ORDINANCE NO. __________

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO
DISPENSE WITH THE REQUIREMENT OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING
AND ENTER INTO A SOLE-SOURCE CONTACT WITH SOCRATA,
INC., IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-
ONE THOUSAND, SIXTY FOUR DOLLARS ($131,064.00), PLUS
APPLICABLE TAXES AND FEES, FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE
SOCRATA OPEN PERFORMANCE MODULE IMPLEMENTATION;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Socrata, Inc., is the City’s current Open Data platform vendor; and,
WHEREAS, the Socrata Open Performance module connects with the data sets on the City’s current
Open Data platform and is an extension of the work that has been done with What Works Cities; and,
WHEREAS, competitive bidding should be waived and a contract awarded to Socrata, Inc., as the
sole source provider for the purchase of the Socrata Open Performance module implementation.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY
OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. The Board of Directors finds that competitive bidding should be dispensed with regarding
the purchase of the Socrata Open Performance module implementation, and the contract for such services
should be awarded to Socrata, Inc., as the sole-source provider for these services.

Section 2. The City Manager is hereby authorized to dispense with competitive bidding and is
authorized to enter into a contract with Socrata, Inc., for the purchase of the Socrata Open Performance
module implementation in an amount not to exceed and One Hundred Thirty-One Thousand, Sixty-Four
Dollars ($131,064.00), plus applicable taxes and fees.

Section 3. Funding for this purchase is available from the Short-Term Financing Note.

Section 4. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or
word of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or
adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the ordinance which shall remain in full force and
effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional was not originally a part of the
ordinance.

Section 5. Repealer. All ordinances and resolutions, and parts thereof, which are in conflict with
any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
PASSED:  May 2, 2017

ATTEST:  

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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