

ORDINANCE NO. 0-87-16

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REMOVAL FROM OFFICE OF MEMBERS OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR FAILURE TO ATTEND MEETINGS OF SAID BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:

WHEREAS, the attendance by members of the Boards and Commissions of the City of Conway is important for proper administration of government functions; and

WHEREAS, there is no procedure for requesting members of City Boards and Commissions to resign for failure to attend meetings; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and indispensable that members of the City Boards and Commissions be in attendance at the meetings of said Boards and Commissions.

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

SECTION 1: That it is the public policy of the City of Conway that members of Boards and Commissions of the City of Conway be in attendance if possible at all meetings of said Boards and Commissions.

SECTION 2: That the chairman of each board and commission of the City of Conway shall maintain attendance records on all members of his or her respective board or commission, and upon any member being absent three times without an excused absence within one (1) year, then the chairman of said board or commission shall advise the Mayor of the City of Conway of the members absences.

SECTION 3: That upon receiving notice from the chairman of a city board or commission, the Mayor of the City of Conway shall cause notice to be given to the member who has been absent for three meetings within one year asking said member to resign from his position.

SECTION 4: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.

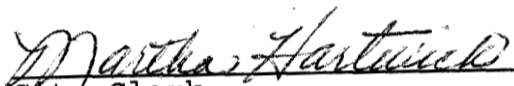
SECTION 5: That it is ascertained and declared that it is necessary for the public peace and welfare of the citizens of the City of Conway, Arkansas, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

DATED this 28th day of April, 1987.

APPROVED:


Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk