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**AN ORDINANCE WAIVING BIDS IN CONJUNCTION WITH FINANCIAL SOFTWARE AND SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE;  
APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR SUCH ITEMS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:**

**WHEREAS,** The City of Conway desires to obtain financial software for which budgetary authority has not been provided; and

**WHEREAS,** The City of Conway considered a number of vendors for software, and determined that software offered by Springbrook Software ("Springbrook") is best suited for City operations and will provide efficiencies in recorded accounting transactions, enhanced reporting capabilities, necessary support for the conversion process and subsequent use of the software, and increased efficiencies for the information technology staff. The purchase of software will require the subsequent payment of an annual maintenance fee to Springbrook.

**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 Springbrook for said services at a total price not to exceed \$295,000.

**SECTION 2.** The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a purchase agreement and software support agreement with Springbrook.

**SECTION 3.** The City of Conway shall appropriate an amount not to exceed \$295,000 as a General Fund balance appropriation 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**SECTION 4.** All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2009

APPROVED:

Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:

Michael O. Garrett  
City Clerk/Treasurer