City of Conway, Arkansas
Ordinance No. 0-15-150

AN ORDINANCE WAIVING BIDS & APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL SOFTWARE AND SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

Whereas, The City of Conway desires to purchase a new cloud based software package for which budgetary authority has not been provided; and

Whereas, The City of Conway has determined that OpenGov is best suited for City operations and will provide financial software that can help quickly analyze data that would be available to all levels of government and the public. The purchase of software will require the subsequent payment of an annual maintenance fee.

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

Section 1. The City of Conway shall waive the requirement for obtaining bids for Software and annual software maintenance services and shall enter into an agreement with OpenGov.com for said services at a total price not to exceed $27,000. This is for a 36 month option (support and implementation).

Section 2. The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a purchase agreement and software support agreement with OpenGov.

Section 3. The City of Conway shall appropriate an amount not to exceed $27,000 from the General Fund balance appropriation to 001.119.5420 Office Equipment Maintenance for software and software maintenance costs.

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 All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

Section 5. 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 22nd day of December, 2015.

Approved:

[Signature]
Mayor Tab Townsell

Attest:

[Signature]
Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer