ORDINANCE NO. 2025 – 2

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BAXTER COUNTY, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING THE BAXTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AS THE COLLECTOR OF ALL FINES ASSESSED IN CIRCUIT COURT AND ALL COUNTY FINES ASSESSED IN DISTRICT COURT.

Article 1: <u>Affirmation.</u> This court affirms that Act 1262 of 1995, Section 9, of the Arkansas General Assembly requires that each county quorum court designate a county official, agency, department, or private contractor to be responsible for the collection of fines assessed upon defendants in the circuit courts of the state of Arkansas; and

Article 2: <u>Designation.</u> ACA 16-13-709 (2) (A) requires "that each governing body of a political subdivision which contributes to the expenses of a district court shall designate a county, town, or city official, agency, or department who shall be primarily responsible for the collection of fines assessed in the district courts of the state of Arkansas."

Article 3: <u>Agreement.</u> The Baxter County Sheriff's Office has agreed to continue serving as the collector of all such fines assessed in the Circuit Court and all County fines assessed in the District Court of Baxter County.

Article 4: Intent. It is the intent that the Baxter County Sheriff's Office is hereby designated as the collector of all fines assessed in the Circuit Court and all County fines assessed in District Court of Baxter County for fiscal year 2025.

Article 5: Effective Date. This Ordinance is to amend and update Baxter County Code § 210.00 and be codified therein effective immediately upon its passage by the quorum court.

APPROVED:
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KEVIN LITTY, COUNTY JUDGE Date Signed: 1-7-25

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