

**ORDINANCE NO. 0-96-4**

**AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS OF ORDINANCE B-478 AND ACA§14-58-303 FOR THE REBUILDING OF NORTH EIGHTH STREET, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF ARKADELPHIA, ARKANSAS,**

**WHEREAS**, on August 2, 1996, a rainstorm washed out the culverts under Eighth Street between McNutt Street and Hickory Street in the City of Arkadelphia, Clark County, Arkansas, and

**WHEREAS**, the street needs to be repaired immediately and the Board of Directors has determined that it is necessary to waive the bidding requirements in accordance with Ordinance B-478 and ACA§14-58-303, as this is an exceptional situation when the bidding requirement of purchases over \$5,000.00 is not feasible nor practical as the road needs to be repaired immediately.

**THEREFORE,**

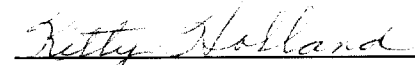
**SECTION 1.** The Board hereby finds that it is not feasible nor practical to obtain bids for the repair of North Eighth Street and hereby waives the bidding requirements, all in accordance with Ordinance B-478 and ACA§14-58-303 and authorizes the acting City Manager, Brad Robertson, and the City Clerk, Shirley Loy, or their successors in office, to immediately enter into a contract with Bobby Bunn Construction Company to do dirt work and other repairs on North Eighth Street and to purchase culverts from Choctaw, Inc. at a price of \$5,986.00 and to purchase other materials and supplies necessary to repair the street.

The acting City Manager and Clerk may negotiate with any other companies and suppliers as necessary to obtain a fair price for the repair of said street and execute any documents concerning the completion of the street repairs.

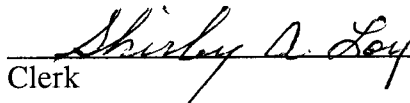
**SECTION 2.** The repair of North Eighth Street is necessary immediately as it is more difficult for our emergency vehicles to travel through the City of Arkadelphia without this thoroughfare and, therefore, an emergency is declared and this Ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

DATE: August 15th, 1996

APPROVED:

  
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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk