## ORDINANCE NO. 3001-09

# AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH POLICE SPECIAL EQUIPMENT FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR THE FUNDING OF SAID FUND; EXPENDITURES THEREFROM; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**WHEREAS**, Arkansas Code Annotated § 14-52-110, the Police Chief or his deputies are entitled to the same fees allowable to Sheriffs under Λ.C.Λ. § 21-6-307; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Clinton has not previously authorized the collection of said fees; and;

WHEREAS, there exists a need to obtain additional revenues for use to purchase additional police equipment.

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

#### Section 1. Establishment of Funds:

There is hereby established a separate Police Special Equipment Fund on the books of the City of Clinton.

#### Section 2. Authority to Collect Funds:

A Court of competent jurisdiction is authorized to assess the fees provided in A.C.A. § 14-52-110 and § 21-6-307 on behalf of the City of Clinton.

## Section 3. Deposits of Funds:

All revenues authorized by the Courts and collected by the City of Clinton, pursuant to A.C.A. § 14-52-110 and § 21-6-307, together with any donations shall be deposited into the fund

and held separately in an interest bearing account in an Arkansas Bank insured by the FDIC.

#### Section 4. Use of Fund:

From time to time, as the need arises, the City Council may appropriate the principal and interest in the fund, or any part thereof, for the purchase, replacement, repair or improvement of police equipment, uniforms, vehicles or supplies.

### Section 15. Emergency:

The efficient operation of the City of Clinton Police Department is essential to the public health, safety and welfare. It is important that the provisions of this ordinance go into effect quickly so as to obtain the necessary revenue for the purchase of additional police equipment. An emergency is therefore declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption.

PASSED: 9 Oversiden 8, 2001.

APPROVED:

James Beavers, Mayor

ATTEST:

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APPROVED 48 TO LEGAL FORM:

Brad A. Cazort, City Attorney