## **MOUNTAIN HOME CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2024 @ 5 P.M. COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING 720 HICKORY STREET, MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS

Pledge of Allegiance Prayer Roll call Minutes from the July 18<sup>th</sup> Council meeting Committee reports Bank reconciliations Agenda additions Announcements



**OLD BUSINESS** 

## **NEW BUSINESS**

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS, TO UTILIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE & TOURISM OUTDOOR RECREATION MATCHING FUNDS GRANT, presented by Daniel Baxley

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME TO ATTACH LIENS TO CERTAIN PROPERTIES LOCATED AT THE ADDRESSES SPECIFIED IN THIS RESOLUTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING MONIES WHICH ARE OWED THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME FOR ENFORCEMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 2020-20, presented by Roger Morgan

AN ORDINANCE TO UPDATE THE MOUNTAIN HOME CITY CODE BY REPEALING OUTDATED AND ANTIQUATED SECTIONS OF CODE; TO REPEAL AND REMOVE SECTIONS 2.60 "PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD," 4.20 "TAXI FRANCHISE," AND 9.20 "STREET CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR" FROM THE MOUNTAIN HOME CITY CODE; TO REPEAL ORDINANCES 1991-12, 1995-01, 2002-22, 2002-23, 2004-24, 2004-34 AND 2007-21, presented by Scott Liles

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE RETAIL SELLING, MANUFACTURE, SHOOTING, OR DISCHARGING OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN

# HOME, ARKANSAS; REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2003-24 AND ORDINANCE NO. 2023-41, presented by Scott Liles and Shawn Lofton

## **COMMENTS**

# ADJOURN

Respectfully submitted, Scott Liles, City Clerk

### MINUTES REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING – Thursday, July 18th, 2024

- The Mountain Home City Council met in regular session on July 18, 2024, in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building. Mayor Hillrey Adams called the meeting to order at 5 p.m.
- <u>CITY OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE</u> Mayor Hillrey Adams, City Clerk Scott Liles, City Attorney Roger Morgan, Planning Director Arnold Knox, Police Chief Eddie Griffin, Fire Chief Kris Quick, and Parks Director Daniel Baxley.
- 3. <u>MEDIA IN ATTENDANCE</u> Caroline Spears of the Baxter Bulletin.
- 4. <u>ROLL CALL</u> Following the Pledge of Allegiance and an invocation, the following Council members were present for the roll call: Susan Stockton, Jennifer Baker, Wayne Almond, Paige Evans, Carry Manuel, Jim Bodenhamer and Nick Reed. Council member Bob Van Haaren was absent.
- <u>APPROVAL OF THE JUNE 20<sup>th</sup> MINUTES</u> Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to approve the minutes from the Council's June 20th meeting. Council member Susan Stockton seconded the motion. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes All present, Absent Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried, and the June 20th minutes were adopted.*
- 6. <u>RECOGNITION OF PARKS EMPLOYEES</u> Before getting into the meeting's New Business, Mayor Hillrey Adams wished to take a moment to recognize Parks Department employees Rosie Harris and Andy Willet for recently graduating from North Arkansas College in Harrison with their Associate of Applied Science degrees in turf management. The Parks employees attended classes on their own time and completed 288 hours of class time to earn their degrees. Grants were used to fund the pair's tuition, meaning the City was not out any expense on the expanding the employees' education. Parks Director Daniel Baxley presented Harris and Willet with plaques noting their associate's degrees and added that the Department has three more employees enrolled in the turn management program at NAC that start classes in August.
- 7. MOUNTAIN HOME PARKS OUTDOORS FOCUS GROUP Parks Director Daniel Baxley also introduced the members of the Mountain Home Parks outdoors focus group to the City Council. One of the grants that the Parks Department is currently applying for gives extra consideration if the City has a focus group to help the City envision its long-term plans for its outdoors area and parks, so the City has assembled Thomas Chilton (District 2 fisheries supervisor for the Arkansas Game & Fish Commission), Heather Pitman (facility manager for the Fred Berry Conservation Center), Larry Forrester (volunteer from the CAST for Kids event) and Patty Lueken (North Arkansas Fly Fishing Association president) from the community to serve on the outdoors focus group. Council member Susan Stockton has

volunteered to serve as the Council's representative on the group, which will meet once a month through the lifetime of the grant.

### 8. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

**DISCUSSION ON OPIOID SETTLEMENT WITH KROGER COMPANY** City Attorney Roger Morgan introduced this item to the Council, which involved a possible settlement agreement between numerous municipalities and the Kroger grocery chain over ongoing opioid lawsuits. The proposed settlement would be nationwide, and the Arkansas Municipal League recommends that cities agree to participate in the settlement. Under the settlement, damages would be awarded based on how cities in each state may participate. Morgan said that no one was sure exactly how much money the City would receive in the agreement, but that any money would be beneficial. Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to allow the mayor to sign the settlement agreement on behalf of the City and was seconded by Council member Jim Bodenhamer. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried, and the Mayor was allowed to sign on to the settlement on behalf of the City.* 

## <u>A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE EFFORTS BY THE ARKANSAS GAME & FISH</u> COMMISSION TO RENAME A PORTION OF W. 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET "NATURAL RESOURCES WAY"

If approved, this Resolution would express the City's support in the Arkansas Game & Fish Commission's desire to rename part of W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street to "Natural Resources Drive" like several other AGFC offices around the state, including the department's headquarters in Little Rock. The portion of W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street to be renamed would begin at the interception of Main Street and W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street and continue west until the street becomes Crescent Street behind the current Mountain Home Police Department building/soon-to-be Arkansas Game & Fish Commission office. Mayor Hillrey Adams noted that the Postal Service and Baxter County 911 would continue to use W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street as a "ghost address" so that mail service would not be disrupted by the name change. Council member Carry Manuel made a motion to adopt the Resolution and was seconded by Council member Susan Stockton. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – Susan Stockton, Wayne Almond, Paige Evans, Carry Manuel, Jim Bodenhamer and Nick Reed, No – Jennifer Baker, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The Resolution was declared adopted and numbered Resolution No. 2024-18.* 

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CONTRACTED WATER RATES BETWEEN THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME WATER DEPARTMENT AND WHOLESALE PURCHASERS, AS OUTLINED IN ORDINANCE NO. 599 SECTION 8 AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NO. 01-21, 03-12, 2005-42, 2006-28, 2007-24, 2008-21, 2009-13, 2010-22, 2011-10, 2012–6, 2013–7, 2014– 11, 2016-13, 2019-28, 2020-32, 2021-21, 2022-25, 2023-31 If approved, this Ordinance would adjust the amount the City charges to its wholesale water customers, which include the Northeast Lakeside Water Authority and the Midway/Lakeview Water Authority. The cities of Gassville and Cotter, while not regular wholesale customers, are also able to purchase water from Mountain Home in the event of an emergency. The City's wholesale water rate contract allows for a yearly review and price adjustment based on the operation expenses of delivering water to customers. The proposed increases would NOT affect customers of the municipal water system, just the wholesale customers. City Attorney Roger Morgan placed the proposed Ordinance on its first reading in its entirety.

**SECOND READING** After the item's first reading, Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to suspend the rules and place the item on its second reading by title only. Council member Nick Reed seconded that motion. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried and the proposed Ordinance was read a second time.* 

**THIRD READING** Following the second reading, Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to suspend the rules and place the item on its third reading by title only and drew a second from Council member Nick Reed. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried and the proposed Ordinance was read a third time.* 

**ADOPTION** Following the item's third reading, Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to adopt the proposed Ordinance and was seconded by Council member Susan Stockton. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The Ordinance was declared adopted and numbered Ordinance No. 2024-12.* 

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE** Following the adoption of Ordinance No. 2024-12, Council member Jennifer Baker made a motion to attach the City's Emergency Clause to the item so that it immediately went into effect. Council member Nick Reed seconded that motion. *The vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried and the Emergency Clause was adopted for Ordinance No. 2024-12.* 

ANNOUNCEMENT ON CLEANUP ORDINANCE ADDRESSING STREET CONSTRUCTION, TAXI CAB FRANCHISE AND PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD City Clerk Scott Liles announced publicly that next meeting the Council will consider a cleanup Ordinance repealing three different sections of City Code. Those entries involve a nonexistent Public Facilities Board, an inactive taxicab franchise and language addressing street construction. Liles said he has presented the proposed Ordinance to various Council members through committee meetings, but since the Council had no established committee to specifically consider such legislation, he wished to announce the Ordinance publicly. Anyone interested in learning more about the Code sections to be repealed was encouraged to reach out to the City Clerk's office.

**RESULTS OF FUNDRAISERS TO HELP TORNADO VICTIMS** Mayor Hillrey Adams reported that the two local fundraisers held on July 12 to help victims of the May tornadoes raised between \$75,000 and \$80,000. A total of 1,000 smoked chickens were sold at the lunchtime fundraiser, and almost 400 pork steaks were sold at the dinnertime fundraiser/auction. Families affected by the tornado are encouraged to visit the Food Bank of North Central Arkansas by August 9<sup>th</sup> to complete an application for financial assistance. The funds will first be used to help non- or under-insured area residents.

### 9. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the council, Council member Susan Stockton made a motion to adjourn the meeting and drew a second from Council member Nick Reed. A voice vote was recorded as follows: Yes – All present, Absent – Bob Van Haaren. The motion carried, and Mayor Hillrey Adams then declared the meeting adjourned at 5:25 p.m.

HILLREY ADAMS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK

Street Committee Meeting July 16, 2024 – 12:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p.m.

Present were Scott Manchester, Assistant Director of Streets; Jim Bodenhamer, Susan Stockton, Paige Evans and Jennifer Baker, Committee members; and Scott Liles, City Clerk.

Also attending were Deborah and Jackie Edmonds, residents of W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street in Mountain Home. They previously voiced their concern to Jim about the proposed renaming of their street. Jim invited them to speak to the rest of the Committee about this issue. Ms. Edmonds told the Committee she had been offended that nobody came to speak with her, and she had read in the paper the City Council was going to change the name of W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street to Natural Resources Way at the meeting on July 18. She told the Committee the Mayor had mentioned it to her husband, Jackie, but he hadn't spoken to her about it. She told the Committee, this street has been W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street since approximately February 20, 1948. She has concerns about the work involved to change an address, the man hours that must be spent, and she understands there are mostly businesses on this street, and it is a tourist district also. She said there are flyers, business cards these places may have stocked which the address will have to be changed or reprinted. She continued, credit cards, insurance cards, etc. come in the mail. She said she spoke with the post office about the process of changing a street name; the man she spoke with said it was pretty easy once it

got into the system but couldn't tell her *how long* it would take to get into the system. Jennifer asked where it would be named from, Jim said from Main Street (62B) to the police station. Ms. Edmonds said it would go just past her house, which was Crescent Drive. She said she spoke to her neighbors, and they had not been notified of this change either. There was a lengthy discussion along with options between the Committee and the Edmonds', and Jim invited them to attend the Council Meeting on Thursday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, to voice their concerns, since it is on the agenda for Thursday's meeting.

The Street Report for June 2024 was reviewed.

Scott reported the steel for the gymnasium at the Community Center has been delivered, concrete is being poured on the gym floor today. The contractors are digging the pools out at this time. He said the total amount spent after the \$283,144.09 reimbursement from General is at \$1,054,212.83. Jennifer asked if we were done out there; Scott said at this time, we are working on the retention pond in the back. She asked what all the Street Department did out there. The building pads were built by the street department, which includes the gymnasium, the Community Center building, the pools; the footings for all buildings and pools; basically, all the dirt work and the parking lots were built, so all workers have somewhere to park vehicles and materials. He added, there parking lots and a road that goes all the way around, but that will be later.

