ORDINANCE NO. 2006-2

AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE BIDDING PROCESS FOR REPAIR ON THE ConAgra WATER TANK; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY THEREFOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OZARK, ARKANSAS, THAT:

I.

Arkansas Code Annotated 18-58-303 and City of Ozark Ordinance No. 1995-12 require competitive bidding, but allow the City Council, by ordinance, to waive competitive bidding in instances where it is not practical or feasible to accept bids.

II.

The City Council deems it not practical nor feasible to advertise for or accept competitive bids for the ConAgra water tank repair. That the City has been given a quote from Waterproofing Specialties Co., Inc. for \$43, 723.00 for said water tank repair, which must be done while said water tank has been drained. That said tank is the water supply for ConAgra and delay in the repair may cause a water shortage for the company and furthermore, a delay in the repair of said tank may also cause exceptional demand on the water system in warmer weather, and said immediate repair is required by the health department.

III.

It being necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 3/2 DAY OF JANUARY, 2006.

C.L. "Bat" Coley, Mayor

ATTEST:

CAROL SNEATH, CITY CLERK