



City of Conway -City Council Brief
February 28, 2006

At its meeting Tuesday night, the Conway City Council took the following actions:

Ordinances Passed:

- Ordinance (**O-06-09**) closing the easement located at Lot 3 in Conway Commons. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-10**) authorizing the issuance and sale of the City's Refunding Bonds, Series 2006-A. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-11**) consolidating cable and internet rate ordinance for Conway Corporation. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-12**) to change certain two (2) hour parking spots on Front Street to thirty (30) minute parking spots. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-13**) appropriating funds to repair and install two Leachate pumps for the Sanitation Department. **Vote 7-0 w/ David Grimes not present**
- Ordinance (**O-06-14**) appropriating funds to purchase a new air compressor for the Sanitation Dept. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-15**) appropriating revenue funds in the amount of \$1,370.45 for the Conway Police Department to repair patrol unit involved in accident. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-16**) accepting seized assets (a vehicle) obtained through court order with a stated value of \$3500. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-17**) accepting seized assets obtained through court order with an estimated value of \$6,925. **Vote 6-1 w/ Alderman Brewer voting against.**
- Ordinance (**O-06-18**) accepting equipment purchased by Homeland Security for the City of Conway. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance (**O-06-19**) appropriating funds in the amount of \$2,250 received by Wal-Mart Foundation and \$443 received by Fred's to the Conway Fire Department. **Vote 7-0**

- Ordinance (**O-06-20**) appropriating funds in the amount of \$2,057 for the addition to Station 3 for renovations. *Vote 7-0*
- Ordinance (**O-06-21**) appropriating fund in the amount of \$14,550 for the CFD uniforms (turnout gear) for 2006. *Vote 7-0*
- Ordinance (**O-06-22**) appropriating funds for staffing at the Conway Fire Department for new Haz-Mat Division Chief position. *Vote 5-2 w/ Alderman Weeks & Whitmore voting against.*
- Ordinance (**O-06-23**) providing for the adoption of the reverse internet auction option for the purchase of goods and services for the City of Conway *Vote 7-0*

Ordinances Failed: None

Resolutions Passed:

- Resolution (**R-06-04**) to refer to the section of Oak Street that runs through the Toad Suck Daze festival as “Croak Street” during the festival weekend. (*Sponsored by Alderman David Grimes*) *Vote 8-0*

Resolutions Failed: None

Other actions:

In other actions, the Council:

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- Approved the Toad Suck Daze Committee to paint a mural on the front of the Toad Suck Store. *Vote 8-0*
- Approved accepting bids from Robinson Inc. in the amount of \$5,200 for demolition of property located at 3723 Donnell Ridge Road. *Vote 8-0*
- Approved to sign a reimbursement agreement with Sprint for the Downtown Drainage Improvement – Phase I project. *Vote 8-0*
- Approved to accept bids from Ameri-Kart for (600) 96 Gallon Universal Refuse Roll carts & 64 gallon Universal Recycling Containers. Also accepted bids from Waste Equip for 3, 4, 6, & Yard Front Load Containers for the Conway Sanitation Department. *Vote 7-0*
- Approved increasing the mileage reimbursement rate for City employees to .39 per mile. *Vote 6-0 w/ Alderman Bell & Grimes not present*
- Approved to make an offer to the individuals for the appraised value of their land before proceeding to condemnation for the new street to E. Industrial Park & to name new road “Mayor Blvd.” *Vote 7-0*

- Approved 3.5% salaries increase for select city department heads and a higher salary for Asst. to Mayor, Jamie Gates w/ a \$400 per month gas mileage allowance. ***Vote 5-3 w/ the Mayor voting & Alderman Brewer & Jones and Alderwoman Smith voting against.***
- Approved changing the next City Council from March 14th to March 16. ***Vote 7-0***

*****All votes 7-0 are with Alderman David Grimes absent from meeting.***

Next City Council Meeting: Thursday, March 16th, 2006
Deadline is Tuesday, March 7th, 2006 @ noon