

ORDINANCE NO. 2142

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING BUSINESS TO BE CONDUCTED BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, AND AN ELECTED OFFICIAL'S SPOUSE CONCERNING THE REPAIR OF A SECTION OF WOODRUFF CREEK; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, proposals for the repair of a 100 foot section of Woodruff Creek and the addition of swales were solicited and Cinergi submitted the lowest proposal, and

WHEREAS, a contract with Cinergi will result in a contract with a business in which an Alderman's spouse holds an executive, managerial or controlling interest, and

WHEREAS, an interpretation of Municipal Ethics and current Arkansas law requires the approval of the Governing body of the Municipality to approve the contract for each specific project involving an alderman, city official, municipal employee or spouse of any alderman, city official, or municipal employee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, THAT:

Section 1. The City Council acknowledges that the lowest proposal for the proposed repair was Cinergi, and acknowledges that a contract with Cinergi results in a business relationship between the City and the spouse of a City Alderman.

Section 2. The City Council hereby approves and authorizes the contract for the repairs as set forth herein between the City and Cinergi.

Section 3. The urgency of the work is necessary, therefore an emergency is declared.

ADOPTED on this 27th day of **March 2017**.

Virginia R. Young, Mayor

ATTEST:

Angela Nicholson, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stephen Cobb, City Attorney