CITY OF BRYANT ORDINANCE No. 2011- 19

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FROM THE DISTRICT COURT AUTOMATION FUND FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISTRICT COURT-RELATED TECHNOLOGY AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Bryant and the County of Saline in cooperation and in conjunction with each other provide local access for the public to the judicial system through the District Court of Saline County, Bryant Department; and

WHEREAS, Ark. Code Ann. §16-13-704 allows the District Court to collect an installment fee each month on each account that the Judge allows a defendant to make time payments on and said installment fees are collected and deposited each month in an account held by the City of Bryant entitled the "District Court Automation Fund" solely for the purpose of district court-related technology; and

WHEREAS, Ark. Code Ann. §16-13-704 requires that expenditures from the District Court Automation Fund be approved by the District Judge and authorized by the City Council of the City of Bryant; and

WHEREAS, the District Court Judge has approved the purchase of electronic ticketing products, district-court-related technology, with \$35,000.00 of said funds.

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

Section 1. Appropriation

The amount of Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000.00) currently held by the City in the District Court Automation Fund is hereby authorized and appropriated to be spent on district court-related technology, specifically electronic traffic ticketing software and hardware.

Section 2. Authorization to Contract

The Mayor of the City of Bryant and or her designee is authorized to enter into a contract with an approved vendor to provide e-ticket equipment and services to the Bryant Police Department, in an amount not to exceed \$35,000.00.

Section 3. Severability

In the event any portion of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance, which shall remain in full force and effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional was not originally a part of this ordinance.

Section 4. Repealer

All ordinances and resolutions, and parts thereof, which are in conflict with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 25 day of August, 2011.

Mayor Jill Dabbs

ATTEST:

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