## **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-02**

BE IT APPROVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CLEBURNE, STATE OF ARKANSAS; A RESOLUTION TO BE ENTITLED: "A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ENTRY INTO DISCUSSIONS WITH THE U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF INQUIRING ABOUT A LAND EXCHANGE WITH THE COUNTY."

WHEREAS, Cleburne County, Arkansas (the "County"), is authorized and empowered to accept conveyances of real property from the federal government, or any authorized agency thereof, under the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 14-16-104(a); and

WHEREAS, the United States Army Corps of Engineers (the "U.S. ACOE") is part of the department of the United States Army, a department of the federal government; and

WHEREAS, the County may exchange or transfer properties when in the best interest of the county, under the provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 14-16-116; and

**WHEREAS**, the County desires to explore the opportunity of exchanging land with the U.S. ACOE by engaging in discussions; and

**WHEREAS**, in the event an exchange may be made between the County and the U.S. ACOE, that the Quorum Court of the County must confirm the exchange by ordinance, and by a 2/3 vote adopting it.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the duly elected Quorum Court of Cleburne County, Arkansas, that, the County Judge be authorized and directed to enter into discussions with the U.S. ACOE to see if a land exchange would be in the best interest of the County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of February 2023.

ATTEST;	APPROVED:
Rachelle Evans, Cleburne County Clerk	Eric Crosby, Cleburne County Judge
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