ORDINANCE NO. 88-10

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MULBERRY, ARKANSAS TO PARTICIPATE IN COOPERATIVE PURCHASING.

WHEREAS, Arkansas' State Purchasing Law (A.C.A. 1987 Sec. 19-11-201) was signed into law by Governor Bill Clinton on March 21, 1979; and

WHEREAS, effective July 1, 1979, Arkansas' State Purchasing Law provides the opportunity for counties, cities, towns or school districts to participate in contracts of the State of Arkansas, Department of Finance and Administration, Office of State Purchasing, for the purchase of supplies, services, equipment and certain materials;

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

SECTION 1. That the Mayor of the City of Mulberry hereby requests authority in the name of the City of Mulberry to participate in state contracts which the Department of Finance and Administration, Office of State Purchasing, has entered into for the purchase of supplies, services, equipment and certain materials pursuant to the State Purchasing Law and Amendment 54 to the Arkansas Constitution.

SECTION 2. That the Mayor of the City of Mulberry is hereby authorized to agree in the name of the City of Mulberry to be bound by all contract terms and conditions as the Department of Finance and Administration, Office of State Purchasing, prescribes. Such terms and conditions may include a reasonable fee to cover the administrative costs which the Department of Finance and Administration incurs as a result of the City of Mulberry's participation in a contract. Further, that the Mayor does hereby agree to be bound by all such terms and conditions.

SECTION 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to agree in the name of the City of Mulberry to directly pay the vendor, under such state contract in which it participates, for items it receives pursuant to the contract, and that the Mayor does hereby agree to directly pay the vendor.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1988.

APPROVED:

Arnold D. Feller

Arnold D. Feller, Mayor

ATTEST:

Joe Benham

Joe Benham, Recorder-Treasurer