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

**Ordinances Passed:**

- Ordinance {O-08-79} changing the street name of Rea Drive to Woodside Drive. **Vote 7-0 w/ Alderman Whitmore not present.**
- Ordinance {O-08-80} accepting grant proceeds in the amount of $9,960 from the Arkansas Forestry Commission. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-08-81} appropriating funds in the amount of $94,891 to perform engineering services to revise and update plans for the Salem Road Railroad Overpass. **Vote 7-0**
- Ordinance {O-08-83} appropriating funds in the amount of $10,900 for District Court to make improvements to the lobby area and purchase additional office equipment. **Vote 7-0**

**Ordinances Failed:**

- Ordinance {O-08-82} to rezone property located at 963 Farris Road from R-1 to O-2. **Vote 7-0**

**Resolutions Passed:** None

**Resolution Failed:** None

**Other Actions:**

*In other actions, the Council:*

- Approved the minutes from the June 10th, 2008 Council Meeting. **Vote 7-0**
- Approved to allow Cuerden sign Co. to cut down vegetation on the highway right of way, in two different locations located along Interstate 40. **Vote 7-0**
- Approved the bid from J’s Construction in the amount of $825,859.70 for South Salem Road Improvements from Nutter Chapel to 400 feet south of Eggman Lane. **Vote 7-0**
- Approved the bid from Conway Police Supply, Ad Graphics, & Wilkinson’s Mall for the Conway Fire Department Class A, Class B, Footwear 7 Flamed Resistant Clothing. **Vote 7-0**
Approved entering into an agreement with the Corps of Engineers to operate and maintain Cadron Settlement Park. **Vote 7-0.**

Approved entering into a mutual aid agreement in fire protection and hazardous materials incident response with the City of Maumelle. **Vote 7-0**

Approved the draft of the 2007 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report with Auditor’s Report by JPMS Cox. **Vote 7-0**

**Employee Service Awards/Special Recognition**

- 5 years  
  Officer Lois Spencer  
  Ken Lachowsky, CDL Driver  
  Sanitation

- 10 years  
  Officer Chris Derrick  
  Police

- 15 years  
  Lieutenant Ed Prout  
  Fire

- 24 years  
  Alderman Jack Bell  
  City Council

Al Coleman, Street Department, was recognized for his achievement for being included in the 2009 Arkansas Artist Engagement calendar published by the Governor’s Mansion Association.

Welcomed our new City Alderman, (replacing Alderman Bell) John Thompson back to the City Council. His first meeting is July 8, 2008.

**Next City Council meeting: Tuesday, July 8th, 2008**

**Deadline: Tuesday, July 1st, 2008**