PULASKI COUNTY FISCAL COURT

9-1-1 ADDRESSING ORDINANCE NO. 150,5

WHEREAS, the Pulaski County Fiscal Court has signed an agreement with GTE South to implement an enhanced 9-1-1 dispatching system to serve all telephone customers in Pulaski County; and,

WHEREAS, the E-9-1-1 system is based on the concept of displaying the 9-1-1 caller's address when the 9-1-1 operator answers the incoming call; and,

WHEREAS, each telephone number in Pulaski County must have a matching physical address for the proposed effectiveness of the enhanced 9-1-1 system; and,

WHEREAS, no part of this ordinance establishing names of roadways and addresses shall in any way commit the Pulaski County Fiscal Court, the Somerset City Council, the Burnside City Council, the Eubank City Council, the Ferguson City Council or the Science Hill City Council, to any roadway maintenance or in any manner make any roadway that is named by this ordinance a "county road", "city street", or a "public passageway" for any reason and or purpose. Any such action would be a separate function and/or action by each individual government entity.

WHEREAS, the burden of establishing all physical addresses in Pulaski County lies with the Pulaski County 9-1-1 Center; therefore,

LET IT BE ORDAINED THAT;

 The administrator of the Pulaski County 9-1-1 Center shall establish written guidelines per this ordinance for the assigning of addresses in Pulaski County.

2. NAMING OF ROADWAYS

- (a) Before any person or group of persons shall designate a name for any roadway in Pulaski County, said person or persons shall verify with 9-1-1 the availability of chosen name.
- (b) The Pulaski County 9-1-1 Center reserves the right to reject any chosen name if chosen name already exists in GEO file or if name is so similar as to cause confusion with emergency response.
- (c) Any person or persons developing any tract of land for residential or commercial use SHALL submit to the 9-1-1 Center two (2) copies of a plat showing each lot or tract in said development, as soon as said

plat is available. The 9-1-1 Center shall assign a physical address to each lot and/or tract and then furnish the developer(s) with an addressed plat. It SHALL then become the responsibility of the developer(s) to supply the purchaser with a correct address for the property at the time of purchase.

3. Any roadway which contains more than one (1) residence or commercial building must have a name assigned to said roadway. Name assignment shall meet the criteria of Section 2 (a). If the residents of said roadway cannot or will not choose a name for roadway, then the 9-1-1 Center SHALL assign roadway name. The establishment of a roadway name shall in no way commit any action by the U.S. Postal Service to supply carrier service to said roadway. The decision to supply mail service to the roadway is the sole responsibility of the U.S. Postal Service.

4. MOBILE HOME PARKS

- (a) Any development with more than two lots which are available for lease for placement of a mobile home or leased with a mobile home in place shall, for the purpose of this ordinance, be considered a MOBILE HOME PARK (MHP).
- (b) Any MHP developer shall, before leasing any lot or lot with a mobile home in place, secure the proper address for the MHP from the 9-1-1 Center. The MHP developer/operator shall exercise one of the following options for establishing and identifying the address for each rental unit.
 - O O 1) If MHP contains more than one roadway, MHP operator/developer P N must name all roadways in the MHP in accordance with Section 2(a)
 - T E of this ordinance. MHP operator/developer shall secure a physical address for each unit. MHP developer/operator is responsible for
 - I address for each unit. MHP developer/operator is responsible for seeing that each unit is numbered and each roadway in the MHP has
 - N a road sign identifying the roadway by name.
 - O T 2) If MHP contains only one roadway, the MHP developer/operator
 P W may number each lot and be responsible to see that each mobile home
 T O has the lot number displayed on the mobile home as to be visible from
 the roadway.

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- (c) It shall be the responsibility of the MHP owner/operator to see that each mobile home and or lot has the lot number displayed and clearly visible from the roadway.
- (d) All MHP in operation in Pulaski County SHALL erect a sign at entrance stating the name of the development. Sign shall not be less than 3'x 6'.

If MHP uses criteria in section 4 (b) 2., sign shall also include the address of the MHP.

5. APARTMENT BUILDINGS/COMPLEXES

- (a) Any building which contains more than two (2) units available for lease shall be considered an apartment building/complex (ABC) for the purpose of this ordinance.
- (b) The owner/operator of an ABC in Pulaski County shall be responsible for the following for each building containing rental units:
 - Each building shall bear a sign with the number and/or letter of the building and also the numbers and or letters of the rental units contained therewithin. The sign shall be posted on the side of the building facing the primary access road to the building and clearly legible from roadway.
 - 2) Each unit in each building shall have the number of said unit affixed to the doorway of the unit.
 - 3) If building and/or complex has a name that shall be used in the address and or location of the buildings/complex; then sign must be erected at the entrance to the building/complex identifying such. If building/ complex only has a roadway address; then said address must be posted at the entrance to the complex.

6. POSTING OF ADDRESS

It shall be the responsibility of each residence and business in Pulaski County to post their physical address in a manner which is readable as to assist police, fire and/or rescue personnel in locating the business or residence in the event of an emergency. Pulaski County Fiscal Court and the Pulaski County 9-1-1 Center shall not be liable for any occurrence which is the result of an address not posted or an address which is posted in a manner which is not visible or legible by emergency personnel.

7. RIGHT OF REFUSAL

The Pulaski County 9-1-1 Center has the right to refuse an address to any entity which is not in compliance with any part of this ordinance.

This Ordinance will become effective immediately upon its approval.

PULASKI COUNTY FISCAL COURT

LOUIE G. FLOYD

PULASKI COUNTY JUDGE EXECUTIVE

ATTEST:

WILLARD HANSFORD/ PULASKI COUNTY FISCAL COURT CLERK

First Reading was made and approved on the 13th day of February, 1996.

Second Reading was made and approved on the <u>27th</u> day of <u>February</u>, 1996.