

**ORDINANCE NO. 2021-09-4539**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE IV OF THE ARKANSAS CITY MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADD A NEW SECTION 2-279 TO PROVIDE PROVISIONS FOR A CHIEF OF POLICE AS REQUIRED BY NATIONAL ACCREDITATION STANDARDS.**

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ARKANSAS CITY, KANSAS:**

**SECTION ONE:** Chapter 2, Article IV of the Arkansas City Municipal Code is hereby amended to add a new section 2-279 to read as follows:

**2-279 Chief of Police**

The commissioned law enforcement officer position of Chief of Police shall be the chief executive officer of the police department. The Chief of Police shall be appointed by the City Manager, shall be responsible for the general management and control of the police department and subject to supervisory control by the City Manager, and shall administer the police department in a manner consistent with the ordinances of the City, the laws and Constitution of the state of Kansas and the United States Constitution.

**SECTION TWO: PUBLICATION; EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance, or a summary thereof, shall be published one time in the official City newspaper, and shall take effect and be in force from and after said publication.

**PASSED AND ORDAINED** by the Governing Body of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2021.

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Scott Rogers, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lesley Shook, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Larry R. Schwartz, City Attorney

**CERTIFICATE**

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Ordinance No. 2021-09-4539 of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, adopted by the Governing Body thereof on September 21, 2021, as the same appears of record in my office.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_.

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Lesley Shook, City Clerk