

ORDINANCE NO. 04-23

AN ORDINANCE PERMITTING VAUGHAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY TO BE INTERESTED IN CONTRACTS WITH THE CITY OF CAMDEN, ARKANSAS.

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code Annotated § 14-42-107 prohibits an appointed official from having an interest in any contract with the City unless an ordinance is passed specifically permitting an appointee to do so; and

WHEREAS, Teresa Lampkin is a member of the Camden Advertising & Promotion Commission; and

WHEREAS, the term for Teresa Lampkin will expire June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Teresa Lampkin has an indirect interest with Vaughan Construction Company, located at 1275 Hickman Road, Camden, Arkansas; and

WHEREAS, the City desires that Vaughan Construction Company be allowed to provide services to the City of Camden as the need arises and in accordance with the City's ordinance relative to purchases and contracts.

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

SECTION 1. The City Council, the official governing body of the City of Camden, Arkansas, specifically authorizes the City to enter into contract with Vaughan Construction Company, located at 1275 Hickman Road, Camden, Arkansas, on an as needed basis until June 30, 2026, in accordance with the City's ordinance relative to purchases and contracts, without the necessity of prior approval of the City Council.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall not be construed to require the City of Camden to solely use the services of the above-mentioned company, but to provide authorization pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 14-42-107 for Teresa Lampkin, a member of the Camden Advertising & Promotion Commission, to be interested in an ongoing contractual relationship with the City of Camden in furnishing his services as the need arises under the guidelines of the City's ordinance relative to purchases and contracts.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2023.

Mayor

City Clerk