ordinance no. <u>28-23</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 10-2, SUBSECTION (b) AND (c) OF THE FORT SMITH MUNICIPAL CODE

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS, THAT:

- **Section 1:** Section 10-2(b) and (c) of the Fort Smith Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:
 - (b) The fire code board of appeals referred to in this section is the board of appeals provided for by the Arkansas State Fire Prevention Code Volume 1, currently in force in the city as adopted in Section 10-31. It is expressly determined that such fire code board of appeals has those powers and duties provide for in Volume 1, Section 111, of the 2021 Arkansas State Fire Prevention Code.
 - (c) Except as expressly set forth in the section, the procedure for the handling of such appeals from the decisions of the fire official/building official to the fire code board of appeals, including the finality of decisions thereof, shell be those procedures which are specified in the 2021 Arkansas State Fire Prevention Code.

Section 2: Effective Date:

The Ordinance shall be effective commencing April 7, 2023.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 7th I

YOF March 202

APPROVED:

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

Approved as to form: