

ORDINANCE NO. 2020 - 37

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2020-02, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2020; 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 \$5,694.00 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;
- b. Appropriate \$50,926.13 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;
- c. Appropriate \$14,260.53 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to the 'COUNTRY CLUB ROAD IMPROVEMENT' expenditure account (#14 5-900-54-01) for engineering services on the Country Club Road improvement project;
- d. Appropriate \$76,398.05 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to the 'COUNTRY CLUB ROAD IMPROVEMENT' expenditure account (#14 5-900-54-01) for construction services on the Country Club Road improvement project;
- e. Appropriate \$36,925.76 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to 'POLICE SOFTWARE UPGRADE' expenditure account (#14 5-060-05-01) for annual maintenance agreement for Police Department software;
- f. Appropriate \$172,624.46 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;
- g. Appropriate \$10,000.00 from 0.25% Fire Protection Services County Tax Fund unappropriated reserves to 'VEHICLE MAINTENANCE/REPAIRS' expenditure account (#18 5-070-03-02) for Fire Department vehicle maintenance/repair;
- h. Appropriate \$20,000.00 from 0.25% Fire Protection Services County Tax Fund

unappropriated reserves to 'STATION FURNISHINGS' expenditure account (#18 5-070-05-20) for replacement/repair to Fire Department station furniture/furnishings;

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

- a. \$27,624.33 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments;
- b. \$108,217.06 to Regions Bank for payment on the loan for the construction of the Searcy Swim Center (#14 5-085-05-01);
- c. \$5,694.00 to Morrison – Shipley Engineers Inc. for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services (#14 5-130-05-02);
- d. \$50,926.13 to Burkhalter Technologies, Inc. for construction services on the Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project (#14 5-130-05-02);
- e. \$14,260.53 to ETC Engineers & Architects, Inc., for engineering services on the Country Club Road improvement project (#14 5-900-54-01);
- f. \$76,398.05 to RL Persons Construction, Inc., for construction services on the Country Club Road improvement project (#14 5-900-54-01);
- g. \$36,925.76 to Central Square/TriTech Software Systems for annual maintenance agreement for Police Department software (#14 5-060-05-01);
- h. \$172,624.46 to Township Builders, Inc. for construction services on the North Main Street improvement project (#13 5-900-54-03);

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 13th day of October, 2020.

/s/ Kyle Osborne
Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk