

**PROPOSED DORDINANCE 24-45**

**Sponsored by Justice Lachowsky**

**Be it enacted by the Quorum Court of Faulkner County, State of Arkansas, an Ordinance to be entitled: an Ordinance to repeal Faulkner County Ordinance 21-13 (June 23, 2021), and to declare an emergency.**

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code §14-22-102 and §14-22-104 set competitive bidding and purchasing thresholds and procedures for county government; and

WHEREAS, the Quorum Court of Faulkner County Arkansas acknowledges it is in the best interest of the citizens of Faulkner County for county officials to explore the best purchasing options as put forth in Title 14, Chapter 22, of the Arkansas Code; and

WHEREAS, the Quorum Court of Faulkner County passed Ordinance 21-13, requiring county officials to utilize the procurement methods prescribed under Title 14, Chapter 22, of the Arkansas Code for all purchases in excess of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: Faulkner County Ordinance 21-13 is hereby repealed in its entirety. Faulkner County shall adhere to the limits set forth in Arkansas Code §14-22-102.

SECTION 2: The adoption of this Ordinance is an emergency and therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon passage.

Approved By the Quorum Court On October 15, 2024.

**Attest:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Margaret Darter**  
**Quorum Court Secretariat**  
**Faulkner County, AR**

**Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Allen Dodson**  
**Faulkner County Judge**  
**Faulkner County, AR**

**Dated:** \_\_\_\_\_

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