

**CITY OF COTTER
COTTER, ARKANSAS**

RESOLUTION NO: 2020-06

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A LEGAL SERVICE AGREEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEM REHABILITATION PROJECT IN THE CITY OF COTTER, ARKANSAS, AND THE FINANCING THERE OF;

WHEREAS: The City Council of the City of Cotter, Arkansas, (the "City") has determined and does hereby determine and declare that the replacement and construction of a Wastewater Collection System Rehabilitation Project is necessary so that the City of Cotter and Gassville and its inhabitants may have adequate collection sewer system (the"System"), and

WHEREAS: The City has made necessary arrangements to obtain a grant and loan from the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development (the "USDA-RD"), and

WHEREAS: It is necessary, in connection with the construction and the financing thereof, that the City execute a Legal Service Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Cotter, Arkansas;

Section 1 That a Legal Service Agreement, by and between the City and the attorney for the City, in the form and contents of Exhibit "A" hereto be, and it hereby is adopted by the City.

Section 2 That the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute, on behalf of the City, a Legal Service Agreement in the form and content to Exhibit "A" annexed hereto.

Section 3 That all ordinances and resolutions and parts thereof in conflict with are hereby repealed to the context of such conflict.

Section 4 That all the provisions of this Resolution are declared to be separable, and if any provisions shall for any reason be held illegal or invalid, it shall not

affect the legality or validity of the remainder of the Resolution.

Section 5 It is hereby declared that a portion of a sewer system is endangering the welfare, life and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cotter and Gassville, and that the only practical manner in which those hazards can be eliminated is by the replacement of the existing sewer system along the walking trail to the wet well as defined by ESI Engineering Consultants, Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Cotter, Arkansas, hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute, on behalf of the City, a Legal Service Agreement.

Passed this 25th day of June, 2020


McGeorge Caradine, Mayor

ATTEST:


Andrea Kray, Recorder/Treasurer