

ORDINANCE NO. 2014-25

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE SEARCY CODE OF ORDINANCES; ADOPTING THE ARKANSAS ENERGY CODE; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF TECHNICAL CODES; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEARCY, ARKANSAS, TO-WIT:

Section 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Searcy, Arkansas, is hereby amended by adding a Section to be numbered 7-14, which said section reads as follows:

“7-3. Arkansas Energy Code.

7-3-1. Adoption of Code. The Arkansas Energy Code, as adopted by the State of Arkansas and as may be amended from time to time by the State of Arkansas, is adopted by the City of Searcy, Arkansas. Three (3) verbatim copies of the Arkansas Energy Code adopted by reference is, and shall be, on file in the office of the City Clerk and made a part hereof as though fully set forth herein word for word in this Chapter.

7-3-2. Application of Code. The Arkansas Energy Code shall apply for new building construction in the City of Searcy commenced after the adoption of such Code.

7-3-3. Enforcement. The Arkansas Energy Code shall be enforced by the Searcy Inspection Department and as directed by the Mayor.”

Section 2. All other ordinances, parts of ordinances or provisions of the Searcy Code of Ordinances in conflict with the terms hereof are hereby suspended, superseded and repealed.

Emergency Clause. The need to maintain currency in the adoption of the applicable codes being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of December, 2014.

**/s/ David Morris
Mayor**

ATTEST:

**/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk**