RESOLUTION NO. 111-2023

A RESOULTION ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN TERRITORY TO THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS; APPROVING THE SCHEDULE OF SERVICES TO BE EXTENDED TO SAID AREA;

WHEREAS, a petition was filed, pursuant to A.C.A. § 14-40-609, for the annexation of certain territory into the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, the Carroll County Assessor and the Carroll County Clerk have (A) Verified the identity of the petitioner(s); (B) Verified that there are no property owners included in the petition that do not wish to have their property annexed; (C) Verified that the property or properties are contiguous with the Town ; (D) Verified that no enclaves will be created if the petition is accepted by the Town; and presented the petition and their respective verifications to the Carroll County Judge; and

WHEREAS, the County Judge has (A) reviewed the petition and verifications for completeness and accuracy; (B) determined that no enclaves will be created by the annexation; (C) confirmed that the petition contains a schedule of services; (D) found that the land to be annexed are valuable by reason of their adaptability for prospective municipal uses and (E) issued an order articulating these findings and forwarded the petition and order to the contiguous Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas for consideration; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Town Council of that said territory be annexed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. That the following described territory, contiguous to the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas, be and the same is hereby accepted as part of, and annexed to and made a part of the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas:

The NW ¹/₄ of the NW ¹/₄ of Section 33, Township 21 North, Range 23 West, containing 40 acres, more or less.

SECTION 2. That the following schedule of services shall be extended to the area by the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas within the statutorily required three (3) year period after the date the annexation becomes final, as follows:

- 1. Town of Oak Grove Fire Department protection
- 2. Town of Oak Grove Water Department service

SECTION 4. Thirty (30) days after passage and publication or posting of this Resolution as authorized by law, the annexation shall be final and the property shall be within the corporate limits of the town, except as otherwise ordered by the Circuit Court pursuant to a cause of action filed within said thirty (30) day period.

SECTION 5. Notice. Within forty-five (45) days of the effective date of this ordinance the city clerk shall provide written notice, along with complete documentation, to the county clerk of each county in which the territory is affected.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS <u>2</u> DAY OF <u>Ebuar</u> 2023.

Robert Fairweather, Mayor

ATTEST:

Stephanine Shepherd, Town Recorder