

City of Conway Council Meeting Summary May 24th, 2011

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On this date the City Council of the City of Conway, Arkansas met in regular session. The following members being a quorum were present and acting; Alderman Hawkins, Alderman Grimes, Alderwoman Mehl, Alderwoman Smith, Alderwoman Whitmore, Alderman Vaught, Alderman Rhodes, & Alderman Jones. Also, present and acting: Mayor Tab Townsell, City Clerk/Treasurer Michael Garrett, & City Attorney Michael Murphy.

Ordinance Passed:

0-11-39	Ordinance accepting the annexation of certain lands comprise of 57.64 acres located south of Dave Ward Drive and West of Lollie Road and east of Sand Gap Road with the possible addresses of 3605 Lollie Road or 3600 Sand Gap Road. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
0-11-40	Ordinance to rezone property located South of Dave Ward Drive at 3605 Lollie Road/3600 Sand Gap Road from A-1 to I-3. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
O-11-41	Ordinance to rezone property located at 2002 Dave Ward Drive from R-2 to O-3. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
0-11-42	Ordinance to rezone property located at 605, 615, & 725 Donaghey Ave; 2111 & 2117 Louvenia Ave, 2118 & 2120 Ada Ave; 720 Western Ave; 2229 Robinson Ave and 2135 Caldwell St from R-2A to S-1. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
O-11-43	Ordinance to appropriate funds not to exceed \$9,000 for Civil Service expense related to the CFD promotional testing. Vote 7-1 w/ Alderman Vaught voting against.

Resolution Passed:

R-11-20	Resolution adopting the Conway Wastewater Improvement Facilities Plan for Conway Corporation. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
R-11-21	Resolution in support of a Safe Routes to School Grant application for sidewalks and traffic calming measures along Siebenmorgan Road, Bill Lucy Drive, Lee Street, Manor Drive and Stermer Road. <i>Vote 8-0</i>
R-11-22	Resolution in support of a joint-use agreement grant with Conway High School West for the purpose of Laurel Park Tennis Court use and new lighting. Vote 8-0

In Other Actions:

- Approved the minutes from the May 10th, 2011 City Council Meeting (as amended). Vote 8-0
- Approved a request from the University of Central Arkansas to repairs & replace portions of a sidewalk (at their expenses) near 201 Donaghey Avenue. *Vote 7-0-1 (Alderwoman Mehl abstain from the vote)*

- Approved to proceed with an RFP for a structural engineer to investigate and report on the condition of three buildings located near the 900 block of Front Street. Vote 8-0
- Approved a material testing contract from Thomas & Associates for the New Conway Airport in the Lollie Bottoms. Vote 8-0
- Approved to accept the nomination of Geneva Stephens for the Housing Authority Board. Vote 8-0
- Approved to paint traffic signal poles and mast arms black within Downtown Conway for a quote cost of \$19, 800 by Desoto County Electric. Vote 8-0

Held In Committee/No Action Taken:

- Ordinance amending Ordinances O-05-97 & O-05-98 allowing for additional use of taxes collected upon the sale of prepared food and beverages.
- Ordinance adopting budget adjustments for the Conway Parks Department.
- Ordinance to decreasing the budget for the Conway Parks Department.
- Ordinance adopting salary adjustments for the City of Conway employees.

Employee Service Awards:

5 years	Firefighter Randall Green Billie Jean McGinty, Custodian Supervisor Lewis Noggle, CDL Driver Brian Edwards, Telecommunicator Supervisor Dana Derrick, Secretary	05/01/2006 05/15/2006 05/19/2006 04/13/2006 04/03/2006	Fire Physical Plant Sanitation Police Sanitation
10 years	Tony LaPlaunt, Maintenance/Sign Specialist	04/16/2001	Street
	Betty Jo Myers, Collector	04/30/2001	Sanitation
	Elgin Thomas, Concrete Aide	05/07/2001	Street
	Sergeant Casey Dunn	05/21/2001	Police
	Officer Michael Bradford	05/21/2001	Police
20 years	Patty Scherer, Administrative Assistant	04/01/1991	Police
	Randy Evans, Construction Inspector	04/29/1991	Street

Next City Council Meeting: Tuesday, June 14th, 2011
Deadline: Tuesday, June 7th, 2011 @ 12:00pm
Email all submittals to <u>felicia.rogers@cityofconway.org</u>