AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING GRANT PROCEEDS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE SANITATION DEPARTMENT, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has awarded grant funds to support the City of Conway's diesel emission reduction project which will provide funding to replace an engine in one of the trash compactors which requires a match of city funds; and

WHEREAS, the ADEQ will reimburse 75% of the cost of specific equipment with the City bearing 25% of the cost. The total project cost is $86,400 with the City responsible for $21,600; and

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway shall enter into a memorandum of agreement with ADEQ and shall accept grant proceeds (50.935) from the ADEQ in the amount of $64,800 for a diesel emission reduction project into Sanitation Enterprise Equipment Repair account 50.118.235.

SECTION 2. The City of Conway shall appropriate $25,600, the additional 25% of the cost from the Sanitation Enterprise Fund Balance Appropriation account (50.990) into the Sanitation Enterprise Equipment Repair account (50.118.235).

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.

SECTION 4. All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

PASSED this 23rd day of February, 2010.

Approved:

Mayor Tab Townsell

Attest:

Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer