

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-\_\_**

**CITY OF TONTITOWN, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS**

**A RESOLUTION TO WAIVE COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) 2023 FORD RANGER R4F FROM LEWIS FORD FOR THE TONTITOWN PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Tontitown received a quote from Lewis Ford for one (1) 2023 Ford Ranger R4F in the amount of \$39,925.85 for the Tontitown Public Works Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has reviewed the quote provided by Lewis Ford, attached hereto as Exhibit “A”, and believes the price and availability for one (1) 2023 Ford Ranger R4F to be advantageous; and

**WHEREAS**, because the quote provided by Lewis Ford is only valid for a limited amount of time, and the City Council believes that this price is advantageous and will not be available in the future, the City Council has determined that an emergency exists which necessitates the waiver of competitive bidding; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interest and benefit of the community to authorize the Mayor to purchase one (1) 2023 Ford Ranger R4F from Lewis Ford for the amount of \$39,925.85, attached hereto as Exhibit “A”, for the Tontitown Public Works Department.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Tontitown, Arkansas:

**Section 1.** Competitive bidding is hereby waived, and the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute the purchase of one (1) 2023 Ford Range R4F from Lewis Ford in the amount of \$39,925.85, attached hereto as Exhibit “A”, for the Tontitown Public Works Department.

**Section 2.** The Mayor and her designee are hereby authorized to take all such action as necessary in connection therewith.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_ day of December 2023.

APPROVED:

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Angela Russell, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Rhonda Ardemagni, City Clerk-Treasurer  
(SEAL)