1	ORDINANCE NO		
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3	AN ORDINANCE TO DISPENSE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF		
4	COMPETITIVE BIDS TO BRING THE CITY GRINDER INTO A		
5	WORKING CONDITION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND, FOR		
6	OTHER PURPOSES.		
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8	WHEREAS, pursuant to the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Permit No. 0031-SCYW,		
9	the City is required to maintain adequate equipment to handle the waste stream in accordance with the		
10	Operating Plan for the compost facility; and,		
11	WHEREAS, an essential piece of equipment is a Grinder which reduces material into a consistent size		
12	both for use in compost and mulch creation; and,		
13	WHEREAS, the only Grinder that the City has is no longer operating which means there can be no		
14	composting or mulching done as required by the permit, and also means that if it is not repaired as quickly		
15	as possible the City could be subject to fines and penalties; and,		
16	WHEREAS, the Public Works Department has requested to dispense with the requirement of		
17	competitive bids and to enter into a contract with Independent Rebuild Specialist for the purchase of a new		
18	engine to be built and installed on Unit No. 11H020, at a total cost of Seventy Thousand Dollars		
19	(\$70,000.00); and,		
20	WHEREAS, this purchase will provide for a replacement of a new engine on a Vermeer Grinder at the		
21	Landfill; and,		
22	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY		
23	OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:		
24	Section 1. The Board of Directors finds that it is impractical and unfeasible to enter into a competitive		
25	bid process to select a company to install a new engine in the City's Grinder so the City can be in compliance		
26	with Federal and State Environmental Laws and Permits, and therefore waives this requirement.		
27	Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to into a contract with Independent Rebuild Specialist for		
28	the installation of a new engine to be built and installed on Unit No. 11H020, at a total cost of Seventy		
29	Thousand Dollars (\$70,000.00).		
30	Section 3. Funds for this purchase are allocated in the Fleet Services-Landfill Maintenance Account.		
31	Section 4. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or		
32	word of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or		
33	adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the ordinance which shall remain in full force and		
34	effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the		

1	ordinance.		
2	Section 5. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with		
3	the provisions of this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.		
4	Section 6. Emergency Clause. The City is required by Federal and State Environmental Regulations		
5	to have the capability to compost and mulch certain items in the waste stream at the City Landfill; this		
6	requirement necessitates the use of a Grinder; however, the City's Grinder is currently not working, and a new engine needs to be installed as quickly as possible for the City to be able to comply with environmental laws and regulations; such compliance is essential to the public health, safety, and welfare; an emergency		
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9	is, therefore, declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of		
10	its passage.		
11	PASSED: September 6, 2016		
12	ATTEST:	APPROVED:	
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14	Second Levelon Class	Maria Chadala Marra	
15	Susan Langley, City Clerk	Mark Stodola, Mayor	
16 17	APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:		
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