Both North Church Street and Morris Street have been completed at a cost of \$184,811.25 and \$151,738.71, respectively.

The sidewalks, curb and guttering and landscaping has been completed at E. 6<sup>th</sup> Street. The Maintenance crew is over there digging out to prepare for new asphalt. There are a lot of utilities to dig around, so it is taking longer. The total cost to date at E. 6<sup>th</sup> Street is \$193,804.66.

The cost of the new Fire Department building is \$253,054.34. This total does not include the cost of dirt work and filling in at that location. The amount of \$71,869.17 had been previously reimbursed to the Street Department for work 11/2/2020 through 3/30/2023. Total cost including the past paid amount is \$324,923.51.

The brush collection from the storm at the end of May has been completed at a cost of \$111,894.72. Crews picked up 385 loads of brush totaling 2,584 cubic yards. The total cost that will be reported to FEMA, between street, parks and water/sewer is \$140,025.70. The City will be reimbursed 75% of this cost from FEMA.

Maintenance for the month of June totaled \$41,657.40.

Scott reported the traffic light at 6<sup>th</sup> and Main St. is up and running.

The Budget looks good with no changes needed.

The Street Department received three new ½ ton trucks this week, and the two new dump trucks that were ordered are scheduled to be received in November. Two employees on one crew have left; one returned to Colorado due to a family emergency, the other has gone back to school. There will be two new employees starting soon, Scott reported.

Susan mentioned the Computer Operating Expense line item in the Budget was over and it was discussed this was due to the software licenses at the beginning of the year. That will be adjusted with money transferred from another line item.

Scott also reported, after discussion with Arnold, the intersection of 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Leatherwood will be changed to a 4-way stop. Currently, the intersection is a 2-way stop with signs on 1<sup>st</sup> Street. There is through traffic on Leatherwood, and it needs to be made a 4-way with the current amount of traffic at that location. Susan said that will really help.

Scott Liles reported some changes to the Municipal Code and what was required.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:05 p.m.



The meeting was called to order at 2:00pm, by Wayne Almond, in Council Chambers.

### **Committee members**

Committee Chairman Wayne Almond - Present Jim Bodenhamer – Present Carry Manuel – Present Bob Van Haaren - Present

### **City officials**

Mayor Hillrey Adams Fire Chief Kris Quick Police Chief Eddie Griffin City Clerk Scott Liles

**POLICE/FIRE REPORTS** Fire Chief Kris Quick and Police Chief Eddie Griffin delivered their monthly reports and figures to the Committee. Chief Quick advised the tornado siren is shipping on 07/17/2024 and will be starting the process to replace the old one soon. There are two fire engines out of service. Chief Griffin advised the red, white, and blue events went well. Mark Bertel's demolition crew and the work release inmates have been working at the new police department. K9, Mick, has located another elderly subject that was lost. This is Mick's third person to locate. Mick is also working great assisting the officers in drug arrests. The new tasers have been distributed.

**FIREWORK ORDINANCE** A new firework ordinance will be presented to the council on August 1, without an emergency clause.

ADJOURN With no more business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 2:24 pm

NEXT MEETING Will be held on August 20, 2024, at 2 pm. in Council Chambers.

**Public Safety Meeting** 

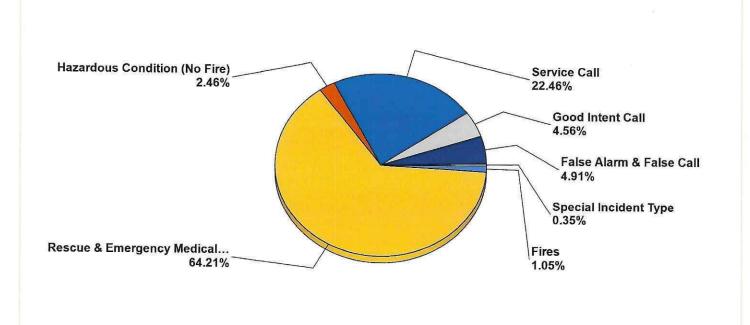
July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

- Still waiting for the Tornado Siren. It's supposed to be shipped on the 17<sup>th</sup> and then we will have to schedule it with NAEC to get it put up.
- We have had two fire engines down: Eng. 4 has an issue with the foot throttle not working. It's been in and out of Baker Truck Shop trying to figure out what's wrong. Eng.
   had to have brakes put on it. Eng. 2 is back in service now.
- 3. In June 2024, we had 285 runs. In June 2023, we had 274 runs. This shows an increase of 11 more runs in comparison to June of last year. In 2024, we have had 1793 runs from January to the end of June. In 2023, we had 1623 runs from January to the end of June. That is 170 more runs this year as compared to last year.

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Breakdown by Major Incident Types for Date Range Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 06/01/2024 | End Date: 06/30/2024



MAJOR INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
Fires	3	1.05%
Rescue & Emergency Medical Service	183	64.21%
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	7	2.46%
Service Call	64	22.46%
Good Intent Call	13	4.56%
False Alarm & False Call	14	4.91%
Special Incident Type	1	0.35%
TOTAL	285	100%

Only REVIEWED and/or LOCKED IMPORTED incidents are included. Summary results for a major incident type are not displayed if the count is zero.



INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
111 - Building fire	1	0.35%
113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	1	0.35%
143 - Grass fire	1	0.35%
300 - Rescue, EMS incident, other	1	0.35%
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	173	60.7%
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	5	1.75%
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	4	1.4%
100 - Hazardous condition, other	1	0.35%
112 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	3	1.05%
143 - Breakdown of light ballast	1	0.35%
145 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	2	0.33%
500 - Service Call, other	2	0.7%
550 - Public service assistance, other	2	0.7%
552 - Police matter	1	0.35%
553 - Public service	2	0.33%
554 - Assist invalid	57	20%
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	6	2.11%
522 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	4	1.4%
331 - Authorized controlled burning	2	0.7%
651 - Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1	0.35%
700 - False alarm or false call, other	1	0.35%
721 - Bomb scare - no bomb	1	0.35%
731 - Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1	0.35%
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	3	1.05%
734 - Heat detector activation due to malfunction	1	0.35%
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	1	0.35%
743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	2	0.35%
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	4	1.4%
011 - Citizen complaint	1	0.35%
TOTAL INCIDENTS:	285	100%

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## Incident Type Count per Station for Date Range

Start Date: 06/01/2024 | End Date: 06/30/2024

INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS					
ation: ST1 - STATION 1						
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	128					
443 - Breakdown of light ballast	1					
445 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	1					
500 - Service Call, other	2					
550 - Public service assistance, other	2					
553 - Public service	1					
554 - Assist invalid	47					
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	1					
622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	1					
700 - False alarm or false call, other	1					
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	2					
# Incidents for ST1 - Station *	1: 187					

300 - Rescue, EMS incident, other	1
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	45
552 - Police matter	1
553 - Public service	1
554 - Assist invalid	10
911 - Citizen complaint	1
# Incidents for ST2 - Station 2:	59

# Incidents for	ST2 - Station 2:
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111 - Building fire	1
113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	1
143 - Grass fire	1
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	5
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	4
400 - Hazardous condition, other	1
412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	3
445 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	1
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	5
622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	3
631 - Authorized controlled burning	2
651 - Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1
721 - Bomb scare - no bomb	1

Only REVIEWED incidents included.



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INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS		
731 - Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1		
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1		
734 - Heat detector activation due to malfunction	1		
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	1		
743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	2		
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	4		
# Incidents for ST4 - ST-1/ST-2 :	39		

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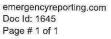
## **Incident Statistics**

Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 06/01/2023 | End Date: 06/30/2023

	INCID	ENT COUNT			
	ENT TYPE	# INCID	ENTS		
	EMS	17	175		
	FIRE	99			
T	OTAL	27	4		
		SPORTS (N2 and N3)			
APPARATUS	# of APPARATUS TRANSPORTS	# of PATIENT TRANSPORTS	TOTAL # of PATIEN CONTACTS		
TOTAL					
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\$15	0,000.00	\$75,00	0.00		
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Station		EMS	FIRE		
ST-1/ST-2	(	0:05:37	0:08:26		
Station 1	(	05:26			
Station 2	(	0:04:26	0:03:50		
	AVEF	RAGE FOR ALL CALLS	0:05:23		
LIC		TURNOUT TIME (Dispatch to Enro			
Station		EMS			
ST-1/ST-2			FIRE		
		0:01:58	0:04:16		
		0:01:50			
Station 2		0:01:40	0:00:04		
		RAGE FOR ALL CALLS	0:01:58		
	ENCY	AVERAGE TIME ON	SCENE (MM:SS)		
Mountain Hom	e Fire Department	13:5	7		

Only Reviewed Incidents included. EMS for Incident counts includes only 300 to 399 Incident Types. All other incident types are counted as FIRE. CO Checks only includes Incident Types: 424, 736 and 734. # Apparatus Transports = # of incidents where apparatus transported. # Patient Transports = All patients transported by EMS. # Patient Contacts = # of PCR contacted by apparatus. This report now returns both NEMSIS 2 & 3 data as appropriate. For overlapping calls that span over multiple days, total per month will not equal Total count for year.







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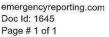
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Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 06/01/2024 | End Date: 06/30/2024

	INCID	ENT COUNT	
	INT TYPE	# INCID	ENTS
	EMS	18	
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		SPORTS (N2 and N3)	
APPARATUS	# of APPARATUS TRANSPORTS	# of PATIENT TRANSPORTS	TOTAL # of PATIENT CONTACTS
TOTAL			
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		CHECKS	
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	MUTUAL A	ND	
	Туре	Tot	al
Aid	Given	6	
		PPING CALLS	
	LAPPING	% OVERL	APPING
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Station		EMS	FIRE
ST-1/ST-2	(	):04:47	0:06:25
Station 1	(	5:37 0:05:14	
Station 2	(	0:04:20	
	AVEF	RAGE FOR ALL CALLS	0:05:21
LIG	HTS AND SIREN - AVERAGE	TURNOUT TIME (Dispatch to Enro	ute)
Station		EMS	FIRE
ST-1/ST-2	(	02:12 0:02:26	
Station 1		):02:11	0:02:45
Station 2		0:01:59	0.02.70
		RAGE FOR ALL CALLS	0:02:08
AG	ENCY	AVERAGE TIME ON	
Mountain Home	e Fire Department	13:0	

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### Daily Log Items per Personnel for Activity Code for Personnel

Activity Codes: Alarm - Alarm Response, BSR - Create Building Survey, Burn - Burning permit, Burn Pile/ Dozer Deck - Inspect burn pile or dozer deck for burn request, Class - Classroom and 26 more | Personnel: Lofton, Shawn | Start Time: 00:00 | End Time: 23:00 | Start Date: 06/01/2024 | End Date: 06/30/2024

START	END	LOG TYPE	APPARATUS	NOTES	HOURS
ofton, Shawn					
06/03/2024 07:50:00	06/03/2024 08:30:00	INSPECTION	1	An inspection was completed for Hilltop Church by Lofton, Shawn	0.67
06/03/2024 08:30:00	06/03/2024 09:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for First Baptist Church by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 08:30:00	06/03/2024 09:30:00	INSPECTION	1	An inspection was completed for First Baptist Church Christian Life Center by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 09:30:00	06/03/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Area Agency on Aging by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 09:30:00	06/03/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Baxter House Adult House by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 09:30:00	06/03/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Van Matre Senior Center by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 09:30:00	06/03/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Mtn. Home Ball Park Conc. (Lester White Field) by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 09:30:00	06/03/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Mountain Home City Pool by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/03/2024 10:30:00	06/03/2024 11:00:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for L.C. Sammons Youth Center by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/03/2024 13:00:00	06/03/2024 13:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Mountain Home Community of Christ by Lofton, Shawn	0.75
06/03/2024 14:00:00	06/03/2024 14:56:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Chenal Family Therapy PLC by Lofton, Shawn	0.93
06/05/2024 07:15:00	06/05/2024 07:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Open Arms Learning Cntr. Infant by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 07:15:00	06/05/2024 07:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Open Arms Learning Center by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 07:50:00	06/05/2024 08:10:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Bible Tabernacle by Lofton, Shawn	0.33
06/05/2024 08:15:00	06/05/2024 08:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 09:15:00	06/05/2024 09:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for O'Reilly Automotive by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 09:45:00	06/05/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for The Dels by Lofton, Shawn	0.75
06/05/2024 10:35:00	06/05/2024 10:55:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Dairy Queen by Lofton, Shawn	0.33
06/05/2024 11:00:00	06/05/2024 11:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Noah's Ark Preschool by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 11:09:13	06/05/2024 11:15:53	INCIDENT	207	Incident 2024-1537 - Dispatched & cancelled en route: Apparatus 207 responded to 624 HOSPITAL DR	0.10
06/05/2024 11:30:00	06/05/2024 12:00:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Word of Life Church by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/05/2024 11:30:00	06/05/2024 12:00:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Word of Life Church Pastor Office/ Youth Entertainment by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/06/2024 09:54:41	06/06/2024 10:21:33	INCIDENT	207	Incident 2024-1549 - Breakdown of light ballast: Apparatus 207 responded to 1600 S COLLEGE ST	0.45
06/07/2024 10:00:00	06/07/2024 10:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Kentucky Fried Chicken by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/07/2024 10:30:00	06/07/2024 10:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Dunham's Sports by Lofton, Shawn	0.25
06/07/2024 11:00:00	06/07/2024 11:15:00	INSPECTION	1	An inspection was completed for Fontenot's by Lofton, Shawn	0.25
06/07/2024 11:20:00	06/07/2024 11:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Mont Thai by Lofton, Shawn	0.17
06/12/2024 08:00:00	06/12/2024 08:30:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for EZ Mart #113 by Lofton, Shawn	0.50
06/12/2024 08:40:00	06/12/2024 09:00:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Bob Davis Veterans Center by Lofton, Shawn	0.33
06/12/2024 09:15:00	06/12/2024 10:15:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Town & Country Supermarket by Lofton, Shawn	1.00
06/13/2024 14:28:24	06/13/2024 14:49:29	INCIDENT	207	Incident 2024-1612 - Heat detector activation due to malfunction: Apparatus 207 responded to 1600 S COLLEGE ST	0.35
06/14/2024 06:54:30	06/14/2024 07:14:41	INCIDENT	207	Incident 2024-1620 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG): Apparatus 207 responded to 1007 HWY 62 W	0.33
06/14/2024 08:00:00	06/14/2024 08:15:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for The Bridge Baptist Church by Lofton, Shawn	0.25

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START	END	LOG TYPE	APPARATUS	NOTES	HOURS
06/21/2024 08:00:00	06/21/2024 08:15:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Holy Smokes Rib House & Catering by Lofton, Shawn	
06/21/2024 09:00:00	06/21/2024 09:15:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for The Bridge Baptist Church by Lofton, Shawn	
06/21/2024 09:40:00	06/21/2024 10:00:00	INSPECTION		An Inspection was completed for Town & Country Supermarket by Lofton, Shawn	
06/21/2024 11:30:00	06/21/2024 11:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints by Lofton, Shawn	
06/25/2024 07:30:00	06/25/2024 07:45:00	INSPECTION		An inspection was completed for Chili's Restaurant by Lofton, Shawn	0.25
				Total Hours for: Lofton, Shawn	20.57
				Total of all Damagnal Harra	00.57
				Total of all Personnel Hours	20.57

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# PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE 07/16/2024

- Red, White and Blue events were successful with much of the department helping to cover the needs of the department.
- Demolition has started at the new police department. Mark Bertel donated a crew to help with demolition. Also, inmates from Baxter County Jail have assisted with demolition.
- K-9 Mic and Corporal Morrell has had another impressive month. They located an elderly man that was lost, this was their third successful track of this type this year. They also had a significant drug arrest this month.
- Officers are now equipped with the new Taser 10.
- Statistics
  - Criminal Investigation Division (CID)
  - Code Enforcement
  - Patrol Division
  - School Resource Officer Division (SRO)
  - Uniform Code Report (UCR)
  - Nature Code Report (Dispatch)



Detective Classification Assigned/Cleared Dates From 06/01/2024 Through 06/30/2024

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Classification	Count	% To Total	Assigned	Cleared
ARSON	1	1.67	1	0
ASSAULT-F	1	1.67	1	1
ASSAULT-M	1	1.67	1	1
ASSIST OTHER AGENCY	1	1.67	1	1
BATTERY-F	1	1.67	1	1
BATTERY-M	2	3.33	0	0
BREAKING OR ENTERING BUILDING	1	1.67	1	2
BREAKING OR ENTERING FROM VEHI	2	3.33	2	6
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF-M	2	3.33	2	5
DEATH INVESTIGATION-MURDER	1	1.67	1	0
DEATH INVESTIGATIONNATURAL	1	1.67	1	1
DELIVERY OF CONTROLLED SUBSTAN	1	1.67	0	15
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	1	1.67	1	1
FRAUD	2	3.33	2	4
HARASSMENT	2	3.33	2	4
INCIDENT	7	11.67	6	3
INTERFER W/CUSTODY	1	1.67	1	0
POSS OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE-F	6	10.00	5	5
POSSESSION OF FIREARMS BY CERT	1	1.67	1	1
RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY	2	3.33	2	3
SEXUAL ASSAULT-F	1	1.67	1	0
TERRORISTIC THREATENING	2	3.33	2	3
THEFT-F	4	6.67	4	18
THEFT-M	12	20.00	11	19
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF VEHICLE	1	1.67	1	1
VIOLATION OF PROTECTION ORDER	3	5.00	3	3

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		Detective Classification Assigned/Cleared Dates From 06/01/2024 Through 06/30/2024 Page				
Classification		Count	% To Total	Assigned	Cleared	
	Reported Cases	60		54	98	

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Activity Summary - By Activity Type - Patrol Dates From 06/01/2024 Through 06/30/2024

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Description	Count
FUNERAL ESCORT	4
WELFARE CHECK	74
OTHER DEPARTMENT ARREST	4
MOTORIST ASSIST	15
OFFICER ASSIST	258
PARK CHECK	560
BREATH TEST ADMINISTERED	3
RESIDENT ASSIST	5
CRIMINAL ARREST	43
TRAFFIC ARREST	14
ANIMAL CALL	19
TRAINING	27
DRUG ARREST	3
WARRANT OF ARREST	30
SUBPOENA	3
ANIMAL CALL / TRAPS	14
COURT APPEARANCE	5
OTHER DISTURBANCE	16
ALARM CALL	40
ON DUTY SECURITY	1
CITIZEN CONTACT	24
BUILDING CHECK	100
INCIDENT / OFFENSE REPORT	119
FINGERPRINT	5
SEARCH - VEHICLE	21
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	12
MEDICAL ASSIST	41
SECURED WEAPONS	222
VEHICLE / EQUIPMENT INSPECTION / MAINTENANCE	194
OTHER PUBLIC SERVICE	72
TRAFFIC STOP	280
ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION	54
WARNING GIVEN	241
VEHICLE UNLOCK	65
ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES	101
FIRE DEPARTMENT ASSIST	14

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Description	Count
SEARCH - K9	19
COMPLAINT	344

Count: 3066



# Activity Summary - By Activity Type - SRO

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Activity / Event	Count	% To Total
Accidents - Parking Lot	0	0.00
Accidents - Pedestrian/Vehicle	0	0.00
Accidents - Property Damage	0	0.00
Accidents - Street	0	0.00
Administrative Duties	4	6.56
Alcohol Arrest - (notate citation # in note section)	0	0.00
Assist F. D.	0	0.00
Assist Other Agency	0	0.00
Assist School Admin.	0	0.00
Athletic Event (Other) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Baseball Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Basketball Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Classes Given	14	22.95
Classroom Activity	0	0.00
Classroom Lectures - MHPS	0	0.00
Classroom Lectures - Public	0	0.00
Consultation - Female Students	0	0.00
Consultation - Male Students	0	0.00
Consultation - Parents	0	0.00
Court Appearances	0	0.00
Criminal Arrest - (notate citation # in note section)	0	0.00
DRE - call out/investigation	0	0.00
Drug Arrest - (notate citation # in note section)	0	0.00
Faculty Assist - (MHPS)	0	0.00
Football Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Incident Report - (notate report # in note section)	0	0.00
K-9 Training (Monthly)	2	3.28
Medical Assist	0	0.00
Meetings - Department/City Wide (only)	0	0.00

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# Activity Summary - By Activity Type - SRO

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Meetings - Other	0	
	-	0.00
Meetings - School	0	0.00
Meetings - SRO Divisional	3	4.92
MHPS Building or Property Perimeter Check	0	0.00
Miscellaneous	0	0.00
Motorist Assist	0	0.00
Offense Report - (notate report # in note section)	0	0.00
Officer Assist	0	0.00
Public Service	0	0.00
Referrals/Other agency assist	0	0.00
Soccer Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Softball Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Special Events - Non Athletic	3	4.92
Time Off - Bereavement - (+ 1 for each day off - notate hrs in note section)	0	0.00
Time Off - Comp (+1 for each day off - notate hrs in the note section)	1	1.64
Time Off - Personal Day - (+1 for each day off - notate hrs in note section)	0	0.00
Time Off - Sick - (+1 for each day off - notate hrs in note section)	0	0.00
Time Off - Vacation - (+1 for each day off - notate hrs in note section)	0	0.00
Track Meet(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Traffic Arrest - (notate citation # in note section)	0	0.00
Training - (notate training/class name in note section)	34	55.74
Trespass Warning	0	0.00
Vehicle Unlock	0	0.00
Vehicle/Equipment Inspection/Maintenance	0	0.00
Volleyball Game(s) - notate quantity	0	0.00
Warrant - MHPD	0	0.00
Warrant - Other Agency	0	0.00
Wrestling Match(es) - notate quantity	0	0.00



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Activity Summary - By Activity Type - SRO

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Total Activity / Events: 61



### Incidents Reported Statistics By Charge From UCR (by Month) Dates From 06/01/2024 00:00 Through 06/30/2024 23:59

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Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	Мау	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	% Total
AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
ANIMAL, CRUELTY TO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
ASSAULT - 3RD DEGREE CLASS C MISD	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.40
ASSISTING OTHER AGENCY	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
BATTERY - 2ND DEGREE / INJURES PERSONS D	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
BATTERY - 3RD DEGREE CLASS A MISD	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
BREAKING OR ENTERING(BUILDING, STRUCTURE, VEHICLE)	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
BURGLARY / COMMERCIAL	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
BURGLARY / RESIDENTIAL	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE, POSSESSION	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4.19
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF 2ND DEGREE(RECKLESSLY)	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.40
CRIMINAL TRESPASS - CLASS A MISD	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
CRIMINAL TRESPASS - CLASS C MISD	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.59
DELIVERY OF METHAMPHETAMINE OR COCAINE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
DOMESTIC ASSAULT 3RD DGREE CLASS C MISD	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
DOMESTIC BATTERY-3RD-CLASS A MISD	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.40
DRUG PARAPHERNALIA, POSSESSION	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
DWI 1ST OFF	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
FLEEING	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
FRAUD	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.59
HARASSING COMMUNICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
HARASSMENT-STRIKE/SHOVE/KICK/THREATEN TO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
INCIDENT	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	16.77
INTERFERENCE WITH CUSTODY	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
MISSING PERSON	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
MURDER - 1ST DEGREE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60

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Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	Мау	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	% Total
OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS / FA	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
POSSESSION OF FIREARM BY CERTAIN PERSONS	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
PUBLIC INTOXICATION - CLASS C	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4.19
RUNAWAY	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
SEXUAL ASSUALT 3RD DEGREE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
TERRORISTIC THREATENING	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2.99
THEFT BY DECEPTION	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
THEFT OF PROPERTY-ALL OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	14.97
THEFT OF PROPERTY-FROM A BUILDING	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
THEFT OF PROPERTY-FROM MOTOR VEH-NO PART	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.20
UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A VEHICLE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
VIOLATION OF A PROTECTION ORDER CLASS A MISD	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
WARRANT-COC FAIL TO PAY FINE	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.59
WARRANT-FAILURE TO APPEAR	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	7.78
WARRANT-OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.80
WARRANT-OTHER AGENCY-MISDEMEANOR	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
WARRANT-OTHER AGENCY FELONY	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
WARRANT-PROBATION VIOLATION	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.60
	Totals: <b>0</b>	0	0	0	0	167	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	

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Code Enforcement Stats - By Report Type

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Report Type	Count	% To Total
1996-018 ANIMAL CONTROL / LICENSING DOGS &CATS	4	3.81
2019-34, SEC. 7 PORTABLE AND TEMPORARY SIGNS	10	9.52
2020-20 MAINTENANCE OF REAL PROPERTY	86	81.90
2022-29 UNSANITARY CONDITIONS	5	4.76

Report Count: 105

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## CFS By Department - Select Department By Date

# For MOUNTAIN HOME POLICE DEPARTMENT 06/01/2024 00:00 - 06/30/2024

TAIN HOME POLICE DEPARTMENT	Count	Percei
Abandoned Vehicle	2	0.17
Accident (Hit & Run)	5	0.44
Accident (No Injuries)	27	2.36
Accident (Parking Lot)	17	1.48
Accident (Property Damage)	6	0.52
Accident (Unknown Injuries)	6	0.52
Accident (With Injuries)	3	0.26
Alarm (Bank)	7	0.61
Alarm (Business)	40	3.49
Alarm (Residential)	3	0.26
Alarm (Smoke/Fire)	1	0.09
Alcohol Related	6	0.52
Animal Call	35	3.06
Assault	5	0.44
Assist Other Agency	15	1.31
Attempt To Locate	34	2.97
Bomb Threat	1	0.09
Break In	6	0.52
Business Check	1	0.09
Child Custody	12	1.05
Civil Matter	5	0.44
Civil Stand-By	3	0.26
Code/Ordinance Violation	1	0.09
Disabled Vehicle	2	0.17
Dispute	15	1.31
Disturbance	16	1.40
Domestic (Physical)	7	0.61
Domestic (Verbal)	8	0.70
Drug Related	1	0.09
Duplicate Call	2	0.17
Facility Check	1	0.09
Fire (Structure)	1	0.09
Fire (Unclassified)	1	0.09
Fireworks Complaint	5	0.44
Follow-Up	13	1.14
Fraud	3	0.26
Funeral Escort	5	0.44
Gun Call	1	0.09
Gunshots/Sounds of	3	0.26
Hang Up Call	3	0.26
Harassment	8	0.70

	Count		Percen	
Identity Theft	1		0.099	
Indecent Exposure/Nudity	1		0.099	
Lift Assist	2		0.179	
Lockout	71		6.20	
Loitering	9		0.799	
Medical Dispatch	5		0.44	
Missing Juvenile	3		0.26	
Missing Person	3		0.26	
Motorist Assist	16		1.40	
Noise Complaint	8		0.70	
Non-Emergency	20		1.75	
Open Line	3		0.26	
Overdose	1		0.09	
Panhandling	2		0.17	
Parking Violation	2		0.17	
Parks	14		1.22	
Property Damage	6		0.52	
Psychiatric/Behavioral	2		0.17	
Pursuit	1		0.09	
Reckless Driver	30		2.62	
Repossession	1		0.09	
Rescue Medical	20		1.75	
Runaway	3		0.26	
SCAM CALL	4		0.35	
Service Call	5		0.44	
Sex Offender Violation	1		0.09	
Shoplifting	13		1.14	
Stolen Vehicle	4		0.35	
Suicidal	15		1.31	
Suicide Attempt	1		0.09	
Suspicious Activity	31		2.71	
Suspicious Person	45		3.93	
Suspicious Vehicle	11		0.96	
Theft	25		2.18	
Threats	18		1.57	
Traffic Hazard	7		0.61	
Traffic Stop	305		26.64	
Trespassing	18		1.57	
Unauthorized Use Motor Vehicle	4		0.35	
Unlawful Dumping	3		0.26	
Unruly Juvenile	5		0.44	
Vandalism	4		0.35	
Violation of Order of Protection	1		0.09	
Welfare Check	65		5.68	
Records For MOUNTAIN HOME POLICE DEPARTMENT	1145	Group/Total	100.00	

# RESOLUTION NO. 2023-xx A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME TO UTILIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE & TOURISM OUTDOOR RECREATION MATCHING FUNDS GRANT

WHEREAS, The City of Mountain Home understands the Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage & Tourism Outdoor Recreation Matching Funds are available at 50 percent participation and 50 percent local match/in-kind labor to develop or improve ADA-compliant fishing pier access for McCabe Park; and

**WHEREAS,** the plans for such ADA recreation areas have been prepared and the price therefore has been established; and

**WHEREAS,** this project, using grant and local funding, will be open and available for use by the general public and maintained by the applicant for the life of the project.

# NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME CITY COUNCIL THAT

**SECTION I.** The City of Mountain home will participate in accordance with its designated responsibility, including maintenance of this project.

**SECTION II.** Mayor Hillrey Adams is hereby authorized and directed to execute all appropriate agreements and contracts necessary to expedite the construction of the above stated project.

**SECTION III.** The Mountain Home City Council pledges its full support and hereby authorizes the Arkansas Department of Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage & Tourism to initiate action to implement this project.

# THIS RESOLUTION ADOPTED THIS 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2024.

HILLREY ADAMS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK

# RESOLUTION NO. 2024-xx A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME TO ATTACH LIENS TO CERTAIN PROPERTIES LOCATED AT THE ADDRESSES SPECIFIED IN THIS RESOLUTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING MONIES WHICH ARE OWED THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME FOR ENFORCEMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 2020-20

WHEREAS, the City Council of Mountain Home, Arkansas, approved Ordinance No. 2020-20 that states incorporated cities of the first class are empowered to order the owner of lots and other real property within the city limits to cut weeds, to remove garbage, rubbish and other unsightly and unsanitary articles and things upon the property; and

WHEREAS, it shall be the duty and responsibility of the Code Enforcement Officer or his designee to determine the ownership and condition of any property suspected of being in violation, and it shall be the duty of the Code Enforcement Officer or his designee to certify the ownership and condition of any parcel of land he determines to be in violation to the mayor of the city; and

WHEREAS, the costs of abatement, property owner and address, date expenses were incurred, and parcel numbers of the property affected are listed below:

- Property owner's name: Joann Padget c/o Brenda Copas Property address: 1101 Glenbriar Lane Parcel number: 007-01680-000 Date: August 22, 2023 City expenses incurred as of August 1, 2024: \$225.00
- 2. Property owner's name: Mary Elumbaugh Estate Property address: 1209 Mark Drive Parcel number: 007-01055-000 Date: April 28, 2021, to January 22, 2024 City expenses incurred as of August 1, 2024: \$840.93

WHEREAS, owners of said properties are either unknown or unobtainable from records located at the Baxter County Tax Collector's Office, or have been notified consistent with applicable City Ordinances and have failed to comply; and

WHEREAS, the Code Enforcement Officer or his designee has entered each parcel of property and abated the nuisance(s), utilizing equipment, materials and expenses incurred; and

WHEREAS, expenses resulting from property cleanup or removal have been itemized within this Resolution.

# NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the monies, as determined by this hearing, are reimbursable to the City of Mountain Home for cleanup of the indicated properties.

2. That a "clean up" lien be placed against the property for such costs as set out in Arkansas Code Annotated §14-54-903 and §14-54-904.

3. That the expenses listed herein are current through August 1, 2024, and that the properties listed above may accrue additional city expenses without City Council authorization should the properties continue to be in violation of Ordinance No. 2020-20.

# PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2024.

HILLREY ADAMS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK

### **ORDINANCE NO. 2024-xx**

# AN ORDINANCE TO UPDATE THE MOUNTAIN HOME CITY CODE BY REPEALING OUTDATED AND ANTIQUATED SECTIONS OF CODE; TO REPEAL AND REMOVE FROM THE MOUNTAIN HOME CITY CODE SECTIONS 2.60 "PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD," 4.20 "TAXI FRANCHISE," AND 9.20 "STREET CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR"; AND TO REPEAL ORDINANCES 1991-12, 1995-01, 2002-22, 2002-23, 2004-24, 2004-34 AND 2007-21

WHEREAS, the Mountain Home City Council did adopt Ordinance No. 121 on September 21, 1954, to create a unified City Code and said Code has been updated numerous times since that initial adoption; and

WHEREAS, a review of the current City Code has shown that the following sections are antiquated, invalid, outdated or no longer applicable and should be repealed: Section 2.60 "Public Facilities Board," Section 4.20 "Taxi Franchise" and Section 9.20 "Street Construction and Repair"; and

WHEREAS, the following Ordinances support the previously mentioned sections of Code to the be repealed, and should likewise be repealed: Ordinances 1991-12, 1995-01, 2002-22, 2022-23, 2004-24, 2002-34 and 2007-21;

# NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> REPEAL AND REMOVAL FROM CODIFICATION Section 2.60 "Public Facilities Board," Section 4.20 "Taxi Franchise," and Section 9.20 "Street Construction and Repair" of the Mountain Home City Code are hereby repealed and deleted in their entirety.

**SECTION 2. REPEAL OF ASSOCIATED ORDINANCES** The following Ordinances are antiquated, invalid, outdated or no longer applicable and are hereby repealed in their entirety due: Ordinances numbered 1991-12, 1995-01, 2002-22, 2022-23, 2004-24, 2002-34 and 2007-21.

# PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 5<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2024.

HILLREY ADAMS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK

### **CHAPTER 2.60**

### **PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD**

### Sections:

2.60.01	Authorized
2.60.02	Creation
2.60.03	Membership
2.60.04	Powers
2.60.05	Officers
2.60.06	Meetings
2.60.07	Removal of members
2.60.08	Severability

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<u>2.60.01</u> Authorized. The City Council of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas, finds that the city is authorized by the provisions of the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123) to create a Public Facilities Board, and it is in the best interest of the city and its citizens and residents to do so. (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 1)

### 2.60.02 Creation.

- A. In accordance with and pursuant to the authority conferred by the provisions of the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123) there is hereby created and established a Public Facilities Board (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") with the authority provided in the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123), as set forth in Section 2.56.01. (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 2)
- B. The name of the board shall be the "city of Mountain Home, Arkansas Public Facilities Board." (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 3)

### 2.60.03 Membership.

- A. The initial members of the Public Facilities Board shall be appointed by the Mayor as soon as practicable after the adoption of this chapter with the members being approved by a majority vote of the City Council. (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 4)
- B. Notwithstanding the limitation on the terms of members hereby appointed to the Public Facilities Board, each such member and each member hereafter elected to

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fill vacancies shall serve until his or her successor is elected and qualified. A members of the Board must be residents of the city of Mountain Home, and as soon as practicable after their appointment, each member of the Board shall qualify by taking and filing with the City Clerk the oath of office prescribed by

\* Jails \* Hospitals \* Parking facilities 2.60.04 Powers.

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That the Public Facilities Board is empowered, from time to time, to own, acquire, construct, reconstruct, extend, equip, improve, operate, maintain, sell, lease, contract concerning, or otherwise deal in or dispose of any and all facilities authorized by the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123) or any interest in such facilities, including, without limitation, leasehold interests and mortgages on such facilities as shall be determined by the Board to be necessary to effect the purposes of this chapter. The Board is specifically given all of the authority which may be granted to public facilities boards pursuant to the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123). (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 5)

That the Public Facilities Board is authorized to issue revenue bonds from time to time and to use the proceeds, either alone or together with other available funds and revenues, to accomplish the purposes for which the Board is created. Such revenue bonds shall be obligations only of the Public Facilities Board and shall not constitute an indebtedness for which the faith and credit of the city of Mountain Home or any of its revenues are pledged, and the principal of and interest on the bonds may be payable from and secured by a pledge of revenues derived from the public facilities project acquired, constructed, reconstructed, equipped, extended, or improved, in whole or in part, with the proceeds of the bonds, together with such other collateral as may properly be pledged under the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123) and as the Board in its discretion may determine. The aggregate principal amount of any revenue bond issued pursuant to the authority granted by this section and by the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 -123) shall be determined by the Board in its discretion; provided, however, each issuance of such revenue bonds shall be approved by resolution of the City Council of the city of Mountain Home. (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 6)

C. The Public Facilities Board shall have all of the powers provided in the Act (A.C.A §§ 14-137-101 - 123), subject to the provisions of this chapter, and shall carry out its duties in accordance with the Act (A.C.A. §§ 14-137-101 - 123), including specifically, but without limitation, the filing of the annual report of the City Council of the city of Mountain Home as required by Section 14-137-123 of the Act. (Ord. No. 95-001, Section 7)

# 2.60.05 Officers No current members

- A. As soon as practicable after the members of the Public Facilities Board are appointed, they shall meet and organize by electing one of their number as a chairman, one as a vice-chairman, one as a secretary, and one as a treasurer, and such officer shall be elected annually for terms of one year thereafter in like manner. (Ord. No. 95-1, Section 8)
- B. The duties of secretary and treasurer may be performed by the same member. (Ord No. 95-1, Section 8)
- C. The Board may, at its option, designate an executive director who shall not be a member of the Board and who shall serve at the pleasure of the Board with such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board, from time to time. (Ord. No. 95-1, Section 8)
- D. The members of the Board shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be entitled to reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. (Ord. No. 95-1, Section 8)

2.60.06 Meetings That the Public Facilities Board shall meet upon the call of its chairman, or a majority of its members, and at such times as may be specified in its by-laws for regular meetings, and a majority of its members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The affirmative vote of the majority of the members present at a meeting of the Board shall be necessary for any action taken by the Board. Any action taken by the Board may be authorized by a resolution and such resolution shall take effect immediately unless a later effective date is specified in the resolution. No vacancy in the membership of the Board shall impair the right of a quorum to exercise all of the proceedings of the Board and shall be the custodian of its books, documents and papers and of the minute book or journal of the Board and its official seal if any shall be adopted. The secretary may cause copies of all minutes and other records and documents of the Board to be made and may give certificates of the Board to the effect that such copies are true copies, and all persons dealing with the Board may rely upon such certificates. (Ord. No. 95-1, Section 9)

<u>2.69.07 Removal</u> That any member of the Public Facilities Board may be removed from misfeasance, malfeasance or willful neglect of duty, by the Mayor of the city of Mountain Home, after reasonable notice of and an opportunity to be heard concerning the alleged grounds for removal.

2.60.08 Severability If any provision of this chapter shall for any reason be held illegal or invalid, the invalidity of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this chapter.

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Ordinance No. <u>95-00</u>/

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED SECTIONS 14-134-101 TO -123 (1987 & SUPP. 1993); PRESCRIBING OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the continued growth and improvement of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas (the "City"), from time to time, requires the special attention of a public facilities board with authority to issue bonds for the purpose of providing public facilities and services; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City, pursuant to the provisions of Arkansas Code Annotated Sections 14-137-101 to -123 (1987 & Supp. 1993) (the "Act"), is authorized to establish such a board for the purposes set forth in the Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. That the City Council of the City finds that the City is authorized by the provisions of the Act to create a public facilities board, and it is in the best interest of the City and its citizens and residents to do so.

Section 2. That in accordance with and pursuant to the authority conferred by the provisions of the Act there is hereby created and established a public facilities board (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") with the authority provided in the Act, as herein set forth.

Section 3. That the name of the Board shall be the "City of Mountain Home, Arkansas Public Facilities Board."

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Section 4. That the initial members of the Board shall be appointed by the Mayor as soon as practicable after the adoption of this Ordinance with the members being approved by a majority vote of the City Council.

Notwithstanding the limitation on the terms of members hereby appointed to the Board, each such member and each member hereafter elected to fill vacancies, shall serve until his or her successor is elected and qualified. A member of the Board shall be eligible to succeed himself or herself. The members of the Board must be residents of the City, and as soon as practicable after their appointment each member of the Board shall qualify by taking and filing with the City Clerk the oath of office prescribed by the Act.

Section 5. That the Board is empowered, from time to time, to own, acquire, construct, reconstruct, extend, equip, improve, operate, maintain, sell, lease, contract concerning, or otherwise deal in or dispose of any and all facilities authorized by the Act or any interest in such facilities, including without limitation, leasehold interests and mortgages on such facilities as shall be determined by the Board to be necessary to effect the purposes of this Ordinance. The Board is specifically given all of the authority which may be granted to public facilities boards pursuant to the Act.

Section 6. That the Board is authorized to issue revenue bonds from time to time and to use the proceeds, either alone or together with other available funds and revenues, to accomplish the purposes for which the Board is created. Such revenue bonds shall be obligations only of the Board and shall not constitute an indebtedness for which the faith and credit of the City or any of its revenues are pledged, and the principal of and interest on the bonds may be payable from and secured by a pledge of revenues derived from the public facilities project acquired, constructed, reconstructed, equipped, extended, or improved, in whole or in part, with the proceeds of the bonds, together with such other collateral as may properly be pledged under the Act and as the Board in its discretion may determine. The aggregate principal amount of any revenue bond issued pursuant to the authority granted by this Section 6 and by the Act shall be determined by the Board in its discretion; provided, however, each issuance of such revenue bonds shall be approved by resolution of the City Council of the City.

Section 7. That the Board shall have all of the powers provided in the Act, subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, and shall carry out its duties in accordance with the Act, including specifically, but without limitation, the filing of the annual report with the City Council of the City as required by Section 14-137-123 of the Act.

Section 8. That as soon as practicable after the members of the Board are appointed, they shall meet and organize by electing one of their number as a chairman, one as a vice-chairman, one as a secretary, and one as a treasurer, and such officer shall be elected annually for terms of one year thereafter in like manner. The duties of secretary and treasurer may be performed by the same member. The Board may, at its option, designate an executive director who shall not be a member of the Board and who shall serve at the pleasure of the Board with such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board, from time to time. The members of the Board shall receive no compensation for their services, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

Section 9. That the Board shall meet upon the call of its chairman, or a majority of its members, and at such times as may be specified in its by-laws for regular meetings, and a majority of its members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The affirmative vote of the majority of the members present at a meeting of the Board shall be necessary for any action taken by the Board. Any action taken by the Board may be authorized by a resolution and such resolution shall take effect immediately unless a later effective date is specified in the resolution. No vacancy in the membership of the Board shall impair the right of a quorum to exercise all of the rights and perform all of the duties of the Board. The secretary shall keep a record of the minute book or journal of the Board and its official seal if any shall be adopted. The secretary may cause copies of all minutes and other records and documents of the Board to be made and may give certificates of the Board to the effect that such copies are true copies, and all persons dealing with the Board may rely upon such certificates.

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Section 10. That any member of the Board may be removed for misfeasance, malfeasance or willful neglect of duty, by the Mayor of the City after reasonable notice of and an opportunity to be heard concerning the alleged grounds for removal.

Section 11. That if any provision of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held illegal or invalid, the invalidity of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 12. That all Ordinances of the City Council of the City, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 13. That it is hereby ascertained and declared that there is an immediate and urgent need for providing financial assistance for public facilities for the citizens and residents of the

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City in order to protect the health, lives and property of the inhabitants of the City; therefore, an emergency exists, and this Ordinance, being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, shall take effect and be in force immediately upon and after its passage.

Passed: January <u>/9</u>, 1995.

APPROVED:

Carol Howell, Mayor

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Deborah House, City Clerk

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### CHAPTER 4.20

# **TAXI FRANCHISE**

### Sections:

4.20.01	Exclusive right
4.20.02	Franchise fee
4.20.03	Term
4.20.04	Permitted rates and tariffs - Maximum
4.20.05	Establishment of zones
4.20.06	Hours of operation
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4.20.08	Communication/dispatch
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4.20.10	Safety
4.20.11	Notice - Hearing – Termination
4.20.12	Penalties
4.20.13	Other taxes
4.20.14	Independent contractor

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4.20.01 Exclusive right Mountain Home Taxi Service, Inc. is hereby granted an exclusive franchise for the operation of a taxicab service within the corporate limits of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. Provided that North Arkansas Transportation System is to have citywide route authority, so long as it does not provide door-to-door service. (Ord. No. 2002-23, Sec.1)

4.20.02 Franchise fee Mountain Home Taxi Services, Inc. shall pay for the exclusive franchise granted in Section 1 the following franchise fees:

First automobile in use Second automobile in use Each additional automobile in use (Ord. No. 2002-23, Sec. 2) <

\$20.00 per year \$15.00 per year \$10.00 per year \$10.00 per year \$10.00 per year

4.20.03 Term The duration of this exclusive franchise and grant shall be for a period of five (5) years commencing the 14th day of August 2007. (Ord. No. 2007-21, Sec. 1.)

# 4.20.04 Permitted rates and tariffs - Maximum

The franchisee shall not charge more than the following rates and tariffs: A.

Base fee: \$3.75, plus \$1.75 per mile. 1. \_ | Set 2004

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- 2. Extra stop: \$1.50.
- 3. Extra passenger: A surcharge of \$1.25 each for each person in excess of one, in addition to the rates set out above.
- 4. Waiting: \$.50 per minute (first 5 minutes are free). Then the lesser of \$.50 per minute or \$18.75 per hour, with a minimum of \$18.75 per hour rate. (Ord. No. 2004-24, Sec. 1.) From 2004?
- B. The City Council has determined the rates or tariffs permitted may be increased by the franchisee upon his showing that increased cost of operation has prohibited a fair profit derived from his operation of such franchise. Upon written request by the applicant, the City Council shall grant to the applicant fee increases equal to any increase may be granted for good cause shown. Such increases shall not be granted nor requested more often than semi-annually.

C. The franchisee is hereby authorized to charge an additional surcharge of One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50) for any services provided outside the hours of operation set forth in Section 6 of Ord. 97-028. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 4.)

<u>4.20.05 Establishment of zones</u>. The areas delineated on the map attached to and made a part of this ordinance by reference thereto shall be the zones for which the fees, tariffs and rates as set forth hereinabove in Section 4 shall be applicable. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 5)

<u>4.20.06 Hours of operation</u>. The franchisee shall operate and maintain the service on a five (5) day a week, ten (10) hours per day basis. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 6)

<u>4.20.07</u> Special services. The franchisee will provide service to the Mountain Home Municipal Airport on a seven (7) day per week basis, special call. The franchisee shall provide service to citizens and residents of Mountain Home, Arkansas, preferentially to other accounts which may be serviced by the franchisee. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 7)

<u>4.20.08</u> Communication/dispatch. The franchisee shall maintain Federal Communications Commission licensed two-way radio systems or a mobile phone system for the dispatch of his vehicle within the zones and to the locations it services. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 8)

<u>4.20.09</u> Liability insurance. The franchisee shall procure and maintain in continuous force and effect liability insurance upon its vehicles and equipment in a sum not less than the minimum amounts required by the laws of the state of Arkansas. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 9)

<u>4.20.10</u> Safety. The franchisee shall keep all vehicles operated by it in a safe, serviceable condition for the safety and protection of the citizens and inhabitants of the city to whom this service is being furnished. Failure of the franchisee to provide such equipment shall be cause for termination of this franchise grant by the city as hereinafter set out. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 10)

<u>4.20.11 Notice - Hearing - Termination</u>. The city may terminate this franchise grant due to the failure of the franchisee to provide safe equipment as required in Section 10 hereinabove and for failure to perform pursuant to any section of this ordinance after reasonable notice to the franchisee and an opportunity for hearing, if desired. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 11)

<u>4.20.12</u> Penalties. Any person, firm, partnership or organization operating a taxicab, automobile for hire or other similar service in conflict with the grant of this franchise, shall be unlawful and for the operation of such without a franchise shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in a sum of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and each day of operation shall be deemed a separate and distinct offense. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 12)

4.20.13 Other taxes. The service furnished the city by the franchisee and the payment of the fees set out hereinbefore in 4.20.02 for the exclusive grant herein, and privilege hereof, shall be in lieu of all other licenses, fees, charges, impositions of taxes (other than automobile license fees, special millage taxes, improvement district taxes and general ad valorem taxes) charged or imposed or levied by the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 13)

<u>4.20.14</u> Independent contractor. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed as giving or making the franchisee herein an agent, servant or employee of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. (Ord. No. 02-23, Sec. 14)

### **CHAPTER 4.24**

### **ELECTRIC FRANCHISE; NORTH ARKANSAS**

## **ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE**

### Sections:

4.24.01	Electric franchise granted to North Arkansas Electric Cooperative
4.24.02	Rights and responsibilities
4.24.03	Facilities
4.24.04	Rights of way
4.24.05	Authority
4.24.06	Rates
4.24.07	Liability
4.24.08	Franchise tax
4.24.09	Other fees and taxes waived
4.24.10	Service to city
4.24.11	Franchise exceptions
4.24.12	Contract

# ORDINANCE NO. 02-23

### AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND ESTABLISHING THE AMOUNT OF LICENSE AND PERMIT FEES AND FRANCHISE TAXES DUE THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME FROM MOUNTAIN HOME TAXI SERVICE; GRANTING A FRANCHISE FOR TAXICAB SERVICE; ACCEPTING SUCH PAYMENT IN LIEU OF ALL TAXES EXCEPTING AD VALOREM TAXATION, SPECIAL MILLAGE AND IMPROVEMENT TAXES, AND MUNICIPAL AUTOMOBILIES FEES, TAXES AND SERVICE REQUIRING LIABILITY INSURANCE AND IMPOSING OTHER CONDITIONS.

WHEREAS, the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the community will be served by having available to it taxi service since many elderly persons depend upon this service as their only means of transportation to acquire the common necessities of life and for medical treatment; and

WHEREAS, by ordinance numbered 97-028 passed and approved the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1997, Mountain Home Taxi Service, Inc. was granted an exclusive franchise to operate a taxi service in the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas, for a period of five (5) years commencing the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1997, and expiring the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2002; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to enter into an extension of that franchise for five years beginning as of August 14, 2002, and terminating August 14, 2007.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

#### Section 1: Exclusive Right

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Mountain Home Taxi Service, Inc. is hereby granted an exclusive franchise for the operation of a taxicab service within the corporate limits of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas. Provided that North Arkansas Transportation System is to have city-wide route authority, so long as it does not provide door-to-door service.

#### Section 2: Franchise Fee

Mountain Home Taxi Service, Inc. shall pay for the exclusive franchise granted in Section 1 the following franchise fees:

First Automobile in Use:	\$20.00 per year
Second Automobile in Use:	\$15.00 per year
Each Additional Automobile in Use:	\$10.00 per year

#### Section 3: Term

The duration of this exclusive franchise and grant shall be for a period of five (5) years commencing the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2002.

#### Section 4: Permitted Rates and Tariffs – Maximum

- 1. The franchisee shall not charge more than the following rate and tariffs:
  - a. Base fee: Three and 75/00 Dollars (\$3.75), plus One and 25/00 Dollars (\$1.25) per mile.
  - b. Stops in Route: One and 50/00 Dollars (\$1.50) for first five minutes; thereafter, fifty cents (\$.50) per minute.

- c. Extra persons: A surcharge of One and 25/00 Dollars (\$1.25) each for each person in excess on one, in addition to the rates set out above.
- 2. The City Council has determined the rates of tariffs permitted may be increased by the franchisee upon his showing that increased cost of operation has prohibited a fair profit derived from his operation of such franchise. Upon written request by the applicant, the City Council shall grant to the applicant fee increases equal to any increase may be granted for good cause shown. Such increases shall not be granted nor requested more often than semiannually.
- The franchise is hereby authorized to charge an additional surcharge of One and 50/00 Dollar (\$1.50) for any services provided outside the hours of operation set out in Section 6 of this Ordinance.

#### Section 5: Establishment of Zones

The areas delineated on the map attached to and made a part of this Ordinance by reference thereto shall be the zones for which the fees, tariffs and rates as set forth hereinabove in Section 4 shall be applicable.

#### Section 6: Hours of Operation

The franchisee shall operate and maintain the service on a five-day a week, ten (10) hours per day basis.

#### Section 7: Special Services

The franchisee will provide service to the Mountain Home Municipal Airport on a sevenday-per-week, basis, special call. The franchisee shall provide service to citizens and residents of Mountain Home, Arkansas, preferentially to other accounts, which may be services by the franchisee.

#### Section 8: Communication / Dispatch

The franchisee shall maintain Federal Communications Commission licensed two-way radio system, or a mobile phone system, for the dispatch of its vehicle within the zones and to the locations it services.

#### Section 9: Liability Insurance

The franchisee shall procure and maintain in continuous force and effect liability insurance upon its vehicles and equipment in a sum not less than the minimum amounts required by the laws of the State of Arkansas.

#### Section 10: Safety

The franchisee shall keep all vehicles operated by it in a safe, serviceable condition for the safety and protection of the citizens and inhabitants of the City to whom this service is being furnished. Failure of the franchisee to provide such equipment shall be cause of termination of this franchise grant by the City as hereinafter set out.

#### Section 11: Notice – Hearing – Termination

The City may terminate this franchise grant due to the failure of the franchisee to provide safe equipment as required in Section 10 hereinabove and for failure to perform pursuant to any section of this Ordinance after reasonable notice to the franchisee and an opportunity for hearing, if desired.

### Section 12: Penalties

Any person, firm, partnership or corporation operating a taxicab, automobile for hire, or other similar service in conflict with the grant of this franchise, shall be unlawful and for the operation of such without a franchise shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum of not less than ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) nor more than FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) and each day of operation shall be deemed a separate and distinct offense.

#### Section 13: Other Taxes

The service furnished the City by the franchisee and the payment of the fees set out hereinbefore in Section 2 for the exclusive grant herein, and privilege hereof, shall be in lieu of all other licenses, fees, charges, impositions of taxes (other than automobile license fees, special millage taxes, improvement district taxes, and general ad valorem taxes) charged or imposed or levied by the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas.

#### Section 14: Independent Contractor

Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed as giving or making the franchisee herein an agent, servant or employee of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas.

#### Section 15: Severability Clause

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable.

#### Section 16: Unconstitutionality Clause

The invalidity, unenforceability, unconstitutionality of any clause, phrase, sentence or part thereof of any section or provision of this Ordinance shall not invalidate any other section or provision of this Ordinance.

#### Section 17: Repealer

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict and inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2002.

JOE DILLARD, MAYOR

#### **ORDINANCE NO. 2004-24**

#### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 4 OF ORDINANCE NO. 02-23, **GRANTING AN INCREASE IN THE PERMITTED RATES AND TARIFFS**

WHEREAS, the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the community will be served by having available to it, taxi service since many elderly persons depend on this service as their only means of transportation to acquire the common necessities of life and for medical treatment; and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of Ordinance 02-23 is in need of amendment to allow the taxi service to charge a rate that will allow them to operate at a reasonable profit.

WHEREAS, Ordinance 02-23 in all other respects should remain in force and effect.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

Section 1: Ordinance No. 02-23 (Section 4) shall be amended as follows:

#### Permitted Rates and Tariffs - Maximum

- 1. The franchisee shall not charge more than the following rate and tariffs:
  - a. Base fee: Three and 75/00 Dollars (\$3.75), plus One and 75/00 Dollars (\$1.75) per mile.
  - b. Extra Stop: One and 50/00 Dollars (\$1.50)
  - c. Extra Passenger: A surcharge of One and 25/00 (\$1.25) for each person in excess of one, in addition to rates set out above.
  - d. Waiting: Fifty Cents (.50) per minute (First 5 minutes are free.) Then the lesser of .50 per minute or Eighteen and 75/00 Dollars (\$18.75) per hour, with a minimum of Eighteen and 75/00 Dollars (\$18.75) for per hour rate.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 19<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2004.

MAYOR

# ORDINANCE NO. 2007-<u>2/</u>\_\_\_\_\_

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 02-23, SECTION 3. EXTENDING THE DURATION OF THE EXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT TERM WITH MOUNTAIN HOME TAXI SERVICE, INC.

WHEREAS, the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the community will be served by having available to it, taxi service since many elderly persons depend upon this service as their only means of transportation to acquire the common necessities of life and for medical treatment; and

WHEREAS, by Ordinance numbered 02-23 passed and approved the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2002, Mountain Home Taxi Service, Inc. was granted an exclusive franchise to operate a taxi service in the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas for a period of five (5) years commencing the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2002 and expiring the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007.

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to enter into an extension of that franchise for five (5) years beginning as of August 14, 2007, and terminating August 14, 2012.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

Section 1: Ordinance No. 02-23 (Section 3) shall be amended as follows:

The duration of this exclusive franchise and grant shall be for a period of five (5) years commencing the  $14^{th}$  day of August, 2007.

