## ORDINANCE NO. 2020-848

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 13.04.01 AND 13.04.03 OF CHAPTER 13.04 OF THE CLARKSVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, the City of Clarksville is desirous of amending Section 13.04.01 and Chapter 13.04.03 of Chapter 13.04 of the Clarksville Municipal Code:

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

1. Section 13.04.01 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.04.01. Commission Created. By virtue of Ordinance No. 413, the City of Clarksville created a City Planning Commission. The initial number of members was set at nine (9) members. Ordinance No. 17-786, reduced the number of members to seven (7). Ordinance 19-808 increased the number to nine (9) members. That number shall be and is hereby amended to seven (7) members. No more than one-third or two (2) members shall hold any elective or appointed office except for membership on the Board of Adjustment, and no member shall be a member of a standing committee as specified in Ordinance No. 15-747. The members of the City Planning Commission shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

2. Section 13.04.03 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.04.03. Election of officers; rules. At a time and place to be designated by the Mayor which shall be within sixty (60) days after the effective date of this ordinance, the City Planning Commission shall meet and organize by electing from its members a chairman, a vice-chairman, and a secretary. The chairman shall not hold any other municipal office or appointment (Ord. No. 413, Sec 3.)

The City Planning Commission shall recommend and present to the city council and code enforcement officer, rules and regulations to govern its proceedings, which shall provide for a regular meeting date of said Commission at least once a quarter and more often if prescribed by the Commission, and such rules and regulations shall provide for such committees within the Commission as may be found necessary and advisable, and the duties of such committees shall be prescribed by the Commission. No committee may exercise duties delegated by the Acts of the state of Arkansas and this ordinance that are organic to the Commission. Such rules and regulations may also provide for special meetings and the manner of calling such. Ord. No. 413, Sec 4.)

3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

EMERGENCY CLAUSE. EMERGENCY CLAUSE: This ordinance being necessary for the effective operation of the city of Clarksville and for the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of Clarksville, an emergency is hereby declared and this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

PASSED THIS 14th DAY OF September, 2020.

APPROVED:

David Rieder, Mayor

ATTEST:

Barbara Blackard, City Clerk/Treasurer