RESOLUTION R-99 - 22

WHEREAS, the City of Conway Parks and Recreation department is expanding by opening a new Sports Center facility located at 3800 College Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the expansion is necessary in order to continue providing the recreational needs of our community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Conway feels that it is appropriate to dedicate and name the new Conway Sports Center facility: and

WHEREAS, Joe B. McGee was a Conway institution, known for his journalism and extensive coverage of sporting events; and

WHEREAS, in 1984 the Conway City Council named the downtown community center the "Joe B. McGee Community Center" in honor of Mr. McGee and his fervent support of sports and recreation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, THAT:

- The City of Conway Parks and Recreation department is expanding by opening a 1. new Sports Center facility located at 3800 College Avenue
- 2. The City Council and City of Conway do hereby recognize Joe B. McGee and his significant contributions to the City of Conway.
- In spirit of the former City Council in naming the former community center, the 3. Mayor, City Council and the City of Conway do hereby wish to honor Joe B. McGee for his involvement with the community and support of local sporting events by dedicating and naming the new Sports Center;

"Joe B. McGee Sports Center"

Passed this 27th day of April 1999.

APPROVED

Mayor Tab Townse

ATTEST:

City Clerk Michael O. Garrett