1	RESOLUTION NO		
2	A RESOLUTION TO RATIFY THE REAPPOINTMENT OF KAREN		
3	BUCHANAN TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE LITTLE		
4	ROCK HOUSING AUTHORITY D/B/A METROPOLITAN HOUSING		
5	ALLIANCE (MHA), FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE SEPTEMBER 30, 2030;		
6	AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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8	SPONSOR: Little Rock Housing Authority d/b/a Metropolitan Housing Alliance		
9	WHEREAS, the Little Rock Housing Authority, doing business as the Metropolitan Housing		
10	Alliance (MHA), is governed by a five-member Board of Commissioners charged with overseeing the		
11	organization's mission to provide quality, affordable housing and to support community development in the		
12	City of Little Rock; and		
13	WHEREAS, Karen Buchanan currently serves on the MHA Board of Commissioners, with her		
14	present term scheduled to expire on September 30, 2025; and		
15	WHEREAS, the MHA Board of Commissioners has identified increased community participation		
16	in the public-policy function of the Authority as a key organizational priority; and		
17	WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners believes that broad citizen involvement through service		
18	on boards and commissions represents the most desirable method of achieving community input and		
19	engagement in public governance; and		
20	WHEREAS, on September 25, 2025, the MHA Board of Commissioners adopted Resolution No.		
21	2025-09-34, recommending the reappointment of Karen Buchanan to continue her service as a		
22	Commissioner for an additional five-year term, expiring September 30, 2030; and		
23	WHEREAS, it is necessary for the City of Little Rock Board of Directors to ratify such		
24	reappointments in accordance with applicable governance procedures.		
25	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE		
26	CITY OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:		
27	Section 1. The reappointment of Karen Buchanan to the Board of Commissioners of the Little Rock		
28	Housing Authority d/b/a Metropolitan Housing Alliance, as recommended by the MHA Board of		
29	Commissioners in Resolution No. 2025-09-34, is hereby ratified and approved.		
30	Section 2. Karen Buchanan shall serve a five-year term, expiring on September 30, 2030, unless		
31	otherwise modified or terminated in accordance with applicable laws or regulations.		
32	Section 3. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.		

1	<b>Section 4.</b> Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or		
2	word of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration of		
3	adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the ordinance which shall remain in full force and		
4	effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the		
5	ordinance.		
6	Section 5. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent		
7	with the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.		
8	ADOPTED: October 6, 2025		
9	ATTEST:	APPROVED:	
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11 12	Allison Segars, City Clerk	Frank Scott, Jr., Mayor	
13	APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:	•	
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16	Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney		
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