RESOLUTION NO. ______

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF SIXTY-TWO THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY DOLLARS ($62,790.00), FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO (2) DODGE RAM 2500 BI-FUEL PICK-UP TRUCKS FROM RED RIVER DODGE CHRYSLER FOR THE HOUSING AND NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAMS DEPARTMENT, UTILIZING THE ARKANSAS STATE PURCHASING CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Housing and Neighborhood Programs Department is in need of two (2) Dodge Ram 2500 Bi-Fuel Pick-Up Trucks to replace older units with high maintenance expenses and excessive down time; and,

WHEREAS, the Arkansas State Purchasing Contract was utilized in order to obtain optimal pricing to purchase two (2) Dodge Ram 2500 Bi-Fuel Pick-Up Trucks from Red River Dodge Chrysler to be used by the Housing and Neighborhood Programs Department, for an amount of Sixty-Two Thousand, Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars ($62,790.00);

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

Section 1: The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Red River Dodge Chrysler in the amount of Sixty-Two Thousand, Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars ($62,790.00) for the purchase of two (2) Dodge Ram 2500 Bi-Fuel Pick-Up Trucks for the Housing and Neighborhood Programs Department, pursuant to the Arkansas State Purchasing Contract.

Section 2. Funds for this purchase are allocated in the Fleet Services 2015 3/8-Cents Capital Improvement Sales Tax Account.

Section 3. 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ordinances, resolutions, or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 4. 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.

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ADOPTED: May 5, 2015

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