ORDINANCE NO. 86-09

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE CONWAY MUNICIPAL AIRPORT ADVISORY COMMITTEE PRESCRIBING THE METHOD OF THEIR APPOINTMENT, THEIR TERMS OF OFFICE, THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: There is hereby created a committee to be known as the Conway Municipal Airport Advisory Committee, to be composed of five (5) citizens who are qualified electors of the municipality. At least two (2) of the members shall be fully experienced in aviation and shall hold a current license as a private pilot or commercial pilot. The FBO will serve as non-voting member of this committee.

SECTION 2: Said committee members shall be selected initially as follows: Aldermæn from each ward shall select one (1) member; the Mayor shall select one (1) member for a total of five (5) members. Members shall hold office for a term of five (5) years provided however the committee members initially appointed shall serve terms of 1,2,3,4 and 5 years each, to be designated by the Mayor, and thereafter upon expiration of their respective term, their successors shall be appointed for a term of five (5) years. Appointments to the Conway Municipal Airport Advisory Committee shall be confirmed by a three-fourth (3/4) majority vote of the City Council.

SECTION 3: The members of the committee shall receive no compensation for their services. No member of such committee shall hold any elective office under the municipal government while a member of said committee, nor shall any such member be a candidate for any such elective office while a member of said committee. Further, no member of said committee shall engage financially in any aeronautical enterprise other than minority ownership of stock of a certified air carrier not operating on or from the Conway Municipal Airport, nor shall any member have any financial interest in any concession, right or privilege to conduct any business or render any service for compensation upon the premises of said municipal airport.

SECTION 4: Any committee member appointed by the provisions of this ordinance may be removed only by a three-fourth (3/4) vote of the duly elected and qualified members of the City Council.

SECTION 5: The committee shall meet at least quarterly, but other meetings may be held at any time by said committee upon the call of the Mayor or City Council.

SECTION 6: The committee shall elect annually from its members a chairman and vice chairman and secretary.

SECTION 7: The City Attorney of the City of Conway shall serve as ex-officio legal counsel for said committee.

SECTION 8: The committee will report to the Council on a regular basis. Such reporting shall be no less than quarterly but may be more frequent if necessary to advise the Council of activities at the Airport. Such reports shall include planning functions, lease agreements, operation procedures, FAA compliance, or any other activities which may or may not require Council action. Such reports may be given verbally at regular Council meetings but must be presented in written form.

SECTION 9: All ordinances or parts of ordinance in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 10: If any section or provision of this ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not render the remaining sections or provisions of this ordinance unconstitutional or affect the validity of same.

SECTION 11: It is hereby ascertained an declared that in order to protect the health, safety and well-being of the citizens of Conway and in order to provide a more safe and efficient administration of the Conway Municipal Airport, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force without delay from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 28th day of January , 1986.

APPROVED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

Martha Hartwick