## Ordinance No. 15-742

## AN ORDINANCE WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE NEW POLICE VEHICLES

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Clarksville, Arkansas, recognizes the need to purchase equipment for the new police vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized and empowered under the provisions of Arkansas Code Annotated (1998 Repl. # 2011 Supp.), Section 14-58-303 to waive competitive bidding requirements in situations where such process is not practical or feasible; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that equipment from Fleet Safety Equipment meets the current needs of the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has further determined that equipment from Fleet Safety Equipment is compatible with current equipment.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of Clarksville, Arkansas that:

Section 1. Under the authority of Arkansas Code Annotated (1998 Repl. & 2011 Supp.), The City does hereby waive competitive bidding requirements in connection with the purchase of equipment for the new police vehicles.

Section 2. The City hereby approves the expenditure of \$27,495.93 payable to Fleet Safety Equipment, Inc.

Section 3. All ordinances, resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to extent of such conflict.

EMERGENCY CLAUSE: This ordinance being necessary for the effective operation of the Clarksville Police Facility 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 9th day of March, 2015.

Mark Simpson, Mayor

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ATTEST:

Barbará Blackard, City Clerk/Treasurer