1	ORDINANCE NO		
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3	AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE I, § 8-2(6) AND		
4	ARTICLE VI, DIVISION I, § 8-474(C) OF THE LITTLE ROCK REVISED		
5	CODE OF ORDINANCES (1988); TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION BY		
6	REFERENCE OF THE 2021 INTERNATIONAL MECHANICAL CODE		
7	AND 2021 REVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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9	WHEREAS, Little Rock, Arkansas Rev. Code §8-2(6) and §8-474 (C) adopts by reference the 2021		
10	edition of the International Code with 2021 Revisions and Appendix A published by the International Code		
11	Council, Falls Church, Virginia; and,		
12	WHEREAS, new amended 2021 editions of these Codes have been published by the International		
13	Code Council and adopted by the State of Arkansas as the International Mechanical Code, 2021 Edition		
14	and,		
15	WHEREAS, the City has complied with Arkansas Code Ann. §§14-55-207 (1987) by publishing a		
16	notice of intent to adopt these technical codes by reference in a paper of general circulation within the		
17	municipality and three (3) copies of Codes have been available for inspection in the City Clerk's Office for		
18	the public prior to their adoption; and,		
19	WHEREAS, this ordinance amendment is necessary to update the City Code and authorize the use o		
20	2021 Edition within the City.		
21	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY		
22	OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:		
23	Section 1. This section of Little Rock, Arkansas, Rev. §Code 8-2(6) of the Little Rock, Arkansas Rev		
24	Code is hereby amended to read as follows:		
25	(1) The 2021 International Mechanical Code with Appendix A.		
26	Section 2. This section of Little Rock, Arkansas, Rev. Code §8-474(C) of the Little Rock, Arkansas		
27	Rev. Code is hereby amended to read as follows:		
28	(C) The "2021 International Mechanical Code" with 2021 Revisions and Appendix A		
29	is adopted by reference.		
30	(D) In the vent of a conflict between the publications in Subsections (A), (B) or (C),		
31	the more stringent provisions shall govern.		
32	(E) Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections (A), (B) and (C) above, the City,		
33	consistent with other provisions of Arkansas State Law shall set the job		

1	qualification for its employees. No job qualifications contained in the 2021		
2	International Mechanical Code are adopted in a form whatsoever.		
3	Section 3. Code Application. Permits obtained prior to the effective date of the ordinance will be		
4	enforced under the previous adopted Code till final disposition of the permit.		
5	Section 4. A copy of the 2021 International Mechanical Code, as adopted, will be maintained in the		
6	Office of the City Clerk.		
7	Section 5. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same that are inconsistent with		
8	the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.		
9	Section 6. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or		
10	word of this ordinance is declared or adjudge to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or		
11	adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance, which shall remain in full force and		
12	effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of this		
13	ordinance.		
14	PASSED: December 6, 2022		
15	ATTEST:	APPROVED:	
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18 19	Susan Langley, City Clerk APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:	Frank Scott, Jr., Mayor	
20	AFFROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:		
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