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BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF WANTBUREN, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED: VAN BUREN COUNTY, AR

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING THE COUNTY TO PAY FOR CELL PHONE OF AN OFFICER WITH THE AGFC AND IS ALSO A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE WITH VAN BUREN COUNTY

WHEREAS: Van Buren County currently pays for cell phones for the Officers of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission and have done so for over 10 years.

WHEREAS: The Law states that a Justice of the Peace cannot receive compensation other than the Salary that the County has approved.

WHEREAS: The phone bills are paid from the Arkansas Game and Fish Boating Fund that is collected when Boat Registrations are paid. This fund can only be used for certain line items.

WHEREAS: Brian Tatum is the justice of the peace-elect for District 7 with a term set to begin January 1, 2019. Brian Tatum is also a Wildlife Officer with the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission.

WHEREAS: The Quorum Court finds that payment for this cell phone is not compensation of a justice of the peace, but rather is a regular expense for the services provided the County by the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission; and

WHEREAS: It is in the best interests of the county to continue to pay for the cell phones for Officer Tatum.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF VAN BUREN COUNTY, ARKANSAS THAT:

SECTION 1: Van Buren County will continue to pay for the phone of Officer Brian Tatum, through the Arkansas Game and Fish Boating Fund as it is used in the line of duty through the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission.

Approved this 17th day of January, 2019

APPROVED: X

Dale James, County Judge

Ycertify that this instrument was filed on 01/18/2019 08:31 AM

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PAM BRADFORD

County Clerk

VAN BUREN County, AR

ATTEST:

Pam Bradford, County Clerk