

City of Conway, Arkansas City Council Meeting Summary July 11th, 2023

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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 Tucker, Alderwoman Mehl, Alderman Ledbetter, Alderwoman Webb, Alderman Jones, & Alderwoman Isby. Also, present and acting: Mayor Bart Castleberry, City Attorney Charles Finkenbinder, & City Clerk/Treasurer Michael O. Garrett.

Resolutions Passed:

R-23-29	Resolution approving entering into an agreement with AT&T for Emergency operations for the Police Department. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
R-23-30	Resolution requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a lien in the amount of \$169.89 on property located at 26 Brierwood Circle for expenses incurred by the City. <i>Vote 6-0</i>
R-23-31	Resolution requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a lien in the amount of \$169.89 on property located at 255 Garland St. for expenses incurred by the City. <i>Vote 6-0</i>
R-23-32	Resolution requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a lien in the amount of \$124.58 on property located at 2600 Donaghey Ave. for expenses incurred by the City. <i>Vote 6-0</i>
R-23-33	Resolution requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a lien in the amount of \$188.62 on property located at 2620 Donaghey Ave. for expenses incurred by the City. <i>Vote 6-0</i>
R-23-34	Resolution approving that the City utilize Federal-aid funds provided by the STBG Program for the Conway Salem Road Bridge Project for the Transportation Department. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
R-23-35	Resolution approving that the City utilize Federal-aid funds provided by through Metroplan for the Conway College Avenue Bridge Project for the Transportation Department. <i>Vote 7-0</i>

Ordinances Passed:

O-23-45	Ordinance approving an electric rate adjustment for Conway Corporation. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
O-23-48	Ordinance approving NET Metering rules revisions for Conway Corporation. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
0-23-49	Ordinance appropriating funds, in the amount of \$45,000, for the Lake Conway Master Plan Development with the Conway Area Chamber of Commerce. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
O-23-50	Ordinance appropriating funds, in the amount of \$90,871, for the IT Department. <i>Vote 7-0</i>
0-23-51	Ordinance authorizing personnel changes and a salary adjustment for District Court. Vote 7-0
O-23-52	Ordinance appropriating PY2023 grant funds, in the amount of \$476,652, for the CDBG Department. <i>Vote 7-0</i>

O-23-53 Ordinance appropriating funds, in the amount of \$2,000, from Govdeals.com for the Conway Regional Airport. **Vote 7-0**

O-23-54 Ordinance rezoning property located at 1700 South Boulevard, from R-2A to R-2 for the Planning Department. **Vote 7-0**

Other Actions:

Approved June 13th, 2023, City Council Minutes. Vote 7-0

Approved May 31st, 2023, Monthly Financial Report. Vote 7-0

Approved Waiving of the three readings for the ordinances on the July 11th City Council agenda. Vote 7-0

Approved SRO agreement with Conway High School for the Conway Police Department. Vote 7-0

Denied Appeal to rezone property located east of Padgett Road at the intersection of Spencer Lake Drive

from A-1 to PUD. Vote 1-7 with Alderman Grimes, Alderwoman Tucker, Alderwoman Mehl, Alderman Ledbetter,

Alderwoman Webb, Alderman Jones, & Alderwoman Isby voting against.

First Reading:

Impact Fee Credit for Lands' End Subdivision for the Planning Department.