

ORDINANCE 2020-18

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF MARION COUNTY,  
ARKANSAS; AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET FOR  
2020.

Article 1. Create Line 3009 to Other Professional Services (to pay  
Communication Associates for the removal of damaged equipment  
and installation of new as well as reprogramming of all countywide  
subscriber units) in Fund 3403 Office 0504 Emergency Warning Tower  
Fund.

Article 2. Appropriate \$20,000 unappropriated monies from County  
Building Improvement Fund 3403.

Article 3. Monies will be appropriated as follows:

- 3009 Add \$6000.00 Other Professional Services
- 2020 Add \$14,000 Repair and Parts

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Dawn Moffet  
Marion County Clerk  
D.C.

Passed and approved by the Quorum Court of Marion County,  
Arkansas on this 14 day of April, 2020,

Approved: [Signature]  
John Massey, Marion County Judge

Attest: [Signature]  
Dawn Moffet, Marion County & Circuit Clerk

Date: April 14, 2020

Sponsored by The Budget Committee

**Ordinance 2020-19**

Be it enacted by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas; an Ordinance to be entitled:

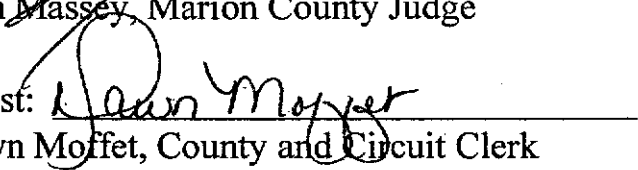
An ordinance amending the 2020 Numbers and Compensation, Ordinance 2019-87 for the calendar year 2020 for Marion County, Arkansas.

Article 1: Whereas Ordinance 2019-26 changed Article 5 of the 2019 Numbers and Compensation Ordinance to change the Licensed Master Assistant to the position of Employee and that was not changed in the current Ordinance.

Therefore upon the passage of this Ordinance, the position of Licensed Master Assistant shall be changed to read Employee.

Passed and approved by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas, on this 14 day of April, 2020.

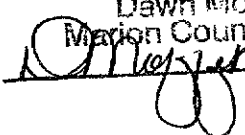
Approved:   
John Massey, Marion County Judge

Attest:   
Dawn Moffet, County and Circuit Clerk

Sponsored by: Justices White, McCalla  
The Budget Committee

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**Ordinance 2020-20**

Be it enacted by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas; an Ordinance to be entitled:

An ordinance amending the annual operating budget, Ordinance 2019-87 for the calendar year 2020 for Marion County, Arkansas.

Whereas, after paying the election officials for the 2020 Primary Election a small shortfall has occurred, therefore:

Article 1:

1000-0109-1003	Extra Help/Per Diem	\$11.21 Subtract
1000-0109-1002	Election Services Part Time	\$11.21 Add

Article 2: This ordinance herein enacted is an appropriation ordinance and therefore, it is effective immediately.

Passed and approved by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas, on this 14 day of April, 2020.


Approved:   
John Massey, Marion County Judge

Attest:   
Dawn Moffet, County and Circuit Clerk

Sponsored by: Justices Nickels, Mayo, McCalla, White

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Marion County Clerk  
 D.C.

**Ordinance 2020-21**

Be it enacted by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas; an Ordinance to be entitled:

An Ordinance to stimulate the balance in County General in the year 2020.

Whereas, the following funds will appropriate the said sums in order to ease the amount of money spent out of County General for payrolls.

Article 1:

3012 – Child Support Fees – create the following line items and appropriate \$23789.63 as follows. This will pay one deputy in the Clerk’s office for 17 pay periods, beginning April 21, 2020:

Personal Services

3012-0102-1001	Full Time	\$16660.00 add
3012-0102-1006	FICA	\$ 1274.49 add
3012-0102-1007	Retirement	\$ 2552.38 add
3012-0102-1009	Insurance	\$ 3302.76 add

Article 2:

3000 – Treasurer’s Automation Fund – create the following line items and appropriate \$15313.16 as follows. This will pay the Treasurer and the deputy for four pay periods, beginning April 21, 2020.

