ORDINANCE NO. O-05-10

AN ORDINANCE WAIVING BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE COMMUNICATION CENTER THROUGH THE INTEROPERABLE GRANT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Services necessary to implement the Communications Interoperability grant require goods and services from proprietary vendors to upgrade existing equipment; and

WHEREAS, the City of Conway desires to contract with Motorola Inc. as sole provider and proprietary vendor for the purchase of two digital control stations in the amount of $15,000. One of the digital control stations will serve as a backup in the event that the fiber connection between the CEOC and the radio frequency antenna is lost. The second control station will provide access to the Arkansas Wireless Information Network.

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway shall waive the requirement for obtaining bids for the purchase of two digital control stations and shall purchase said equipment from Motorola Inc. as a sole source vendor having a total price of $15,000.

SECTION 2. All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3. This ordinance is necessary for the protection of the public peace, health and safety and an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 8th day of February 2005.

APPROVED:

[Signature]
Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:

[Signature]
City Clerk Michael O. Garrett

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