## RESOLUTION NO. 2022 - 009



## **Arkansas Rural Community Grant Program**

Be it resolved by the Quorum Court of Craighead County, State of Arkansas a resolution entitled: Arkansas Rural Community Grant Program Assistance.

A Resolution authorizing the County Judge of Craighead County to apply for a grant on behalf of the Southridge Fire Protection District.

WHEREAS, the Craighead County Quorum Court has determined that Southridge Fire Protection District meets the eligibility requirements necessary to apply for a grant under the Arkansas Rural Community Grant Programs, and

WHEREAS, the Southridge Fire Protection District has presented plans to battery operated tools, ex. portable lights, box cutters, etc. for the Southridge Fire Protection District; and whereas, the Quorum Court of Craighead County recognizes the need for the project, concurs its importance, and supports the Southridge Fire Protection District in its efforts to proceed with the same, and

WHEREAS, the Southridge Fire Protection District has furnished proof that they have raised \$15,000.00 through community cash and/or in-kind donations to be applied to the project as a local match.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Quorum Court of Craighead County hereby appropriates a sum of \$15,000.00 to complete the local match money requirement for the project described herein;

Be it further resolved that the County Judge of Craighead County is hereby authorized to submit an application of formal request to the Arkansas Rural Development Commission for purpose of securing state grant funds in the amount of \$15,000.00 to aid and assist the Southridge Fire Protection District in executing the proposed project described herein and that the County Judge of Craighead County is further authorized to administer the grant funds for the same project.

THIS RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON THE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_DAY OF FEBRUARY 2022.

Approved:

Marvin Day, County Judge

Attest:

Lesli Penny, County Clerk