



**City of Conway, Arkansas
Resolution No. R-22-32**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH COUNSELING ASSOCIATES, AS BEING NECESSARY FOR THE CITY OF CONWAY TO IMPLEMENT ITS AWARD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE CONNECT AND PROTECT GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Whereas, the City has been awarded a Federal Department of Justice (DOJ) grant, award number 15PBJA-21-GG-04306-MENT as part of the DOJ's Bureau of Justice Assistance Connect and Protect grant; which will enable the Conway Police Department to provide further and better service to individuals in the community in crisis, and specifically those suffering from mental illness; and

Whereas, the City accepted the DOJ award by Resolution R-22-03, and the City has appropriated the matching funds by Ordinance O-22-45; and

Whereas, Counseling Associates Inc, is the provider listed in the City's grant application to the DOJ and is recognized as the local community mental health provider for Faulkner County; and

Whereas, formal agreement with CAI will enable the Conway Police Department to implement the grant and provide the services to the citizens of Conway.


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

Section 1: The City Council for the City of Conway shall hereby authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract with Counseling Associates as being necessary for the implementation of the Connect and Protec Grant Project.

Section 2: That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 28th day of June, 2022.

Approved:



Mayor Bart Castleberry

Attest:



Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer