AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE INTRODUCTION OF FLUORIDE INTO THE MUNICIPAL WATER SUPPLY BY THE MUNICIPAL WATER DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, AND CALLING AN ELECTION HEREON.

WHEREAS, the application of fluoride ion to a water supply to reduce the incidence of dental carries has been approved by the U. S. Public Health Service, the Arkansas State Board of Health, the American Dental Association, the American Association of Public Health Dentists, the American Water Works Association, and many other like associations and bodies; and

WHEREAS it is the consensus among health authorities that a maximum concentration of one and one half (1.5) parts per million of fluoride ion is safe and desirable:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1, That the introduction of fluoride ion of approximately 1.10 parts per million concentration to the municipal water supply be approved,

SECTION 2, That a copy of this ordinance be spread on the minutes of the City Council of the City of CONWAY, ARKANSAS, and the Clerk-Treasurer of the City is hereby directed to send a copy of this ordinance to the Conway Corporation, operator of the municipal water system, and the Arkansas State Board of Health.

SECTION 3, All ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4, Should any portion of this ordinance be unconstitutional or invalid and so declared by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected by such partial invalidity.

SECTION 5, That an election shall be called for the 8th day of November, 1966 for the purpose of determining the wishes of the people on the provisions of this ordinance. If same is approved by
a majority vote of the electors voting thereon this ordinance shall be in full force and effect sixty (60) days after the certification of the results of said election.

PASSED: October 25th, 1966,

APPROVED: ________________________ Mayor

ATTEST: __________________________ Clerk-Treasurer