City of Conway, Arkansas
Ordinance No. 0-09-136

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO REIMBURSE THE STATE OF ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION REVENUE OFFICE FOR AN OUTSTANDING CONSTRUCTION SURCHARGE BALANCE; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, The City of Conway would like to settle a liability for uncollected construction surcharges due to the State of Arkansas;

WHEREAS, this liability is due to the City's lack of collection of a portion of state building permit surcharges that were mandated without instruction or audit and went unnoticed or desired by the State of Arkansas since 1999;

WHEREAS, the Planning and Development Department has generated sufficient revenue above budgeted levels during 2009 to provide for this expenditure; and

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway shall appropriate $18,929 Building Permit Revenue (01.301) and an equal amount to Licenses and Fees (01.108.262) to settle this liability. This total is the sum of $15,891 plus $3,038 in interest.

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 All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3. This ordinance is necessary of 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 24th day of November, 2009

APPROVED:

Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:

Michael G. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer