

**ORDINANCE 0-08-04**

**AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AN EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS OVER TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the City of Arkadelphia purchased 15.9 acres of land north of the Municipal Airport to clear for safe aircraft approaches; and

WHEREAS, the Arkansas Natural Resource Commission has a proposal to the City of Arkadelphia for the purchase of mitigation credits; and

WHEREAS, the City of Arkadelphia, as stated in Ordinance number O-02-01 has the right to waive competitive bidding in exceptional circumstances in accordance with ACA 14-47-138.

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

Section 1. The competitive bidding requirements of the City of Arkadelphia are hereby waived as the Board of Directors finds that the procedure is not practical or feasible due to the inability to bid out wetland mitigation.

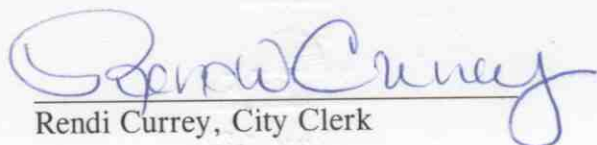
Section 2. To insure the continuation of the on going FAA project at the Dexter Florence Memorial Airport a check shall be issued to the Arkansas Natural Resource Commission for mitigation credits in the amount of \$32,675.70.

NOW THEREFORE, AN EMERGENCY IS HEREBY DECLARED TO EXIST AND this Ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED THIS 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY July OF 2008.

  
C.T. Hollingshead, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Rendi Currey, City Clerk