RESOLUTION NO. 2015-24

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY TO ACCEPT A BID FROM CROSSLAND HEAVY CONTRACTORS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW BRIDGE ON PARKS STREET

WHEREAS, the City needs to replace the Parks Street Bridge; and

WHEREAS, the City has advertised for bids from qualified bidders for the construction of the bridge; and

WHEREAS, Crossland Heavy Contractors of Rogers, Arkansas has submitted the low bid of \$579,953.05; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined that Crossland Heavy Contractors is qualified and capable of constructing the bridge in accordance with bid specifications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRAIRIE GROVE, ARKANSAS:

That the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor and City Clerk to enter into a contract with Crossland Heavy Contractors for the construction of the Parks Street Bridge for a bid price of \$579,953.05 (based on estimated quantities in the bid documents). The Mayor is further authorized to take any ministerial actions required in implementing this contract.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 21st day of September 2015.

ATTEST:

Charles (Sonny) Hudson, Mayor

RESOLUTION 2015-25

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY TO APPROVE THE 2015 PROPERTY TAX LEVY AND AUTHORIZE SUBMISSION TO THE COUNTY QUORUM COURT

WHEREAS, the City of Prairie Grove must determine the extent of the property tax levy for delivery to the Washington County Quorum Court; and

WHEREAS, the property tax is an important, fair and reasonable source of general revenue for the ongoing operation of the municipal government; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the people of the City of Prairie Grove that the levy be extended;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRAIRIE GROVE, ARKANSAS THAT:

Section 1. The property tax levy for the calendar year 2015 shall be and is recommended to the Quorum Court at:

General Fund: Five mills (5).

Police Department: (voluntary) One mill (1).

Fire Department: (voluntary) One-half mill (0.5).

Section 2. Notwithstanding the language set forth in Section One, nothing contained therein shall preclude Washington County taxing and assessing administrators to bring the City's levy in compliance with any constitutional or statutory requirement.

Section 3. The Clerk, should be, and is hereby, directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Washington County Clerk for delivery to the Washington County Quorum Court to assist in its deliberations at its November, 2015 meeting.

Approved this 21st day of September 2015.

Charles (Sonny) Hudson, Mayor

Attest

Christine Kelly, Clerk