### ORDINANCE 2013-01

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 54-31, SALLISAW CODE OF ORDINANCES BY STRIKING THE SAME AND ENACTING A NEW SECTION 54-31 TO THE SALLISAW CODE OF ORDINANCES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SALLISAW, OKLAHOMA.

## **SECTION 1.**

Section 54-31 is repealed in its entirety.

# **SECTION 2.**

Section 54-31, of the Sallisaw Code of Ordinances be established by enacting the following:

SECTION 54-31. Police Department Created; Chief

There is a Police Department, the head of which is the Chief of Police, or Police Chief.

The Chief of Police is an officer of the City and is authorized to supervise and manage the Police Department; however, the City Manager may assume supervision and management of the Police Department, if the Board of City Commissioners deem it in the best interest of the City.

All Police Officers are officers of the City.

### **SECTION 3.**

WHEREAS, an emergency and immediate necessity exists by reason of the health, safety and protection of the citizens of Sallisaw; therefore, an emergency is declared to exist by reason whereof this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

APPROVED this 11th, day of February, 2013.

CITY OF SALLISAW, OKLAHOMA

SHANNON VANN, Mayor

**ATTEST** 

**DIANNA DAVIS, City Clerk** 

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