

RESOLUTION NO. R-03-03

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING APPROPRIATE LOCATIONS FOR
SIDEWALKS ALONG ROADS WITH OPEN DITCHES**

Whereas, the Subdivision Ordinance requires that sidewalks must be installed within the public right-of-way with the edge closest to the street located five and one-half feet from the back of the curb unless specified otherwise, and

Whereas, where open ditches serve as the drainage system along roads, it is often impractical to install sidewalks in the required locations.

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

Section 1: That it is preferable for sidewalks along roads drained by open ditches to have those sidewalks placed with their outside edge congruent with the right-of-way line in order to limit or avoid damage to the sidewalk during future widening or maintenance of the road and drainage system.

Section 2: That the City Engineer and Planning Director are directed, where open ditches are present and they are determining field locations of sidewalks, to have the outer edge of the sidewalk placed along the right-of-way line unless an overwhelming practical difficulty prevents such placement.

Section 3: That where a street with open ditches abuts a new subdivision, the Planning Commission is encouraged to have the sidewalks shown on the plat with their outer edges along the right-of-way line.

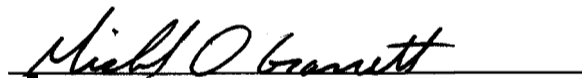
Passed this 11th day of February, 2003.

APPROVED:



Mayor Tab Townsell

ATTEST:



City Clerk Michael O. Garrett