CITY OF AUSTIN, LONOKE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

ORDINANCE No. 05 2012

WHEREAS, the City of Austin, Arkansas (the "City") has given the Mayor of the City of Austin, Arkansas the authority to enter into expenditures on behalf of the City without prior approval from the Austin City Council in the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or less; and

WHEREAS, it is on a regular basis and in the ordinary course of mayoral duties necessary for the Mayor of the City of Austin, Arkansas to enter into expenditures on behalf of the City which exceed the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN, ARKANSAS, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Effective 2-27-2012 the Mayor of the City of Austin is duly authorized to enter into expenditures on behalf of the City of Austin without prior approval from the Austin City Council in the sum of \$_1000.00 or less.

SECTION 2: Whereas, this Ordinance being necessary for the immediate protection of the public health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 27 day of Feb , 2012.

Passed:

Date: Approved:

Mayor Bernie Chamberlain

Approved as to Form:

Greg Crumpton, City Attorney

Attest: Macy Ann Davis, City Clerk