

City Council Members

Mayor Tab Townsell

City Attorney Michael Murphy

City Clerk/Treasurer Michael O. Garrett



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 – Jim Rhodes
Ward 3 Position 2 – Mary Smith
Ward 4 Position 1 – Theodore Jones, Jr.
Ward 4 Position 2 – Shelia Whitmore

City of Conway, Arkansas
City Council Brief
January 12th, 2010

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, Alderwoman Smith, Alderman Grimes, Alderwoman Whitmore, Alderwoman Mehl, Alderman Vaught, Alderman Jones, and Alderman Rhodes. Also, present and acting: Mayor Tab Townsell, City Clerk/Treasurer Michael Garrett, and City Attorney Michael Murphy.

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

Ordinances Passed:

- Ordinance {O-10-01} authorizing the issuance of industrial development revenue bonds for USABLE Corporation. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance {O-10-02} amending Title 5 (Health & Sanitation) of the Conway Municipal Code as related to a curb violation. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance {O-10-03} to rezone property at 1114 Gum Street from R-2 to C-3. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance {O-10-04} appropriating asset forfeiture funds in the amount of \$3,325 to cover a reclassification of a position within the Conway Police Department. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance {O-10-05} appropriating insurance proceeds in the amount of \$2620 received for damages to Engine 7 for the Conway Fire Department. **Vote 8-0**
- Ordinance {O-10-06} appropriating funds in the amount of \$17,795 for an increase in compensation for certain employees (department heads) for the FY2010 budget. **Vote 6-2 w/ Alderman Hawkins & Vaught voting against.**

Ordinances Failed: None

Resolutions Passed:

- Resolution {R-10-01} setting a public hearing to discuss the closing of a 10' Utility easement located near the north boundary of Lot 11 of I-40 Replat at 565 Amity Road. **Vote 8-0**
- Resolution {R-10-02} requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a certified lien on property located at 2104 Sugar Creek as a result of incurred expenses by the City. **Vote 8-0**
- Resolution {R-10-03} requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a certified lien on property located at 324 & 326 Hereford as a result of incurred expenses by the City. **Vote 8-0**

- Resolution {R-10-04} requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a certified lien on property located at 2 Eva Lane as a result of incurred expenses by the City. **Vote 8-0**
- Resolution {R-10-05} requesting the Faulkner County Tax Collector to place a certified lien on property located at 615 Donaghey Avenue as a result of incurred expenses by the City. **Vote 8-0**

Resolutions Failed: None

Other Actions:

In other actions, the City Council:

- Approved the minutes from December 22nd, 2009 City Council Meeting. **Vote 8-0**
- Approved a conditional use permit to allow MF-3 density in MF-2 zoning for the property located south and east of the intersection of Denison Street and West Martin. **Vote 8-0**
- Approved to purchase several bike racks (\$7500) from SFI of Conway for all City facilities & Downtown areas. **Vote 7-0-1 with Alderwoman Mehl abstaining.**
- Approved to accept the low bid from Surveillance Systems Integration for CCTV components in the amount of \$14,911 for the Sanitation Department & District Court. **Vote 8-0**
- Approved to reclassify a crime analyst position to an Administrative Assistant I position at the Conway Police Department. **Vote 8-0**
- Approved to reclassify a patrol officer position to a sergeant position at the Conway Police Department for Special Events/Traffic Unit. **Vote 8-0**

Announcements & Recognition:

2010 Officer of the Year: Chris Mitchell

2010 Firefighter of the Year: Wayne Hartness

Next City Council Meeting: January 26th, 2010 @ 5:30pm
Deadline: January 19th, 2010 @ 12:00pm
Email all submittals to felicia.rogers@cityofconway.org