City of Conway, Arkansas
Ordinance No. 0-09-121

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS AND WAIVING BIDS FOR HONOR GUARD UNIFORMS FOR THE CONWAY FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Conway Honor Guard, which was established in 1996 and is comprised of thirteen firefighters, represents the City at special events such as the Faulkner County Fair Parade; the Faulkner County Christmas Parade; Annual Lights over the Lake; the Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland; retirement and funeral services for Arkansas communities; and various other city activities.

WHEREAS, the necessary items for the Honor Guard (flags, flag stands, poles, holders, axes and other items) are covered by a very limited budget, and

WHEREAS, the uniforms for the Honor Guard are worn and in need of replacement for which budgetary authority has not previously been provided.

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway shall waive all required competitive bids and purchase uniforms from GST Public Safety in Grand Prairie, Texas at a cost of $10,369 plus shipping and handing charges.

SECTION 2. The City of Conway shall appropriate funds to cover the above cost as a General Fund Balance appropriation.

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 All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

PASSED this 13th day of October, 2009.

APPROVED:

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Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:

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Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer