## ORDINANCE NO. 2023-09

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF HEBER SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT TO EMPLOY THE SPOUSE OF THE MAYOR, PRESCRIBING THE EXTENT OF SAID AUTHORITY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City Heber Springs, Arkansas, as follows:

**Section 1.** Stephen Griffin, a full time employee of the Heber Springs Police Department, is married to Mayor Kasey Griffin.

**Section 2.** In accordance with Arkansas Code Annotated Section 14-42-107(b)(1), the City Council hereby authorizes the Heber Springs Police Department to employ Stephen Griffin despite any direct or indirect benefit Mayor Kasey Griffin may derive from said employment.

**Section 3**. The authority granted herein shall be limited in scope and time to the continued full time employment of Stephen Griffin with the Heber Springs Police Department.

Approved this 16th day of March, 2023.

Kasey Griffin, Mayor

ATTEST:

Vicki McPherson, City Clerk