

Mayor Tab Townsell

City Attorney Michael Murphy

City Clerk/Treasurer Michael O. Garrett



Aldermen

Ward 1 Position 1 – Andy Hawkins
Ward 1 Position 2 – David Grimes
Ward 2 Position 1 – Mark Vaught
Ward 2 Position 2 – Shelley Mehl
Ward 3 Position 1 – Jack Bell
Ward 3 Position 2 – Mary Smith
Ward 4 Position 1 – Theodore Jones, Jr.
Ward 4 Position 2 – Shelia Whitmore

City of Conway -- City Council Brief
August 7th, 2007

At its meeting the Conway City Council took the following actions:

Ordinances Passed:

- Ordinance {O-07-93} to provide financing for a loan for First State Soccer Park. **Vote 8-0 (Approved at the Special Meeting on July 31st, 2007)**
- Ordinance {O-07-94} regarding new federal standards pertaining to electric utilities under the public utilities regulatory policies act of 1978, as amended by the energy policy act of 2005. **Vote 7-0 w/ Alderman Mehl not present.**
- Ordinance {O-07-95} appropriating funds in the amount of \$2240 for the Old Conway Design Review Board. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-07-96} appropriating funds in the amount of \$60,000 to purchase the land & cover closing cost for property near the Sanitation Department. **Vote 6-1 w/ Alderman Hawkins voting against. E.C. 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-07-97} amending the Conway Municipal Code Section 12.12.22 in regards to Beaverfork Lake structures for the Conway Parks Department. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-07-98} appropriating funds in the amount of \$487.76 to cover expenses associated with the hiring of the Deputy Attorney for the City's Attorney's Office. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-07-99} appropriating donated funds from Acxiom in the amount of \$2,000 to purchase leadership program for the Conway Fire Department. **Vote 7-0**

Ordinances Failed: None

Resolutions Passed:

- Resolution {R-07-22} to set a public hearing on August 28th, 2007 @ 6:30pm to discuss closing a utility/drainage easement in the North Market Plaza PUD. **Vote 7-0**

Resolutions Failed: None

Other Actions:

In other actions, the Council:

- ◆ Approved minutes from the July 24th & July 31st, 2007 City Council meeting. *Vote 7-0*
- ◆ Approved the low bid from Paladino-Nash in the amount of \$269,422.85 for the Downtown Conway Sidewalk Renovation – Phase III (Oak Street-Front Street-Chestnut Street) *Vote 7-0* and an amendment for funding to be provided by a HUD grant (\$198,000) and the remaining balance of \$71,422.85 be taken from the Street Fund Balance Account. *Vote 6-1 w/ Alderman Vaught voting against.*
- ◆ Approved to accept the offer and acceptance with an appraised value of \$156,000 for property (39.12 acres) located near the Sanitation Department. *Vote 6-1 w/ Alderman Hawkins voting against.*
- ◆ Approved to accept the bid from Scott Construction in the amount of \$134,638 for a crawler dozer for the City Sanitation Department. *Vote 7-0*
- ◆ Approved to offer two recently acquired structures located on Siebenmorgan for sale/ and or demolition. *Vote 7-0*
- ◆ Approved to remove certain items from the fixed assets (inventory) and to dispose of them. *Vote 7-0*

**Next City Council Meeting is Tuesday, August 28th, 2007
Deadline is Tuesday, August 21st, 2007 @ noon**