

ORDINANCE NO. 2019 - 31

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2019-03, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2019; 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 \$1,000.00 to ‘FIRE DONATIONS’ revenue account (#01 4-000-90-07) and appropriate \$1,000.00 to the Fire Department ‘DONATIONS EXPENDED’ expenditure account (#01 5-070-05-17) for the receipt and use of a donation from USA Softball of Arkansas;
- b. Appropriate \$8,870.43 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROLLING MEADOWS/CLOVERDALE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-02) for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services;
- c. Appropriate \$54,152.85 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROLLING MEADOWS/CLOVERDALE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-02) for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project construction services;
- d. Appropriate \$3,300.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘COMPREHENSIVE DRAINAGE STUDY’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-06-01) for engineering services regarding City of Searcy comprehensive drainage study;
- e. Appropriate \$2,500.00 from General Fund unappropriated reserves to the Code Enforcement Department ‘URBAN RENEWAL/MOWING’ expenditure account (#01 5-120-05-04) for property clean-up and abatement of other nuisances;
- f. Appropriate \$26,355.00 from the Drug Enforcement and Covert Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘DODGE TRUCK PURCHASE’ expenditure account (#07 5-500-53-01) for the purchase of truck for use by the Drug Task Force;
- g. Appropriate \$7,251.31 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROLLING MEADOWS/CLOVERDALE DRAINAGE’ expenditure account (#14 5-130-05-02) for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage

improvement project changes to the existing electric facilities;

- h. Appropriate \$500,000.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to 'TRANSFER TO GENERAL – STAFFING NEEDS' expenditure account (#14 5-190-05-05) and appropriate \$500,000.00 to General Fund 'TRANSFER FROM EIGHT YEAR PLAN – STAFFING NEEDS' revenue account (#01 4-000-10-16);

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

- a. \$108,217.06 to Regions Bank for payment on the loan for the construction of the Searcy Swim Center (#14 5-085-05-01);
- b. \$8,870.43 to Morrison – Shipley Engineers Inc. for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services (#14 5-130-05-02);
- c. \$54,152.85 to Burkhalter Technologies, Inc. for construction services on the Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale drainage improvement project (#14 5-130-05-02);
- d. \$3,300.00 to Thomas F. Black, P.E. for engineering services regarding City of Searcy comprehensive drainage study (#14 5-130-06-01);
- e. \$26,355.00 to Landers Dodge for the purchase of truck for use by the Drug Task Force (#07 5-500-53-01);
- f. \$7,251.31 to Entergy Arkansas, LLC for changes to the existing electric facilities on the Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale drainage improvement project (#14 5-130-05-02);

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, 2019.

/s/ Kyle Osborne
Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk