



STATE OF ARKANSAS  
*City of Brookland*

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-12

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF BROOKLAND, ARKANSAS POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.**

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code Annotated §14-52-101 authorizes the city council to prescribe a city police department duties and define its powers; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of Brookland, Arkansas for the city to adopt the Brookland Police Department Policies and Procedures which is attached hereto and incorporated herein.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BROOKLAND, ARKANSAS.**

**SECTION 1.** The "Brookland Police Department Policies and Procedures" is hereby adopted by the City Council of Brookland, Arkansas, for the purpose of establishing police policies and procedures.

**SECTION 2.** The attached "Brookland Police Department Policies and Procedures" does not represent an employment contract or any aspect of an employment contract and shall not be construed as such. The purpose of the "Brookland Police Department Policies and Procedures" is to provide additional guidance to the standards of conduct embodied in the law enforcement officer's code of ethics. It is the policy of the Brookland Police Department to maintain the highest standard of integrity by working diligently to maintain the community's trust.

**SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE.**

Whereas it is of the utmost urgency that the City of Brookland, Arkansas, have an up to-date Policies and Procedures. Therefore, an Emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance being necessary for the immediate protection of the public shall take effect immediately on its passage and approval.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 14 DAY of September, 2020.**

ATTEST:

  
Billy W. Dacus, Clerk

  
Kenneth D. Jones, Mayor

