

ORDINANCE #1362

AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 4-WHEEL DRIVE BACKHOE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

Section 1. Bidding Requirements Waived

Pursuant to Section 3.04.03, Eureka Springs Municipal Code, the bidding requirements for the purchase of a 4-wheel drive backhoe are hereby waived. The bidding requirements are not deemed feasible or practical because the backhoe is needed immediately to continue work in progress; because other available backhoes in a similar price range have not been located; and because other dealers have indicated that the price is very fair.

Section 2. Contract Authorized

The Mayor and the Clerk/Treasurer are hereby authorized and directed to contract with Potter Equipment Co., Harrison, AR, for the delivery of a Case 580K 4WD backhoe which has received 500 hours of use, for the sum of \$23,975.00 (price includes credit for lease-purchase of \$7,225.00).

Section 3. Emergency Declared

The City Council of the City of Eureka Springs finds an emergency exists because of the factors mentioned in Section 1 of this ordinance, and because of the need for the backhoe for the use of Water & Sewer departments in on-going projects.

PASSED AND ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS THIS 25th DAY OF August, 1989.

APPROVED:


RICHARD E. SCHOENINGER, Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk/Treasurer