## ORDINANCE NUMBER: 233

AN ORDINANCE ABOLISHING THE CITY ONE CENT SALES TAX AUTHORIZED BY ORDINANCE 211, PASSED BY THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF BARLING AND ENACTED IN 1992.

- WHEREAS; the voters of the City of Barling and Sebastian County passed a county-wide one cent sales tax effective August 1, 1994; and
- WHEREAS; during the campaign for this county-wide sales tax the Board of Directors of the City of Barling committed to abolish the city one cent sales tax for receipt of revenues from a county-wide sales tax; and
- WHEREAS; though the county-wide one cent sales tax is effective August 1, 1994, receipts from the tax will not be forthcoming until October, 1994, delay of the abolishment of the city one cent sales tax will result in the concurrent collection of the county-wide one cent sales tax and the city one cent sales tax for two months; and
- WHEREAS; such concurrent collection is neither in the best interests of the merchants nor the citizens of the City of Barling.
- FURTHER; the best interests of the public being involved, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance is to be effective as the effective date stated herein.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of Barling, Arkansas, following procedures provided in ACA 26-75-210, now abolishes the city one cent sales tax effective 12:01 A.M. August 1, 1994.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 26 day of 94.

(seal)

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

Mayor, City of Barling

City Clerk