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**VAN BUREN COUNTY QUORUM COURT**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2016-49**

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF VAN BUREN,  
STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:**

**AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE THE VAN BUREN COUNTY  
CIRCUIT CLERK AS PRIMARILY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTION  
OF FINES OR FEE COSTS ASSESSED IN VAN BUREN COUNTY  
CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL CASES.**

**WHEREAS:** Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 16-13-709(a)(1)(A)(i), the quorum court of each county of the state shall designate a county official, agency, or department which shall be primarily responsible for the collection of fines or fees assessed in the circuit courts of this state; and

**WHEREAS:** Arkansas Code Annotated § 9-15-202(b)(2), authorizes the collection of assessed costs in order of protection cases by the designated county official, agency, or department; and

**WHEREAS:** The Van Buren County Circuit Clerk is currently collecting fines and/or fees assessed in the Van Buren County Circuit Court civil cases, and costs assessed in order of protection cases, and the Quorum Court desires for this arrangement to continue.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:**

The Van Buren County Circuit Clerk shall be responsible for the collection of fines or fees assessed in Van Buren County Circuit Court civil cases, and costs assessed in order of protection cases.

The Van Buren County Circuit Clerk may, pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 16-13-709(a)(1)(B)(i) delegate the responsibility for the collection of delinquent fines or fees assessed in Circuit Court to a private contractor.

Approved this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Dec., 2016

**APPROVED:**   
**Roger Hooper, County Judge**

**ATTEST:**   
**Pam Bradford, County Clerk**

CERTIFICATE  
STATE OF ARKANSAS )  
COUNTY OF VAN BUREN ) SS.  
I, PAM BRADFORD, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original document as appears in Book Ordinance Page 52 on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016.  
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Pam Bradford County Clerk  
By Amanda Mitchell D.D.