

RESOLUTION NO. 08-2022

**A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE RESOLUTION NO. 16-2001
AND THE 2022 ADOPTED BUDGET FOR THE PURPOSE OF
RECEIVING AND EXPENSING THE \$5,000 STIPEND FOR
ELIGIBLE FULL-TIME LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS**

WHEREAS, the Arkansas General Assembly passed Act 224 of 2022 during the 2022 Fiscal Session;

WHEREAS, through passage of Act 224 of 2022, the Arkansas General Assembly appropriated \$50,000,000 to provide a one-time salary stipend for eligible full-time law enforcement officers;

WHEREAS, “eligible full-time law enforcement officer” is specifically defined under Act 224 and the city/town does not have discretion to change the definition; and

WHEREAS, each eligible full-time law enforcement officer is entitled to a one-time salary stipend of \$5,000. Employee payroll deductions will be made as required by law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Malvern, Arkansas has determined that the City’s 2022 budget should be amended for the purpose of expending the one-time salary stipend to eligible full-time law enforcement officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Malvern City Council, that:

Section 1. This Resolution shall amend Resolution No. 16-2021 and be known as the Amendment Budget Resolution for the City of Malvern, Arkansas, for the remaining budget period beginning January 1, 2022 and ending December 31, 2022;

Section 2. The City hereby amends the 2022 city general revenue budget and appropriates an additional \$100,000.00 for the police officers to receive \$5,000 each and an additional \$ 7,650.00 for the city to pay the FICA and Medicare as the employer payroll contributions. The total of the additional appropriation is \$107,650.00. These funds are appropriated for the purposes set forth for the remainder of the calendar year ending December 31, 2022.


Section 3. That a portion of Section 1 of Resolution No. 16-2021_ be hereby amended to reflect the change in the line item for the Police Department as follows:

CATEGORY OF EXPENDITURES

General Fund

Police Department.....\$2,300,079.86

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of September, 2022.



Brenda J. Weldon, Mayor

ATTEST:



Phyllis Dial, City Clerk/Treasurer

