ORDINANCE NO. 2013-31

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2013-03, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2013; WAIVING THE REQUIREMENT OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN EXPENDITURES; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEARCY, ARKANSAS, TO-WIT:

Section 1. The budget for the City of Searcy, Arkansas, is amended in the following manner:
   a. Appropriate $2,000.00 to Parks and Recreation Carmichael Community Center ‘CENTER PROGRAMS’ expenditure account (01 5-081-05-02) for donation from Wal-Mart toward expenditures pertaining to employee appreciation lunch;

Section 2. The Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to expend the following sums:
   a. $64,575.11 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments and other miscellaneous expenditures;
   b. $20,000.00 to the Searcy Regional Economic Development Corporation (SREDC) for the first one-half of annual payment agreement remittance;

Section 3. To the extent not otherwise required by law, the requirement of competitive bidding with respect to the expenditures described in Section 2 hereof is hereby waived.

Emergency Clause. The need to maintain the fiscal affairs of the City of Searcy in accordance with the requirement of law being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8th day of October, 2013.

/s/ David Morris
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk