



City of Conway, Arkansas  
*City Council Meeting Summary*

September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021

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On this date the City Council of the City of Conway, Arkansas met in regular session. The following members being a quorum were present and acting; Alderman Hawkins, Alderman Grimes, Alderwoman Mehl, Alderwoman Smith, Alderman Ledbetter, Alderman Jones, & Alderwoman Isby. Also, present and acting: Mayor Bart Castleberry, City Attorney Charles Finkenbinder, & City Clerk/Treasurer Michael O. Garrett. **Alderman Pruitt was not present.**

**Ordinance Passed**

- O-21-91 Ordinance approving the closure of a portion of a utility easement on lots 17 and 5-B at the crossing at Audubon. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-92 Ordinance to authorize the addition of one Construction Inspector position for the Transportation Department. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-93 Ordinance authorizing personnel (addition of positions) changes within the Planning & Development and Permits & Inspections. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-94 Ordinance to amend the Conway Zoning Code concerning Short Term Rentals. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-95 Ordinance appropriating funds in the amount of \$105,000 to replenish the overtime expense account for the Fire Department. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-96 Ordinance appropriating funds in the amount of \$200,000 to replenish the overtime and fuel budget for the Police Department. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-97 Ordinance appropriating asset forfeiture funds in the amount of \$46,623.90 to purchase the duty weapons and purchase physical abilities testing equipment for the Police Department. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-98 Ordinance appropriating reimbursements funds in the amount of \$29,488.94 from various entities for the Police Department. **Vote 7-0**
- O-21-99 Ordinance waiving the competitive bid process for the purchase of a physical abilities testing equipment for Police Department. **Vote 7-0**

**Resolutions Passed:**

- R-21-73 Resolution approving the issuance of hospital revenue bonds for the Health Facilities Board. **Vote 7-0**
- R-21-74 Resolution to apply for grant through the Division of Arkansas Heritage Public Art Grant Program and if awarded match the grant with \$10,000 for the Tiny Toads Public Arts Project for the Public Art Board. **Vote 7-0**
- R-21-75 Resolution authorizing the City to obtain a matching grant from FEMA and the Arkansas Department of Emergency Management for Centennial Creek Drainage for the Transportation Department. **Vote 7-0**

R-21-76 Resolution authorizing the mayor to enter into a real estate contract to acquire property located at 450 Corporate Drive for the future Community Center & Aquatic Facility. **Vote 7-0**

**Other Actions:**

Approved August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021, City Council Minutes. **Vote 7-0**

Approved Contract with Cox McLain Environmental Consulting (CMEC) to handle the resurvey of the Conway Commercial Historic District. **Vote 7-0**

Approved Disposal of various assets/equipment for the Physical Plant. **Vote 7-0**

**No Action Taken/Held in Committee:**

No Action Taken Ordinance appropriating funds for Station #3 building for the Fire Department. **Vote 7-0**

No Action Taken Resolution authorizing the mayor to enter into an agreement to acquire property located at 1203 N. Museum Road for the relocation of District Court. **Vote 7-0**

***Next City Council meeting will be Tuesday, September 28<sup>th</sup> 2021.  
Deadline will be Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021 @ 12pm.***