

ORDINANCE 2007-11

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A CITY PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BROOKLAND, ARKANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Brookland, Arkansas that:

SECTION 1: There is hereby created a Commission of the City of Brookland, Arkansas, to be known as the "City of Brookland Planning Commission", which said commission shall consist of five (5) members who shall serve without compensation and of whom not more than one-third may hold any other municipal office or appointment.

<u>SECTION 2:</u> The Planning Commission shall have all the duties and functions authorized by Act 186 of the Acts of Arkansas 1957, as amended.

SECTION 3: The members of the Planning Commission shall be named and appointed by the Mayor and such appointments will be valid and effective upon confirmation by the City Council.

SECTION 4: The members of the Planning Commission shall be for three (3) years. However, the initial appointments to the commission shall be staggered initial appointments with one (1) initial member serving three (3) years, two (2) initial members serving two (2) years and two initial members serving one (1) year. The Mayor shall designate the individuals and will coincide with which terms of the initial appointments. Thereafter as vacancies occur in said Commission, for whatever cause, said vacancies shall be filled in the manner provided and said appointees shall hold office until expiration of the term, which they were appointed to fill. All members of the Planning Commission whose terms may expire shall serve until their successors in office have been appointed and confirmed.

SECTION 5: Emergency Clause: It is hereby found and declared by the City Council of the City of Brookland, Arkansas an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance being necessary for the preservation of public peace, health and safety, the Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after this passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of December, 2007.

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City Clerk