WHEREAS, the City of Conway, Arkansas owns and the Conway Corporation operates an electric power system that furnishes electricity to all of the citizens of Conway, including 6,610 residences, 980 businesses, 23 industries and 3 institutions (including University of Central Arkansas and the Children's Colony); and

WHEREAS, the power and energy needs of the electric system are met by a generating plant located in Conway as well as purchases from Arkansas Power & Light Company; and

WHEREAS, Conway has purchased a 2 percent undivided interest in the White Bluff steam electric station and 2 percent interest in the Independence steam electric station to meet the future electrical needs of the citizens of Conway while reducing our dependency on oil and gas (as directed by the United States Department of Energy); and

WHEREAS, Conway's power and energy needs have continued to grow in spite of an effective energy conservation program; and

WHEREAS, we would deem it to be to the detriment of the City of Conway and its citizens to cancel or modify downward the capacity of the White Bluff steam electric station or the Independence steam electric station.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CONWAY CORPORATION:

THAT the Governor, Attorney General, Department of Energy and Arkansas Public Service Commission consider carefully the extreme damage that would be suffered by the citizens of Conway, Arkansas, should the capacity of the White Bluff steam electric station or the Independence steam electric station be reduced or altered downward.

PASSED: December 27, 1979

ATTEST: ________________________________
City Clerk-Treasurer

Mayor

Chairman, Conway Corporation
Board of Directors

ATTEST: ________________________________
Secretary, Conway Corporation
Board of Directors