ORDINANCE NO. 2012-10

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2006-04; VICIOUS DOGS AND/OR OTHER ANIMALS; STRAY DOGS

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2006-04 states that an unclaimed dog will be transported to the Humane Society in Fort Smith for their disposal; and

WHEREAS, The City of Mulberry no longer uses the Humane Society to dispose of animals.

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

SECTION 1: Section 2(A) be amended to delete the wording "If no claim is made for the dog, the animal will be transported to the Humane Society in Fort Smith for their disposal." This wording shall be replaced by "If no claim is made for the animal it may be given to a responsible individual or disposed of according to ACA 14-54-1102."

SECTION 2: EMERGENCY CLAUSE – It is hereby ascertained and declared that in order to facilitate the City's current method of disposing of animals; an emergency is declared to exist. The Addendum to Ordinance No. 2006-04 shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 21ST DAY OF AUGUST, 2012.

APPROVED:

Gary D. Baxter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jerry Dickerson, Recorder-Treasurer