ORDINANCE NO. 81-8

AN ORDINANCE PERMITTING THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN TO CONDUCT BUSINESS WITH THE CITY OF MULBERRY, ARKANSAS, UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES AS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 485 OF 1981; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MULBERRY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. The Mayor and Aldermen may conduct business with the City as authorized by Act 485 of 1981, under the following conditions:

A. The purchase is under $2,000 in vlaue and comparable merchandise or equipment at comparable prices is not otherwise available within the City.

B. The cost of the services is under $2,000 in value and comparable services at comparable prices are not otherwise available within the City.

SECTION 2. On all purchases of supplies, equipment or services of more than $2,000, advertisement for bids must be taken pursuant to Ark. Stat. 19-4425 unless the City Council shall by ordinance waive competitive bidding in exceptional situations where such procedures is deemed feasible or practical.

SECTION 3. WHEREAS in many instances the Mayor or Aldermen are the only merchants in the City who sell certain items and also the Mayor or Aldermen are the only persons who supply certain services and it will work a great hardship on the City if they must purchase supplies, equipment and services outside the City; therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance being necessary for the immediate protection of the public peace, health and safety shall take effect immediately on its passage and approval.

Arnold D. Feller

ARNOLD D. FELLER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

William Ray Roe

MICHAEL ROE, RECORDER - TREASURER

This Ordinance was mistakenly Stamped as Repealed. It was not repealed and is still in effect.

Jeff Marvin, Mayor

March 13, 2001