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City of Conway, Arkansas  
Ordinance No. O-12-29

**AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS & ACCEPTING BIDS FOR FLAME RESISTANT CLOTHING FOR THE CONWAY FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:**

**WHEREAS**, Conway Fire Department requests an appropriation of \$10,781 for flame resistant uniforms, 2012 budgeted funds will currently not cover the increased cost due to modified specifications of the uniforms; and

**WHEREAS**, the Conway Fire Department's current contract with G&K Services has officially expired and;

**WHEREAS**, the Conway Fire Department Uniform Committee performed research on the current uniforms being worn and found current uniforms do not meet National Fire Protection Agency standards. Modified specifications will cause an increase in uniform expense that is not previously budgeted for in the approved 2012 budget;

**WHEREAS**, Bids were taken on March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012 for flame resistant clothing and Cintas Uniforms was the only bid submitted.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** The City of Conway shall appropriate \$10,781 from the General Fund Balance Appropriation account (001.119.4900) into the Conway Fire Department Uniform Operating line item account (001.131.5670).

**SECTION 2.** The City of Conway shall accept bids from Cintas Uniforms to purchase NFPA approved flame resistant clothing for the City of Conway Fire Department.

**SECTION 3.** All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

**PASSED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012**

Approved:

  
Mayor Tab Townsell

Attest:

  
Michael O. Garrett  
City Clerk/Treasurer