RESOLUTION NO. 2023-

CITY OF TONTITOWN, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A CLOSED ADMISSIONS CONTRACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF ANIMAL SHELTERING SERVICES BY AND BETWEEN WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS AND THE CITY OF TONTITOWN, ARKANSAS.

WHEREAS, the City of Tontitown desires to enter into a Closed Admissions Contract with Washington County, Arkansas, concerning the provision of animal sheltering services; and

WHEREAS, the Closed Admissions Contract, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", sets forth mutual promises of the parties regarding the provision of sheltering services including, but not limited to food, water, shelter, basic veterinary care, euthanasia, and impoundment to the any citizen who has a letter from the City of Tontitown authorizing the County to accept the animal, according to Shelter surrender policies; and

WHEREAS, after thorough review of the Closed Admissions Contract, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interest and benefit to the community to authorize the Mayor to execute the contract with Washington County, Arkansas on behalf of the City of Tontitown.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Tontitown, Arkansas:

<u>Section 1.</u> The City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute the Closed Admissions Contract with Washington County, Arkansas on behalf of the City of Tontitown for the provision of animal sheltering services and the City of Tontitown agrees to comply with the County's Operating Policy during the term of the agreement, as provided and set forth in the attached Exhibit "A".

Section 2. The Mayor and her designee are hereby authorized to take all such action as necessary in connection therewith.

PASSED AND APPROVED this day of April 2023.

APPROVED:

Angela Russell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Rhonda Ardemagni, City Clerk-Treasurer (SEAL)