## RESOLUTION NO. 2022-H

A RESOLUTION WAIVING THE REQUIREMENT FOR COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND TO ALLOW THE CITY TO PURCHASE REPORTING MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the City of Hardy needs to purchase reporting management software for the City of Hardy Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City has an opportunity to purchase the reporting management software (RMS), including Mobile Data Information System (MDIS), and Evidence Hardware for \$34,732.00 from Southern Software, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2019-8 requires competitive bidding for any purchase exceeding \$20,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that this is an exceptional situation where competitive bidding is not feasible or practical to obtain the quality and value of the reporting management software (RMS), including Mobile Data Information System (MDIS), and Evidence Hardware.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HARDY, ARKANSAS:

Section 1: That the City of Hardy finds that competitive bidding should be waived since this is an exceptional situation and it is not feasible or practical to accept competitive bidding for the purchase of the reporting management software (RMS), including Mobile Data Information System (MDIS), and Evidence Hardware for the Police Department.

Section 2: That the City Council authorizes the Mayor to enter into an agreement to purchase the reporting management software (RMS), including Mobile Data Information System (MDIS), and Evidence Hardware for the Police Department from Southern Software, Inc. for a total purchase price of \$34,732.00.

APPROVED:

Ernie Rose, Mayor

ATTEST:

Darlene Wilson, Recorder/Treasurer

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