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City of Conway, Arkansas

Ordinance No. O-13-130

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING BY REFERENCE THE CITY OF CONWAY AIRPORT HEIGHT AND LAND USE ZONING OVERLAY DISTRICT ADOPTED BY REFERRING ORDINANCE O-11-35, MAY 10, 2011; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, "The Airport Zoning Enabling Act," Act 116, Acts of Arkansas, 1941 (as amended) gives the City of Conway the authority for establishing restrictions around Airports for the health and safety of the public. It is hereby found that an obstruction to navigable airspace has the potential for endangering the lives of property and users of the Conway Municipal Airport, and property or occupants of land in its vicinity; that such obstruction may affect existing and future instrument approach minimums of the Conway Municipal Airport; and that such obstructions may reduce the size of areas available for landing, takeoff, and maneuvering of aircraft, thus tending to destroy or impair the utility of the Conway Municipal airport and the public investment therein.

WHEREAS, certain agricultural crops, constructed water impoundments and other land use practices may create bird and waterfowl attractants in the vicinity of the Airport. Birds and waterfowl in the vicinity of the runway may create a safety hazard for aircraft using the Conway Municipal Airport. Therefore, the City of Conway desires to establish land use controls to minimize the potential for creating new bird or waterfowl attractants in the vicinity of the a Conway Municipal Airport. Preexisting land uses may be exempt from these bird and waterfowl attract controls if uses can be documented prior to the effective date of this ordinance. This land use restricting may extend beyond the City Limits of Conway into the unincorporated lands of Faulkner County as provided in Arkansas State Code ACA 14-56-413.

WHEREAS, certain design standards unique to airport development are necessary for specific land uses and harmonious design of airport structures.

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

SECTION 1. The City of Conway Airport Height and Land Use Overlay District is hereby amended by reference which was approved following notice as required by law, such ordinance consisting of the text and graphics, of which not less than three (3) copies have been and now are filed in the office of the Clerk of the City of Conway, Arkansas.

SECTION 2. All ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is necessary for the protection of the public peace, health and safety, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 26th day of November, 2013.

Approved:

Attest:

Mayor Tab Townsell

Michael O. Garrett
City Clerk/Treasurer