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ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2022 QUOTA ORDINANCE (ORDINANCE NO. 9423) FOR CERTAIN CITY DEPARTMENTS; 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; Ordinance No. 9441, adopted March 28, 2022; Ordinance No. 9450, adopted April 25, 2022; Ordinance No. 9469, adopted June 13, 2022; and Ordinance No. 9502, adopted September 12, 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 Community Planning Department has requested that any two (2) City Planner and Inspector positions be adjustable; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department has requested two (2) positions be added and one (1) position be changed to reflect paygrade change.

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

SECTION 1: That Section 9 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 9: That the Community Planning Department shall consist of thirteen (13) full-time employees as follows:

Director, NEG – 1
Assistant Planning Director, NG – 1
City Planner, NG – 2
Adjust two (2) positions between City Planner and Inspector according to the training and experience of employees, vacancies and the needs of the department.
Geographic Information Systems Specialist, F10 – 1
Administrative Secretary, F06A – 1

Office Assistant III, F05 – 1
Office Assistant Senior, F05A-1
Building Official, F10 – 1
Chief Building Inspector, F08A – 1
Chief Electrical Inspector, F08A – 1
Chief Plumbing & Gas Inspector, F08A – 1
Chief Mechanical Inspector, F08A – 1

SECTION 2: That Section 12 of Ordinance No. 9423 is hereby amended as follows:

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SECTION 24: That the Police Department shall consist of two hundred forty five (245) (**one position will be deleted after Property/Evidence Custodian is filled**) full-time employees (201 uniformed and 39 non-uniformed) and ~~**five**~~ **six** (~~**5**~~ **6**) part-time employees as follows:

Uniformed:
Chief, NEG – 1
Assistant Chief, NG – 1
Captain, X04 - 4
Lieutenant, X03 –10
Sergeant, X02 - 25
Police Officer, X01 – 160

Non-uniformed:
Administrative Secretary F06A- 4
Automated Systems Assistant, F05 – 1
Community Service Assistant, F05 – 2
Community Service Assistant II, F07 – 8
Court Bailiff, F10 –3
Executive Secretary, NG - 1
Fleet Maintenance/Inventory Manager, ~~F08~~ NG – 1, paygrade change
FOIA Specialist, F08A – 1
Media Production Specialist, F09A – 1
Office Assistant III, F05 – 8
Support Service Manager, F11 – 1
Payroll Accounting Clerk, NG – 1
Secretary III, F05A –3,
Victim's Advocate, F09 – 1
Police Athletic League Director, F09A- 1
Property/Evidence Custodian, NG- 1, add one position
Traffic Safety Coordinator, F09 – 2
Cold Case Investigator, Part-time, HRLY – 4
Criminal Analyst, Part-Time-HRLY-1
Mental Health and Wellness Counselor, Part-Time-HRLY- 1, add one position

SECTION 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 4: 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 5: 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:

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APPROVED:

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Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

SPONSOR:

Terry C. Hartwick
Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

ATTEST:

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Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/kt

FILED _____ A.M. _____ P.M.

By _____

DATE _____

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk & Treasurer
North Little Rock, Arkansas

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