### Section 2: Emergency Clause

In order to prevent any interruption in taxi service to the residents of the City of Mountain Home, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on August 14, 2007.

PASSED THIS 2nd DAY OF AUGUST 2007.

<u>9.16.03 Non-exclusivity</u>. Exclusiveness of Chapter, Other Remedies Available. This chapter shall not be deemed exclusive to other remedies available to the city by ordinance or statute or otherwise. (Ord. No. 844, Sec. 4, as amended by Ord. No. 93-021, Sec. 3)

### 9.16.04 Erosion control.

- A. Temporary erosion control devices shall be provided during construction projects within the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas, to inhibit erosion on the construction site and subsequent siltation in lands and streets off the construction site. As used herein, the term "construction project" shall mean any type of construction for which a building permit is required by the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. Such devices shall be as detailed on Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) standard drawing TEC-1 or as approved by the Mayor of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. (Ord. No. 93-022, Sec. 1)
- B. It shall be the responsibility of the person holding the building permit on each particular construction project to insure that all streets surrounding the construction site are kept free from mud tracking and other siltation. (Ord. No. 93-022, Sec. 2)
- C. Any person, firm, corporation or agent who violates any provision of this chapter shall be fined not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) nor more than Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) and each day such violation shall exist shall be deemed a separate offense. (Ord. No. 93-022, Sec. 3)

# CHAPTER 9.20

# STREET CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR

### Sections:

9.20.01	Prior approval
9.20.02	City Council consent
9.20.03	Project work defined
9.20.04	Comprehensive street program
9.20.05	Project changes

<u>9.20.01</u> Prior approval. No project of street improvement, construction or reconstruction of any street within the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas, to be undertaken by the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas, not actually in progress upon the effective date of this chapter to be done by utilizing curbs and gutters and/or sidewalks shall be commenced without the prior approval of the City Council of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. (Ord. No. 91-012, Sec. 1)

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9.20.02 City Council consent. No project of street improvement, construction or reconstruction of any street within the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas, which is reasonably expected to cost more than Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) shall be commenced without prior approval of the City Council of the city of Mountain Home, Arkansas. (Ord. No. 91-012, Sec. 2)

9.20.03 Project work defined. "Project", for the purposes of this chapter, means the resurfacing, repair, construction or reconstruction of a street or some number of contiguous blocks thereof (or contiguous blocks of several streets) which conveniently and normally would be undertaken at the same time or within the same street construction and repair season. (Ord. No. 91-012, Sec. 3)

Council acceptance of comprehensive program Zer 9.20.04 Comprehensive street program. For all street projects hereafter, said projects shall be listed as part of a comprehensive program accepted by the majority of the Mountain Home City Council.

Comprehensive program shall list locations, footage and estimated cost. Priority for projects shall be set by the Mayor and Street Superintendent unless otherwise specified by Council on the basis of need and use.

B. A progress report shall be given to the City Council on a monthly basis at its second regularly scheduled meeting of the month. (Ord. No. 91-012, Sec. 4)

9.20.05 Project changes. It is recognized that, particularly where repair or reconstruction of streets are involved, unforeseen circumstances may force a change in the planned work. It is further recognized that inordinate delays would result if minor changes in the plans for street projects were required to be brought before the plans for street projects were required to be brought before the entire City Council. Therefore, any minor changes shall be made by the Mayor and Street Superintendent as needed. Project changes substantial in nature shall be approved by the City Council. (Ord. No. 91-012, Sec. 5)

# <u>CHAPTER 9.24</u>

# **IDENTIFYING STREETS AND BUILDINGS**

### Sections:

A.

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9.24.01	Uniform system and Street Numbering Committee
9.24.02	Base line
9.24.03	Block numbers
9.24.04	Even and odd numbers
9.24.05	Non-through streets
9.24.06	911 survey

#### ORDINANCE NO. 91-012

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ECONOMIC AND SYSTEMATIC REPAIR OF BUILDING STREETS WITHIN THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME; SPECIFI-CALLY REPEALING ORDINANCE #858; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

#### Section 1.

No project of street improvement, construction, or reconstruction of any street within the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas, to be undertaken by the City of Mountain Home, not actually in progress upon the effective date of this ordinance to be done by utilizing curbs and gutters and/or sidewalks shall be commenced without the prior approval of the City Council of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas.

#### Section 2.

No project of street improvement, construction, or reconstruction of any street within the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas, which is reasonably expected to cost more than \$20,000.00, shall be commenced without prior approval of the City Council of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas.

#### Section 3.

"Project", for the purposes of this ordinance, means the resurfacing, repair, construction, or reconstruction of a street or some number of contiguous blocks thereof (or contiguous blocks of several streets) which conveniently and normally would be undertaken at the same time or within the same street construction and repair season.

Section 4.

For all street projects hereafter, said projects, shall be listed as part of a comprehensive program accepted by the majority of the Mountain Home City Council.

- A. Comprehensive Program shall list locations, footage and estimated cost. Priority for projects shall be set by the Mayor and Street Superintendent unless otherwise specified by Council on the basis of need and use.
- B. A progress report shall be given to the City Council on a monthly basis at its second regularly scheduled meeting of the month.

#### Section 5.

It is recognized that, particularly where repair or reconstruction of streets are involved, unforeseen circumstances may force a change in the planned work. It is further recognized that inordinante delays would result if minor changes in plans for street projects were required to be brought before the entire City Council. Therefore, any minor changes shall be made by the Mayor and Street Superintendent as needed. Project changes substantial in nature shall be approved by the City Council.

#### Section 6. Severability

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable. The invalidity or unconstitutionality of any phrase, sentence, clause, section or provision hereof shall not affect any other phrase, sentence, clause, or provision herein.

#### Section 7. Emergency

The budget of the Street Department being a substantial portion of the budget of the City of Mountain Home, and the need for concrete, systematic applications of that budget being urgent, an emergency is declared to exist to safeguard the health, safety, welfare and fiscal responsibility of the City of Mountain Home, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 4TH DAY OF APRIL, 1991.

John D. Ayers, Mayor

ATTEST: Deborah D. House, City Clerk

# v2 – Revised 2 p.m. Tuesday, July 9, 2024 Changes are <u>underlined</u>

# **ORDINANCE NO. 2023-xx**

# AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE RETAIL SELLING, MANUFACTURE, SHOOTING, OR DISCHARGING OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2003-24 AND ORDINANCE NO. 2023-41

WHEREAS, it has been determined that fireworks displays should be managed and operated by duly certified pyrotechnics technicians, for the safety of our city inhabitants and visitors to the city, and;

<u>WHEREAS</u>, it has been determined that all fireworks displays and fireworks retail sales require a duly authorized written permit issued by the City of Mountain Home; and

WHEREAS, it has been deemed appropriate that the City of Mountain Home's existing regulations on firework displays and sales of fireworks should be updated to better address the needs of the City;

# NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

# **SECTION 1. USE OF FIREWORKS**

It shall be unlawful to shoot, explode, discharge, fire or set off ANY type of firework or other explosive within the city limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas, without first obtaining a duly authorized written permit issued by the Fire Chief or City Fire Inspector, and approved by the Fire Chief.

# **SECTION 2. MANUFACTURE OR SALE OF FIREWORKS**

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or offer for sale, or to make or manufacture ANY type of firework or other explosive within the City limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas, without first obtaining a duly authorized written <u>sales</u> permit issued by the Fire Chief or City Fire Inspector and approved by the Fire Chief.

# **SECTION 3. PERMIT FOR THE RETAIL SALE OF FIREWORKS**

A permit for the retail sales of fireworks inside the city limits shall be obtained from the City of Mountain Home Fire Department Inspection Division and shall be signed by the Fire Chief and Fire Inspector. The cost of the retail sales permit from the City of Mountain Home shall be One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). The person purchasing the permit shall be a least twenty-one (21) years of age.

Prior to the City's retail sales permit being issued, the following must be provided to the Mountain Home Fire Department:

- 1. Copy of a corporate surety bond in the principal sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) (or a public liability insurance policy for the same amount) provided by a licensed insurance company;
- 2. <u>If the property in question is not owned by the applicant, written consent from</u> <u>the property owner;</u>
- 3. A copy of the Arkansas Retail Sales Permit issued by the <u>State Fire Marshal's</u> <u>Office;</u>
- 4. The \$100 fee owed to the City for the permit.

<u>The permit issued by the Mountain Home Fire Department shall stand in place of</u> the traditional business license normally required by the City for a retail business.

# **SECTION 4. PERMIT FOR THE DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS**

A permit for a fireworks display to be held inside the city limits shall be obtained from the City of Mountain Home Fire Department Fire Inspection Division and shall be signed by the Fire Chief and Fire Inspector. <u>There is no fee required for a permit for a fireworks display.</u> The person applying for the permit shall be a least twenty-one (21) years of age.

Prior to the City's firework display permit being issued, the following must be provided to the Mountain Home Fire Department:

- 1. Copy of a corporate bond in the principal sum of Two Hundred-Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) (or a public liability insurance policy for the same amount) provided by a licensed insurance company;
- 2. If the property in question is not owned by the applicant, written consent from the property owner;

- 3. A site plan, including include the dimensions of the discharge site, spectator viewing area, parking areas, and the fallout area as well as the required separation distances of seventy-five (75) feet per the largest inch diameter of the firework shell;
- 4. Permit for the public display of fireworks issued by the <u>State Fire Marshal's</u> <u>Office</u>.

# **SECTION 5. TIME LIMITATIONS**

All applications for firework display permits shall be made at least five (5) days prior to the requested date of discharging the fireworks.

Fireworks may be sold beginning on June 20<sup>th</sup> through July 10<sup>th</sup> and beginning on December 10<sup>th</sup> through January 5<sup>th</sup> of each year. Fireworks shall not be discharged within the corporate limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas without a permit.

# **SECTION 6. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR RETAIL SALES**

- 1) All fireworks shall have the fuses protected.
- 2) Smoking of lighted cigarettes, cigars or pipes shall not be permitted inside or within 50 feet of the consumer fireworks retail sales area.
- 3) **"FIREWORKS—NO SMOKING"** signs shall be provided and shall be visible from all directions inside and outside the retail sales location. The signs shall have letters 4 inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.
- 4) Fireworks shall not be discharged within 300 feet of retail sales of fireworks. At least one (1) sign that reads, "NO FIREWORKS DISCHARGE WITHIN 300 FEET" shall be provided at each entrance. The signs shall have letters 4 inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.
- 5) At least two (2) signs that read, "NO FIREWORKS DISCHARGE INSIDE CITY LIMITS" shall be provided at each retail location and shall be visible from all directions inside and outside the retail sales location. The signs shall have letters 4 inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.
- 6) Fireworks shall not be sold at locations that use, store or sell flammable liquids or highly combustible products.
- 7) All retail sales locations shall provide at least one fire extinguisher, minimum 10pound, ABC-type fire extinguisher, or provide a water hose connected to an adequate water supply. In all structures, the placement of fire extinguishers shall be located so that the maximum travel distance to any extinguisher from any point will not exceed seventy-five (75) feet.

- 8) ALL tent and temporary structures shall be Fire Department approved, and all other retail sales facilities shall meet interior and exterior requirements as stated in the Arkansas Fire Prevention Code. There shall be at least two approved exits available from each tent or structure.
- 9) All temporary and permanent structures for the retail sale of fireworks shall be located no further than 150 feet from a public way, or an approved fire apparatus access road. There shall be no <u>vehicle</u> parking within 15 feet of where fireworks are <u>offered for sale</u>. For the purpose of this Ordinance, the minimum 15-foot distance shall be measured from the tent line or a permanent, exterior wall.

