

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-008

**AN ORDINANCE WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING
FOR PURCHASE OF ELECTRONIC WATER METERS**

Whereas, the City is desirous of purchasing and installing electronic water meters for use in the City to improve efficiency; and

Whereas, it is anticipated that such purchase and installation will be funded, at least in part, by Arkansas Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") grant funds for which federal purchasing guidelines are applicable; and

Whereas, federal purchasing guidelines do not require competitive bidding for cities of the second class.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYRONZA, ARKANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That competitive bidding is waived in connection with the purchase and installation of the electronic water meters for the City due to the required application of federal funding guidelines for such grant funds to be used for such purpose, and as a result, competitive bidding is not feasible or practical.

2. That the City shall follow federal funding requirements in connection with the purchase and installation of such electronic water meters.


3. That due to the imminent funding of such grant, this Ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18th day of November, 2021.

CITY OF TYRONZA

By: 
Mayor

Attest:


Recorder/Treasurer (SEAL)