ORDINANCE NO. 2014-16

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2014-03, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2014; 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 $32,660.00 to Mayor’s department ‘LIGHTLE CENTER REPAIRS’ expenditure account (01 5-010-02-13) for the installation of a new roof on the John E. Lightle (Senior Citizens) Center, reimbursable through General Improvement Fund (GIF) grant;

b. Appropriate $10,000.00 from unappropriated general fund reserves to Mayor’s department ‘HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN’ expenditure account (01 5-010-05-22) for the City of Searcy’s portion of cost for the White County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

c. Appropriate $6,500.00 to Street Fund ‘SIGNAL BEEBE-CAPPS @ SOWELL STREET’ expenditure account (02 5-900-54-14) for remittance of excess funds received from Wal-Mart for the installation of traffic signal;

d. Appropriate $33,738.09 to Act 833 Fund ‘WHITE COUNTY ACT 833 AID’ revenue account (11 4-000-10-05) for receipt of funds from White County for Act 833 funding loss due to Court order;

Section 2. The Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to expend the following sums:

a. $22,414.45 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments;

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 12th day of August, 2014.

/s/ David Morris  
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris  
City Clerk