A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A ONE (1)-YEAR CONTRACT WITH EVS MID-SOUTH, IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND, NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY AND 80/100 DOLLARS ($185,980.80), AS THE SOLE BIDDER TO CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF FIREFIGHTING PROTECTIVE COATS AND PANTS FOR THE LITTLE ROCK FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Little Rock Fire Department is in need of eighty (80) sets of Firefighting Protective Coats and Pants; and,

WHEREAS, the specifications for this purchase were written and approved by the members serving on the Little Rock Fire Department Safety Committee; and,

WHEREAS, bids were taken for the Firefighting Protective Coats and Pants and EVS Mid-South was the sole bidder with a bid of One Thousand, Three Hundred Ninety-Two and 70/100 Dollars ($1,392.70) for Coats and Nine Hundred Thirty-Two and 00/100 Dollars ($932.06) for Pants, for a total bid of One Hundred Eighty-five Thousand, Nine Hundred Eighty and 80/100 Dollars ($185,980.80), and staff recommends that a contract for eighty (80) sets of Firefighting Protective Coats and Pants be awarded to EVS Mid-South;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. The Board of Directors hereby authorizes the City Manager to enter into a one (1)-year contract with EVS Mid-South as the sole bidder for the purchase of Firefighting Protective Coats and Pants for the Little Rock Fire Department, in the total amount of One Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand, Nine Hundred Eighty and 80/100 Dollars ($185,980.80);

Section 2. Funds for this purchase are available in the Little Rock Fire Department’s General Budget.

Section 3. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this resolution is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution which shall
remain in full force and effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional were not originally a part of the resolution.

Section 4. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

ADOPTED: October 3, 2016

ATTEST:                 APPROVED:

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Susan Langley, City Clerk                 Mark Stodola, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney

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