Personal Services

3000-0103-1001	Full Time	\$11061.56 add
3000-0103-1006	FICA	\$ 846.20 add
3000-0103-1007	Retirement	\$ 1851.16 add
3000-0103-1009	Insurance	\$ 1554.24 add

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Article 3:

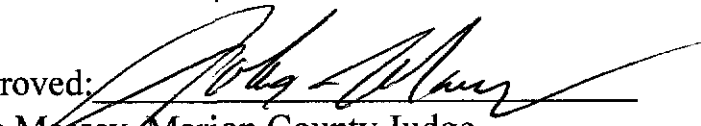
3001 – Collector’s Automation Fund – create the following line items and appropriate \$14258.00 as follows. This will pay the Collector and deputies for two pay periods, beginning April 21, 2020.

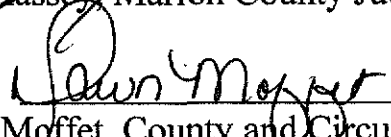
Personal Service

3001-0104-1001	Full Time	\$10330.78 add
3001-0104-1006	FICA	\$ 790.30 add
3001-0104-1007	Retirement	\$ 1582.68 add
3001-0104-1009	Insurance	\$ 1554.24 add

Article 4: This ordinance herein enacted is an appropriation ordinance and therefore, it is effective immediately.

Passed and approved by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas, on this 14 day of April, 2020.

Approved:   
John Massey, Marion County Judge

Attest:   
Dawn Moffet, County and Circuit Clerk

Sponsored by: Justices White, Vanceuren  
The Budget Committee

Ordinance 2020- 22

Be it enacted by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas; an Ordinance to be entitled:

An ordinance amending the annual operating budget, Ordinance 2019-87 for the calendar year 2020 for Marion County, Arkansas.

Article 1. Transfer unappropriated money in the amount of \$100,000.00 from 3403 County Building Improvement Fund as follows:

3403	County Building Fund	\$100,000.00	Subtract
1000	County General Fund	\$100,000.00	Add

These funds are to cover an anticipated shortage in County General until the 2019 taxes have been collected. These monies shall be returned to the County Building Fund as funds become available.

These funds will be transferred as needed by court order.

Following the passage of this ordinance the County Treasurer is ordered to transfer the monies in Article 1 as needed.

Article 2. This Ordinance herein enacted is an appropriation Ordinance, and therefore, it is effective immediately.

Passed and approved by the Quorum Court of Marion County, Arkansas on this 14 day of April, 2020.

Approved: [Signature]  
John Massey, Marion County Judge

Attest: [Signature]  
Dawn Moffet, Marion County & Circuit Clerk

Date: 4/14/2020

Sponsored: The Budget Committee

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at 1252 o'clock P M


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[Signature]  
Dawn Moffet  
Marion County Clerk  
[Signature] D.C.

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-23

APR 15 2020

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF Madison STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED: Asa Hutchinson D.C.

Dawn Moffet  
County Clerk  


**AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE TO ADDRESS LEAVE POLICIES IN TIMES OF A PUBLIC-HEALTH EMERGENCY DECLARED BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.**

WHEREAS, Governor Asa Hutchinson has declared a public-health emergency due to the COVID-19 virus entering Arkansas;

WHEREAS, quarantine is one of the recommended management tools by the CDC to prevent the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the quarantine period recommended by the CDC is fourteen days from the date of exposure;

WHEREAS, House Resolution 6201 provides for an expansion of FMLA leave during this public health emergency and provides for up to 80 hours of sick leave available to qualifying employees for a COVID-19 related reason;

WHEREAS, HR 6201 goes into effect "not later than April 2, 2020";

