AN ORDINANCE WAIVING BIDS FOR CONTRACTED SERVICES IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE CITY LANDFILL TESTING, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, The City of Conway Sanitary Landfill is subject to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) and the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality's (ADEQ) groundwater monitoring and solid waste management rules. These regulations require groundwater sampling, statistical analysis of groundwater data, and quarterly gas probe monitoring in accordance with the City's Explosive Gas Monitoring Plan; and

WHEREAS, The City of Conway Department of Sanitation has worked with Terracon Consultants, Inc. (formerly Genesis Environmental Consulting, Inc.) on previous reporting and monitoring requirements and will benefit from their expertise and in depth knowledge of the Conway landfill,

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 contracted services in conjunction with the City Landfill's EPA and ADEQ groundwater monitoring, statistical analysis of groundwater data and quarterly gas probe monitoring and shall enter into an agreement with Terracon Consultants, Inc. for said services at a price of $23,014.

SECTION 2. The Mayor is hereby authorized to accept the proposal from Terracon Consultants, Inc. dated April 25, 2007.

SECTION 3. All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 4. 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 12th day of June, 2007.

APPROVED:

[Signature]
Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer