AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING COMPETITIVE BIDS AND AUTHORIZING FUNDS THROUGH THE PAY AS YOU GO SALES TAX BOND FOR THE CONWAY FIRE DEPARTMENT STATION #7 IMPROVEMENTS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Conway Fire Department has available funding in the Pay as You Go Sales Tax Bond in the amount of $198,457; and

WHEREAS, Conway Fire Department was approved to remodel Station No. 7 at the cost of $100,000 (R-10-66); competitive bids were received on Tuesday, December 6th, 2011; with the low bid from Moser Construction Company at $125,500; and

WHEREAS, additional funding is required for the remodel and the Conway Fire Department is also in need of replacing two command vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the funding for these additional cost and purchases have not been previously authorized by Council.

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

SECTION 1: The City of Conway shall accept the low bid submitted by Moser Construction in the amount of $125,500 for the Conway Station #7 Remodel and authorize the additional cost of $25,500 and $14,500 for additional architectural fees from the Pay as You Go Sales Tax for a total not to exceed $40,000.

SECTION 2: The City of Conway shall approve the purchase from State Contract of two command vehicles, which will replace a 1998 Ford 4X4 pick-up and a 2004 Dodge Durango, at a total cost not to exceed $58,457.

Section 3: All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.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; an emergency is hereby declared for exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Passed this 13th day of December, 2011.

Approved:

Mayor Tab Townsell

Attest:

Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk / Treasurer