## RESOLUTION FOR CITY COUNCIL'S APPROVAL TO AMEND ORDINANCE 13-2022 THE "CLEAN PREMISE"

## VIOLATION AND ENFORCEMENT CODE - SECTION 3 PARTS A & B

DIAMOND CITY, BOONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

NO. 05-2024

THIS RESOLUTION, UPON APPROVAL BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY, WILL CHANGE THE AUTHORITY OF "CODE VIOLATION ENFORCEMENT" FROM THE DIAMOND CITY POLICE CHIEF AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT DEPUTIES TO THE DIAMOND CITY BUILDING INSPECTOR.

Whereas; The city's current authority rests with the Police Department and Police Chief specifically to Code Enforcement. This amendment will turn that authority over to the Building Inspector with the reasoning this department by method and scope is already involved in the violation process and familiar with said codes and ordinances.

Whereas; The Building Inspector is assigned as part of the Diamond City Planning and Zoning Commission who meets every month to address the issues pertaining to the City's mission to verify all work being done in the city conforms to the various codes, regulations, laws, ordinances and covenants set forth in the city development strategy.

Whereas; The need for this streamline process has been lacking in the past and going forward with the addition of Legal Representation, gives the Diamond City Planning & Zoning Commission the process of addressing the problem of Code Violations in a timely manner.

Whereas; Ordinance 13-2022 Section 3 - Parts A & B will now read:

## SECTION 3

- A. GENERAL: The property maintenance inspection duties are hereby given to the Diamond City Building Inspector as the Code Enforcement Division and the official in charge thereof shall be the City Building Inspector., In general terms, all personnel assigned to this division shall be known as the Code Official.
- B. BUILDING INSPECTOR: In accordance with the prescribed procedures of this jurisdiction and with the concurrence of the, the Building Inspector shall have the authority of enforcement of any and all code violations as the Code Official.

NOW THEREFORE BE RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY, BOONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS resolves to approve Resolution 05-2024 to change the authority of Code Violation Enforcement from the Diamond City Police Department to the Diamond City Planning & Zoning Commission Office of The Building Inspector.

Aye's \_\_\_\_\_ Nay's \_\_\_\_ Abstain / Absent \_\_\_\_

Approved and Adopted this 26th Day of December 2024

- Recorder

Jacob Glidewell - Mayor