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City of Conway, Arkansas
Ordinance No. O-12-26

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT & APPROPRIATING GRANT FUNDS TO THE CONWAY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES;

WHEREAS, the City of Conway Department of Planning and Development has been awarded a \$139,590 Safe Routes to School Infrastructure Grant (Job 080456) from the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department; and,

WHEREAS, the grant proceeds will be utilized to pay for infrastructure costs associated with implementing the Conway Safe Routes to School Committee's 2010 Master Plan, as detailed by City of Conway Resolution R-09-74; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Conway Department of Planning and Development has a budget for the grant's expenses which has been approved by the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, and will solicit bids from contractors in accordance with local, state, and federal requirements,

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway shall authorize the Mayor to execute an Agreement of Understanding and accept grant proceeds in the amount of \$139,590 from the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department and appropriate such funds to account number 399.105.5990 in order to cover the expense of implementing the Safe Routes to School Committee's 2010 Master Plan.

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 All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

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.

PASSED this 27th day of March, 2012.

Approved:

Mayor Tab Townse!!

Attest:

Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer