

ORDINANCE NO. 2018 - 34

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2018-05, THE BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF SEARCY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2018; 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 \$8,000.00 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘ROF-DOWNTOWN LANDSCAPE UPGRADE’ expenditure account (#14 5-500-05-15) for improvements and landscaping for the Spruce Street and Center Avenue city-owned parking lot;
- b. Appropriate \$400.00 to ‘SWIM CENTER DONATIONS’ revenue account (#01 4-000-90-28) and appropriate \$400.00 to ‘SWIM CENTER DONATIONS EXPENSED’ expenditure account (#01 5-082-05-02) for a donation that has been received from the Searcy Splash Aqua Fitness program;
- c. Appropriate \$70,000.00 from Street Fund unappropriated reserves to the ‘PAVING’ expenditure account (#02 5-900-05-07) for the 2018 Street Overlay/Milling/Paving program;
- d. Appropriate \$24,109.73 from General Fund unappropriated reserves to the Sanitation Department ‘APERS RETIREMENT’ expenditure account (#01 5-090-01-05) for remittance of delinquent employer contributions for a former City of Searcy Sanitation Department employee (#01 5-090-01-05);
- e. Appropriate \$5,022.50 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;
- f. Appropriate \$63,379.25 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to ‘SOFTBALL PRESSBOX/CONCESSION/RESTROOM’ expenditure account (#14 5-085-54-03) for construction services on the new softball pressbox/concession/restroom facility;
- g. Appropriate \$5,028.07 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to

- 'JANET DRIVE/ANCILLARY IMPROVEMENTS' expenditure account (#14 5-900-54-03) for engineering services for Janet Drive, ancillary streets, public infrastructure improvements;
- h. Appropriate \$174,574.24 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to 'JANET DRIVE/ANCILLARY IMPROVEMENTS' expenditure account (#14 5-900-54-03) for construction services for Janet Drive, ancillary streets, public infrastructure improvements;
 - i. Appropriate \$9,529.62 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;
 - j. Appropriate \$260,000.00 from General Fund unappropriated reserves to the Library Department 'NEW LIBRARY BUILDING ROOF' expenditure account (#01 5-020-02-12) for the replacement of the roof on the Searcy Public Library Building (bidding was done through the TIPS/TAPS cooperative purchasing program) ;
 - k. Appropriate \$8,240.58 from General Fund unappropriated reserves to "DAMAGED PROPERTY REPLACEMENT" expenditure account (#01 5-190-02-11) for the use of insurance reimbursement from a dumpster that had burned to purchase new 6-yard and 8-yard dumpsters;
 - l. Appropriate \$11,744.42 from 2014 Eight Year Plan Fund unappropriated reserves to 'ROF-DUMPSTERS' expenditure account (#14 5-500-05-09) for the purchase of new 6-yard and 8-yard dumpsters;

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

- a. \$21,298.32 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. \$20,000.00 to Searcy Regional Chamber of Commerce for the second of two invoices for the annual agreement (#14 5-500-05-18), authorized by Resolution 2018-03;
- d. \$261,571.68 to CK Asphalt, LLC for paving services for the 2018 street paving program (#02 5-900-05-15);

- e. \$83,998.11 to Henard Utility Products, Inc. for repairs/rebuild of the Beast Grinder at the Searcy Compost Center (#01 5-090-05-08). An emergency has been recognized and declared to exist and the process of formal bidding is hereby waived for this purchase;
- f. \$73,049.60 to MJ Communications Inc. for repairs and replacement of Searcy Police Department dispatch equipment that was damaged by a lightning strike (#01 5-190-02-11). Insurance claim reimbursement has been received for this damage. An emergency has been recognized and declared to exist and the process of formal bidding is hereby waived for the repairs;
- g. \$24,109.73 to Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System (APERS) for remittance of delinquent employer contributions for a former City of Searcy Sanitation Department employee (#01 5-090-01-05);
- h. \$5,022.50 to Thomas F. Black, P.E. for engineering services regarding City of Searcy comprehensive drainage study (#14 5-130-06-01);
- i. \$63,379.25 to Odom Construction Services, LLC for construction services on the new softball pressbox/concession/restroom facility (#14 5-085-54-03);
- j. \$5,028.07 to Whitlow Engineering Services for engineering services for Janet Drive, ancillary streets, public infrastructure improvements (#14 5-900-54-03);
- k. \$174,574.24 to Johnny Brock Excavating & Landscaping, Inc. for construction services for Janet Drive, ancillary streets, public infrastructure improvements (#14 5-900-54-03);
- l. \$9,529.62 to Morrison – Shipley Engineers Inc. for Rolling Meadows/Cloverdale Addition drainage improvement project engineering services (#14 5-130-05-02);
- m. \$260,000.00 to All Spec Roofing for the replacement of the roof on the Searcy Public Library building (#01 5-020-02-12);

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 November, 2018.

/s/ David Morris
Mayor of Searcy

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris
City Clerk