

ORDINANCE NO. 2021 - 29

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2021-02, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021; 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 \$24,035.25 to the Sanitation Department 'LEAF/BRUSH TRAILER' expenditure account (#01 5-090-53-19) for the purchase of vacuum units for the three leaf/brush pickup trailers;
- b. Appropriate \$353,253.77 from Special 1% Connector Route Tax Fund unappropriated reserves to the 'NORTH MAIN STREET IMPROVEMENTS' expenditure account (#13 5-900-54-03) for construction services on the North Main Street improvement project;
- c. Appropriate \$39,366.25 to the 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund 'LIBRARY RENOVATION REIMBURSEMENT' revenue account (#14 4-000-70-03) and appropriate \$39,366.25 to the 'LIBRARY RENOVATION' expenditure account (#14 5-020-54-02) for architectural services on the new Library Building renovation project;
- d. Appropriate \$7,185.92 to the General Fund 'ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH GREAT STRIDES GRANT' revenue account (#01 4-000-98-42) and appropriate \$7,185.92 to the 'YANCEY PARK PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT' expenditure account (#01 5-080-56-07) for the receipt and use of Arkansas Department of Health Great Strides grant funding to replace playground equipment (spinner) at Yancey Park;
- e. Appropriate \$57,350.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to the 'SOUTH SAWMILL ROAD IMPROVEMENTS' expenditure account (#14 5-900-54-07) for engineering services on the South Sawmill Road improvement project;
- f. Appropriate \$339.24 to General Fund 'EVIDENCE ASSET FORFEITURE'

revenue account (#01 4-000-20-10), and appropriate \$339.24 to Police Department 'EVIDENCE ASSET FORFEITURE' expenditure account (#01 5-060-05-09);

- g. Appropriate \$2,500.00 to the General Fund 'POLICE DONATIONS' revenue account (#01 4-000-90-03) and appropriate \$2,500.00 to the Police Department 'DONATIONS EXPENSED' expenditure account (#01 5-060-05-06) for a donation from Walmart;
- h. Appropriate \$11,000.00 from 0.25% Fire Sales Tax Fund unappropriated reserves to the 'UNIFORMS' expenditure account (#18 5-070-05-14) for uniforms service charges from Cintas, Inc.;

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

- a. \$18,134.88 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments;
- b. \$24,035.25 to McHenry Power Equipment Inc. for the purchase of vacuum units for the three leaf/brush pickup trailers (#01 5-090-53-19);
- c. \$353,253.77 to Township Builders, Inc., for construction services on the North Main Street improvement project (#13 5-900-54-03);
- d. \$39,366.25 to Hoffmann Architectural for architectural services on the new Library building renovation project (#14 5-020-54-02);
- e. \$7,185.92 to Hahn Enterprises for the purchase of playground equipment (spinner) at Yancey Park (#01 5-080-56-07);
- f. \$57,350.00 to Davidson Engineering for engineering services on the South Sawmill Road improvement project (#14 5-900-54-07);
- g. \$1,176.00 to Hoffmann Architectural for architectural services on the American Legion building renovation project (#01 5-010-05-21);
- h. \$10,974.99 to Cintas, Inc. for Fire Department uniforms service charges (#18 5-070-05-14);

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 14th day of September, 2021.

/s/ Kyle Osborne
Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:
/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk