AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING CERTAIN TERRITORY INTO THE CITY OF BARLING

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BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Barling, Arkansas:

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WHEREAS, on the 5th day of June, 1968, before the County Court of Sebastian County, Greenwood District, there came to be heard a petition in proper form and substance, executed by the sole owner of a certain tract desired to be annexed to the City of Barling, Arkansas, described as follows:

> The North Half  $(N_{2}^{\frac{1}{2}})$  of the Southeast Quarter (SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Eight (8) North, Range Thirty-one (31) West.

WHEREAS, the County Court for Sebastian County, Arkansas, Greenwood District, found that the said tract desired to be annexed consists of land to be used for residential or commercial purposes and that said tract is in a densely-settled area and represents the actual growth of the City of Barling, Arkansas, beyond its legal boundary, and further that said annexation is desirable for the purpose of furnishing the owner of said tract with the extension of City utilities and facilities, including fire and police protection; that said petition was right and proper and that said proposed annexation is in the best interest of the owner of said tract, and it is also in the best interest of the City of Barling; said County Court for Sebastian County, Arkansas, Greenwood District, having considered, ordered and adjudged that the petition for annexation of said tract to the City of Barling, Arkansas, be granted, accepted and approved and said County Court, having ordered an annexation of said tract to the City of Barling, Arkansas, and made a part hereof for all purposes as provided by law, subject to acceptance by the City Council of Barling, Arkansas.

THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Barling, Arkansas, that the tract above described be accepted into the City of Barling, Arkansas, annexed to the City of Barling, Arkansas, and made a part hereof for all purposes as provided by law.

It appearing to the City Council that the installation and servicing of public utilities and the extension of fire and police protection is dependent upon final approval and acceptance for annexation of the territory herein described, and that the adoption of this ordinance is necessary to protect and promote the public health and safety, an emergency is declared, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, adoption and publication.

PASSED and adopted this <u>S</u> day of <u>July</u>, 1968. <u>Rowce Ce. Amilt</u> <u>Mayor</u>

ATTEST:

Raymond Car

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