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ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2022 QUOTA ORDINANCE (ORDINANCE NO. 9423) FOR THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City Council is responsible for establishing the number of employees in each department and on January 10, 2022, adopted Ordinance No. 9423, establishing job classifications and numbers of employees for each department of the City of North Little Rock for 2022 (amended by Ordinance No. 9434, adopted on February 28, 2022; and Ordinance 9441, adopted March 28, 2022); and

WHEREAS, by enacting an ordinance listing the numbers of employees in each job classification in each department for 2022, the City Council will be in a better position to monitor and evaluate the numbers of employees necessary to the operation of each city department; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the City Council that it is necessary from time to time to amend such ordinance to add or delete positions, to correct errors, reorganize departments, reclassify positions, re-title positions, and for other purposes, to increase the efficient operation of the City of North Little Rock; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Department has requested one (1) position be added.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That Section 28 of Ordinance No. 9423 is hereby amended as follows:

Editor's note: Changes are in **bold**; deletions are denoted in "**red**" by ~~strikethrough~~ and additions in "**blue**" by underline.

SECTION 14: That the Finance Department shall consist of ~~**seventeen**~~ **eighteen** (~~**17**~~ **18**) full-time employees as follows:

Chief Financial Officer, NEG – 1
Quotas for four (4) positions (Accountant-Senior, Accountant, Accounting Clerk III, and Assistant Payroll Specialist) may be reallocated among the positions according to the training and experience of employees and the needs of the department.
Accountant, Senior, NG– 1
Accountant, F11-1
Accounting Clerk III, F06A – 1
Assistant Payroll Specialist, F08A –1
Accounting Clerk, Senior, F07A-4
Assistant Chief Financial Officer, NEG – 1
Payroll Manager, NEG – 1
Payroll Specialist, F10A – 1

Comptroller, NG – 1
Accounts Payable Supervisor, F10A – 1
Office Assistant III, F05 –3
Grants Manager, NG –1, add one position

SECTION 2: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3: That the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any section, phrase or provision shall be declared or held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remainder of the sections, phrases or provisions.

SECTION 4: That the City Council has determined that the interests of the City and City employees can best be served by the adoption of this ordinance; THEREFORE, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED:

APPROVED:

Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

SPONSOR:

Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

ATTEST:

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/kt

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By M. Miller
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Diane Whitbey, City Clerk & Treasurer
North Little Rock, Arkansas

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