## **RESOLUTION NO. 2025-**

## CITY OF TONTITOWN, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

A RESOLUTION WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH MHC KENWORTH FOR THE REPAIR OF A FIRE TRUCK FOR THE TONTITOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**WHEREAS,** the City of Tontitown has received a quote from MHC Kenworth, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", for the repair of a fire truck for the Tontitown Fire Department; and

**WHEREAS,** the cost associated with the repair of the fire truck is estimated to be \$50,037.17, which is subject to change depending on availability of parts and/or the extension of labor-hours charged; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that the price for the repair of the fire truck is advantageous and will not be available in the future, and 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 waive competitive bidding and authorize the Mayor to negotiate and execute a contract with MHC Kenworth for the estimated amount of \$50,037.17, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", in order to repair a fire truck for the Tontitown Fire Department.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> Competitive bidding is hereby waived, and the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to negotiate and execute a contract with MHC Kenworth, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", for the estimated amount of \$50,037.17 in order to repair a fire truck for the Tontitown Fire Department.

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

PASSED AND APPROVED this day of January 2025.
APPROVED:
Angela Russell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Rhonda Ardemagni, City Clerk-Treasurer (SEAL)