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ORDINANCE NO. 22-5

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING THE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF SOLAR ENERGY PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY OF SHERIDAN

WHEREAS, the City of Sheridan has an interest in the safe construction and installation of solar energy production equipment within the City, and for the preservation of the public health and safety and other reasons;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHERIDAN, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. A Solar Power Energy Production Permit shall be required prior to the construction or installation of any solar power production equipment within the jurisdiction of the City of Sheridan.

Section 2. The fee for a permit shall be:

Forty Dollars (\$40.00) plus One Dollar (\$1.00) for each One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) of estimated project costs.

Section 3. Applicants shall apply for permits through the Mayor's office on forms prescribed by the City Council. The Mayor shall make the determination of whether a permit is granted. A permit may be denied if the applicant has prior convictions for violating the City's zoning or planning ordinances.

Section 4. The penalty for construction or installation activity without a permit shall be a fine not to exceed Five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per day.

Section 5. In addition to the penalties and remedies as may otherwise be provided, the Mayor or his designee may order the disconnection of municipal water or sewer service to any person, firm or entity who commences or continues construction or installation work without a permit.

Section 6. Upon denial of a permit application, the applicant shall upon written request be entitled to a hearing before the City Council within 30 days of the denial. The applicant may appeal a decision of the City Council to the Grant County District Court.

Section 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of said conflict.

Section 8. Emergency clause: This ordinance being necessary for the protection of the public peace, health, and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist; and this ordinance shall be in

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full force and effect from and after its passage.

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PASSED AND APPROVED this 6TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2022, L. HARRISON
COUNTY & CIRCUIT CLERK
GRANT COUNTY, AR

BY _____ DC

[Signature]
MAYOR

ATTEST: [Signature]
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