# **SECTION 7. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR FIREWORK DISPLAYS**

All displays of fireworks, including all requirements for safety, display site selection, fallout areas and operation of the display, shall be done in accordance with the current edition of the National Fire Protection Association 1123, Code of Fireworks Display.

# **SECTION 8. PROHIBITED SALES**

It shall be unlawful to sell or to offer to sell fireworks to children under the age of twelve (12) years old. It shall be unlawful to knowingly sell fireworks to person(s) known to be intoxicated.

# **SECTION 9. UNLAWFUL USE**

It shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks on or in city streets, highways, alleys and public property. It shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks within six hundred (600) feet of any church, hospital, nursing home, or public school while such facility is occupied, and shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks within three hundred (300) feet of where fireworks are sold or stored. It shall be unlawful to throw fireworks at or from any motor vehicle. It shall be unlawful to throw fireworks at or near any person.

# **SECTION 10. PENALTY**

Any person, firm or corporation found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be fined not less than One Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars (\$125.00), nor more than Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) for every violation.

# SECTION 11. ORDINANCES REPEALED

Ordinance No. 2003-24 and Ordinance No. 2023-41 are hereby repealed in their <u>entirety</u>. All other existing ordinances or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

# PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 5<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2024.

HILLREY ADAMS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK

## **ORDINANCE NO. 2023-41**

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2003-24, WHICH REGULATES THE RETAIL SELLING, MANUFACTURE, SHOOTING, OR DISCHARGING OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS

WHEREAS, it has been determined that fireworks displays should be managed and operated by duly certified pyrotechnics technicians, for the safety of our city inhabitants and visitors to the city, and;

WHEREAS, it has been determined that all fireworks displays and fireworks retail sales require a duly authorized written permit, issued by the Fire Chief or Fire Inspector, and shall be approved by the Fire Chief, and;

WHEREAS, it has been deemed appropriate that the permit shall be obtained at least five days in advance of the fireworks display or the retail sales of fireworks, and the custody of the permit will be retained by the pyrotechnics technician or sales associate and produced when required by police or fire officials.

# NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

# SECTION 1. MANUFACTURE, SALE OR USE OF FIREWORKS

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or offer for sale, or to make or manufacture ANY type of firework or other explosive within the City limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas, without first obtaining a duly authorized written permit issued by the Fire Chief or City Fire Inspector and approved by the Fire Chief.

It shall be unlawful to shoot, explode, discharge, fire or set off ANY type of firework or other explosive within the City limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas, without first obtaining a duly authorized written permit issued by the Fire Chief or City Fire Inspector, and approved by the Fire Chief.

**PERMIT FOR RETAIL SALES**: A permit for retail sales of fireworks shall be obtained from the Arkansas State Police. A permit for the retail sales of fireworks within the City limits shall be obtained from the City Of Mountain Home Fire Department Inspection Division and shall be signed by the Fire Chief and Fire Inspector. The cost of

the retail sales permit from the City of Mountain Home shall be One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). To obtain a retail sales permit, a copy of the Arkansas State Police Retail Sales Permit and a corporate surety bond in the principal sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) (or a public liability insurance policy for the same amount), shall be provided to the City of Mountain Home Fire Department Fire Inspection Division. The person purchasing the permit shall be a least twenty-one (21) years of age.

**PERMIT FOR PUBLIC DISPLAYS**: A permit for public display of fireworks shall be obtained from the Arkansas State Police. A permit for the public display of fireworks shall be obtained from the City of Mountain Home Fire Department Fire Inspection Division and shall be signed by the Fire Chief and Fire Inspector. To obtain a permit for public fireworks display, a copy of the Arkansas State Police permit and a corporate surety bond in the principal sum of Two Hundred-Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) (or a public liability insurance policy for the same amount) shall be provided. A site plan shall be submitted to the Mountain Home Fire Department Fire Inspection Division. The site plan shall include the dimensions of the discharge site, spectator viewing area, parking areas, and the fallout area as well as the required separation distances of seventy-five (75) feet per the largest inch diameter of the firework shell.

# SECTION 2. TIME LIMITATIONS

All applications for firework permits shall be made at least five (5) days prior to the requested date of discharging the fireworks.

Fireworks may be sold beginning on June 20<sup>th</sup> through July 10<sup>th</sup> and beginning on December 10<sup>th</sup> through January 5<sup>th</sup> of each year. Fireworks shall not be discharged within the corporate limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas without a permit.

# SECTION 3. SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

## **RETAIL SALES:**

- 1) All fireworks shall have the fuses protected.
- 2) Smoking of lighted cigarettes, cigars or pipes shall not be permitted inside or within 50 feet of the consumer fireworks retail sales area.
- "FIREWORKS—NO SMOKING" signs shall be provided and shall be visible from all directions inside and outside the retail sales location. The signs shall have letters 4 inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.
- 4) Fireworks shall not be discharged within 300 feet of retail sales of fireworks. At least one (1) sign that reads, **"NO FIREWORKS DISCHARGE WITHIN 300**

**FEET**" shall be provided at each entrance. The signs shall have letters 4-inch inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.

- 5) At least two (2) signs that read, "NO FIREWORKS DISCHARGE INSIDE CITY LIMITS" shall be provided at each retail location and shall be visible from all directions inside and outside the retail sales location. The signs shall have letters 4-inch inches in height, red in color with contrasting background.
- 6) Fireworks shall not be sold at locations that use, store or sell flammable liquids or highly combustible products.
- 7) All retail sales locations shall provide at least one fire extinguisher, minimum 10pound, ABC-type fire extinguisher, or provide a water hose connected to an adequate water supply. In all structures, the placement of fire extinguishers shall be located so that the maximum travel distance to any extinguisher from any point will not exceed seventy-five (75) feet.
- 8) ALL tent and temporary structures shall be Fire Department approved, and all other retail sales facilities shall meet interior and exterior requirements as stated in the Arkansas Fire Prevention Code. There shall be at least two approved exits available from each tent or structure.
- 9) All temporary and permanent structures for the retail sale of fireworks shall be located no further than 150 feet from a public way, or an approved fire apparatus access road. There shall be no parking within 15 feet of where fireworks are sold.

**PUBLIC DISPLAYS:** All public displays of fireworks, including all requirements for safety, display site selection, fallout areas and operation of the display, shall be done in accordance with the current edition of the National Fire Protection Association 1123, Code of Fireworks Display.

# **SECTION 4. PROHIBITED SALES**

It shall be unlawful to sell or to offer to sell fireworks to children under the age of twelve (12) years old. It shall be unlawful to knowingly sell fireworks to person(s) known to be intoxicated.

# SECTION 5. UNLAWFUL USE

It shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks on or in city streets, highways, alleys and public property. It shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks within six hundred (600) feet of any church, hospital, nursing home, or public school while such facility is occupied, and shall be unlawful to discharge fireworks within <u>three hundred (300)</u> feet of where fireworks are sold or stored. It shall be unlawful to throw fireworks at or from any motor vehicle. It shall be unlawful to throw fireworks at or near any person.

# **SECTION 6. PENALTY**

Any person, firm or corporation found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be fined not less than One Hundred and Twenty-Five Dollars (\$125.00), nor more than Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) for each and every violation.

### **SECTION 7. REPEALER**

All ordinances or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

# SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE

As the regulation of the sale of fireworks or public displays of such are vital to the health and safety of the citizens of Mountain Home, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full effect from the date of its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 16<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2023.

DAMS, MAYOR

SCOTT LILES, CITY CLERK



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Replaced Did. 2023-41

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ORDINANCE NO. 160

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE AND/OR USE OF FIREWORKS, DYNAMITE, OR OTHER EXPLOSIVES WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF MCUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS, WITHOUT A WRITTEN PERMIT DULY ISSUED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF SAID CITY.

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or offer for sale, or to make or manufacture; or to use by shooting, exploding, discharging, firing or setting off, any type of firework, dynamite, or other explosive, within City Limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas; without first obtaining a written permit duly issued by the City Council of Mountain Home, Arkansas.

Any person, firm, or corporation found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be fined an amount not less than five dollars (\$5.00), nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each and every violation.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval as required by law.

DATED this 18th day of September 1961.

tou Richard Fair, Mayor

Attest:

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Mannie L. Harned, Recorder

ORDINANCE NO. 505

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 160 PROHIBITING SALE AND USE OF FIREWORKS, DYNAMITE AND OTHER EXPLOSIVES AND AUTHORIZING PERMIT, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Amending 1978 Ord. 160 Replaced by Ord. 2023-41

WHEREAS, Ordinance no. 160 dated the 18th day of September, 1961, prohibits the sale and use of fireworks, dynamite and other explosives without first securing a permit in order to protect the citizen's safety; and

WHEREAS, such ordinance requires a permit duly issued by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the issuance of a permit by the Council is impracticable under the circumstances; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the City that such a permit be issued prior to the detonation of and use of explosives;

It is determined that permits should be immediately available to qualified persons and therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

permit issuance / From council city to mayor THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas, the words "City Council" as the same appear in the first paragraph of Ordinance No. 160 of September 18, 1961, be deleted and inserted therefore, the word "Mayor".

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 13th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1978.

Penelope R. Feist, City

Amending #160, Use of Explosives Inside City Limits

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#### ORDINANCE NO. 2003 - 24

#### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 160, WHICH REGULATES THE SELLING, MANUFACTURE, SHOOTING, OR SETTING OFF OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS.

WHEREAS, it has been determined that fireworks displays should be managed and operated by duly certified pyrotechnics technicians, for the safety of our city inhabitants and visitors to the city, and;

WHEREAS, it has been determined that all fireworks displays require a duly authorized written city permit, issued by the City Fire Marshal or the Fire Inspector, and must be approved by the Fire Chief, and;

WHEREAS, it has been deemed appropriate that the permit must be obtained five days in advance of the discharge of the fireworks, and the custody of the permit will be retained by the pyrotechnics technician, and produced when required by police or fire officials at the display location.

# NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNTAIN HOME, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. MANUFACTURE, SELLING, USE OF FIREWORKS. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to sell or offer for sale, or to make or manufacture; or to use by shooting, exploding, discharging, firing or setting off, ANY type of firework, or other explosive, within the City limits of Mountain Home, Arkansas, without first obtaining a duly authorized written permit, issued by the City Fire Marshal or Fire Inspector, and approved by the Fire Chief.

#### SECTION 2. TIME LIMITATIONS.

All applications for fireworks permits must be made five (5) days prior to the requested date of discharging the fireworks.

#### SECTION 3. QUALIFIED PYROTECHNIC PERSONNEL.

Any permit issued for the discharge of fireworks in the City must be issued only to a duly certified pyrotechnics technician, and the fire department will verify that a proper and current certification is in effect. The technician will retain custody of the permit.

#### SECTION 4. PENALTY

Any person, firm, or corporation found guilty of violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be fined not less than Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00), nor more than Two-Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each and every violation.

#### SECTION 5. REPEALER

All ordinances or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 17<sup>1H</sup> DAY OF JULY, 2003.

SE. MAYOR

Amends 052.160 +012.505

Replaced by 012.2023-41

Permits issued by Fire Dept (Marshal + Chief)

Adds time frome

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updates from penalties from 35 -> 375 3100 -> 3200