ORDINANCE 309

AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT VARIOUS STANDARD CODES IN THE CITY OF BARLING, ARKANSAS

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City of Barling to adopt, in all respects the various standard Codes relating to Fire Prevention, Building, and Electrical; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of these Codes is done to facilitate property inspection activities by the City of Barling, Arkansas, relating to construction and to maintenance of buildings within said City of Barling, Arkansas, and relating to public safety, health and general welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY the Board of Directors as follows:

SECTION 1: The following codes are hereby adopted by reference as if set out word for word herein:

2002 Arkansas Fire Prevention Code, (Fire) Vol I, (Building) Vol II, and (Residential) Vol III

2002 National Electric Code

SECTION 2: Any Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3: When reference is made to the duties of a certain official named in said codes, that designated official of the City of Barling, Arkansas, who has duties corresponding to those of the named official in said Code shall be deemed to be the responsible official insofar as enforcing the provisions of said Code are concerned.

SECTION 4: The protection of lives and property will be furthered by the immediate effectiveness of this Ordinance such that an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of October, 2003.

Jerry Barling Mayor

ATTEST

Cindy Walker City Clark