WHEREAS, that leaves a number of days between the date of this passage of this ordinance and the effective date of HR 6201 in which county employees may be affected by COVID-19, or related closures;

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the County, it's employees, and the public, that persons who have been exposed to COVID-19 or who have been diagnosed with COVID-19 be able to remain in quarantine for the full fourteen-day period;

WHEREAS, the County is attempting to ensure employees are able to remain in quarantine for the full fourteen-day period, or are able to remain in quarantine after having a confirmed case of COVID-19, without suffering undue hardship which may be created by limited availability of leave;

NOW THEREFORE;

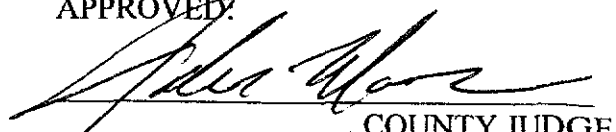
- 1) During the state of public health emergency declared by the Governor due to COVID-19, the following rules will be in place from the passage of this ordinance until the Families First Coronavirus Response Act goes into effect.
- 2) Employees who fall under one of the following categories will be eligible to receive an amount, not to exceed two weeks of pay for their regularly scheduled hours or salary:
  - a. There is a mandated quarantine by federal, state, or local government where the employee lives or works;

- b. An employee has been placed on self-quarantine by a health care provider, or by the Arkansas Department of Health, or is under an Order of quarantine by the Arkansas Department of Health, and the quarantine is related to the employee's possible exposure to COVID-19;
  - c. An employee is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 and is seeking a medical diagnosis;
  - d. An elected official sends an employee home due to fever, or other objective concerns about possible exposure;
    - i. The elected official may use their discretion to identify an employee subject to quarantine based on identified risk factors as explained by the CDC, or based on fact specific information related to travel locations, or high-risk transmission settings, or personal contact with a person infected with COVID-19.
  - e. An employee has been diagnosed with COVID-19.
- 3) Employees who do not qualify for sections 2 subparts a) -- e) of this Ordinance, but who have a school-aged child who is under 18 years of age and attends an elementary school or secondary school, and who has experienced a school closing or mandatory quarantine, may choose to stay home with their child without being subject to discipline for attendance.
- a. Employees who choose to stay home under this option are required to use any accrued paid time off, including sick leave, vacation leave, comp time, and personal time off.
  - b. Once paid time off has been exhausted, the employee may accrue a deficit balance to the extent necessary to accommodate the school closing.
- 4) During the state of public health emergency declared by the Governor due to COVID-19, the rules set forth herein will be in place from the passage of this ordinance, until the public health emergency has passed, as determined by the Governor.
- 5) An employee diagnosed with COVID-19 shall not return to work for up to fourteen days from initial diagnosis. A medical release shall be required from the physician or physician's office who originally diagnosed the employee.
- 6) Employees who choose to take time off during this declared public-health emergency for any reason other than those listed above, are still subject to the regular leave provisions as outlined in the County Personnel Policy.

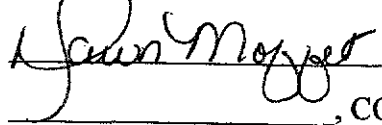


7) EMERGENCY CLAUSE. There is significant risk to public health and safety posed by the spread of COVID-19. The Marion County Quorum Court has determined that this Ordinance is necessary to help prevent the spread of the illness within the County and to members of the general public who may visit county offices. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Ordinance, being necessary for the preservation of public health, safety and welfare, shall be effective from and after its date of passage.

APPROVED:

  
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COUNTY JUDGE  
DATE SIGNED: 4/14/2020

ATTEST:

  
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COUNTY CLERK

SPONSOR: Justice White

DATE ADOPTED: 4/14/2020

Votes for: 9 Against: \_\_\_\_\_

Abstain: \_\_\_\_\_ Present: 9 Absent: \_\_\_\_\_