

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-6

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3.04 SECTION 3.04.01 AND 3.04.02 OF THE HARDY MUNICIPAL CODE OF ORDINANCES, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Hardy City Council, ("Council") finds it to be in the best interest of the City of Hardy ("City") to update the provisions governing purchases by the Mayor found in Chapter 3.04, Sections 3.04.01 and 3.04.02 of its Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor currently has the authority to purchase items and/or equipment for the City without competitive bidding if it does not exceed \$20,000.00.

WHEREAS, the Council seeks to increase that limit from \$20,000.00 to \$35,000.00 which reflects the amount allowed under A.C.A. §14-58-303.

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

Section 1: Chapter 3.04, Sections 3.04.01 and 3.04.02, of the City of Hardy, Code of Ordinances is amended to increase the amount the Mayor has to purchase all supplies, apparatus, equipment, materials and other things requisite for public purposes for the City without competitive bidding from Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) to Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00); and

Section 2: Severability Provision. If any part of this Ordinance is held invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance shall continue in effect as if such invalid portion never existed; and

Section 3: Repeal of Conflicting Provisions. All Ordinances, Resolutions, or Orders of the City Council, or parts of the same, in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict; and

Section 4: Emergency Clause. Being that it is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 14th **DAY OF** August **2023.**


Ethan J. Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:


Recorder-Treasurer

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