AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AN ACCESS MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE HIGHWAY 60/DAVE WARD DRIVE CORRIDOR, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE

WHEREAS, the City of Conway is desirous of pursuing access management principles along the Highway 60/Dave Ward Drive corridor from the railroad overpass to Prince Street, and has passed Resolution No. R-99-60 in furtherance of that goal; and

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code Annotated Section 14-56-419 authorizes, following the adoption and filing of a master street plan and the recommendation of the Conway Planning Commission, the enactment of ordinances providing for the control of entry into any of the major streets and highways shown in the plan; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously adopted and filed a master street plan, and has received relevant recommendations from the Planning Commission in this regard; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously approved design concepts for access management and median design along the portion of Dave Ward Drive from the railroad overpass to Tucker Creek referred to as Segment 1; and

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of accepting the general access management plan for the portion of Dave Ward Drive from Tucker Creek to Prince Street referred to as Segment 2; and

WHEREAS, the City has entered into a tripartite agreement with the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department and Metroplan governing the design, financing, and future alteration to the Dave Ward Drive corridor.

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

Section 1. The City of Conway approves and adopts the access management plan for Segment 1 of Dave Ward Drive, and for Segment 2 of Dave Ward Drive and further approves and adopts the access management agreement for Dave Ward Drive which, pursuant to 8-9960, the Mayor has entered into on behalf of the City with the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department and Metroplan.

Section 2. That any ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.
Section 3. That this ordinance is necessary for the protection of the peace, health and safety of the citizens of Conway, and therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 11th day of April, 2000.

ATTEST:  

APPROVED:  

Mayor Tab Townsell

City Clerk Michael O. Garrett