RESOLUTION NO. 2025-1205

CITY OF TONTITOWN, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING AUGUST 11, 2025 AS 811 DAY IN THE CITY OF TONTITOWN, ARKANSAS.

WHEREAS, each year, underground utility lines in Arkansas are damaged due to digging without first contacting 811 — leading to service disruptions, environmental harm and public safety risks; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Communications Commission established 811 in 2005 as a simple, nationwide number for homeowners and contractors to request utility line locations before digging; and

WHEREAS, Arkansas 811 offers a free, easy-to-use service — by phone or online —that helps prevent damage, saving time, money and lives; and

WHEREAS, Black Hills Energy and other stakeholders remain committed to promoting public safety, safe digging practices and compliance with state and local regulations; and

WHEREAS, damage prevention is a shared responsibility, and by calling 811 before digging, Tontitown residents and contractors help protect our infrastructure and community;

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

The Tontitown City Council hereby proclaims August 11, 2025 as 811 Day Section 1. in the City of Tontitown, Arkansas and urges everyone to:

Call Before you Dig.

It's safe. It's free. It's the law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of August 2025.

ATTEST:

Rhonda Ardemagni, City Clerk-Treasurer

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