

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-4

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING BUSINESS WITH HUNTER MORRIS D/B/A SPRING RIVER LANDSCAPING, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code Annotated §14-42-107 provides that no alderman, council member, official, or municipal employee shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in the profits of any contract for furnishing supplies, equipment or services to the municipality unless the governing body of the city shall have enacted an ordinance specifically permitting aldermen, council member, official, or municipal employee to conduct business with the city and prescribing the extent of this authority, and

WHEREAS, on March 28, 2022 Steven R Morris began work as the Director of Public Works for the City of Hardy, and

WHEREAS, Steven R Morris' son, Hunter Morris, does business as Spring River Landscaping, and

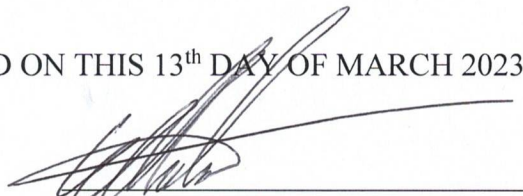
WHEREAS, Hunter Morris d/b/a Spring River Landscaping submitted a bid to provide landscaping duties to the City of Hardy and which has been accepted by the City Council on a temporary basis to determine whether or not to enter into a long term agreement.

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

Section 1: The City Council hereby approves the business relationship between the City and Hunter Morris d/b/a Spring River Landscaping.

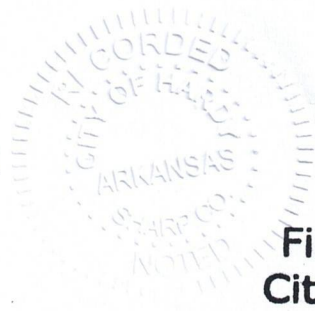
Section 2: It is further found that due to the immediate need to provide clarity to the existing ordinances, an emergency is declared to exist and this ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 13th DAY OF MARCH 2023.


ETHAN J. BARNES, MAYOR

ATTEST:


DARLENE WILSON, RECORDER-TREASURER



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City of Hardy, Arkansas
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