ORDINANCE 2011-13

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2003-11

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2011-13 established additional fines to offset jail fees, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, Legislation has been enacted to assist municipalities with jail fees. A.C.A. 16-17-129 allows a $20.00 fee to be added to each misdemeanor and traffic offense,

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

SECTION 1. That Ordinance No. 2003-11 is hereby amended to reflect the rising cost of incarcerating prisoners.

SECTION 2. That pursuant to A.C.A. 16-17-129, a $20.00 fee shall be charged per each misdemeanor or traffic offense which comes before the Mulberry City Court.

SECTION 3. Said fee shall be deposited and recorded in compliance with A.C.A. 16-17-129 and shall be used only for the purpose set forth in the above said Statute.

SECTION 4. If any provision of this ordinance is held invalid or unconstitutional, it shall be deemed severable and separable and the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 20TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2011.

ATTEST: _____
Jerry Dickerson, Recorder-Treasurer

APPROVED: _____
Gary D. Baxter, Mayor