health come first.

Thank you for your service and attention to this urgent concern.

Sincerely,