

HELD IN COMMITTEE

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ORDINANCE NO. O-2001- 65

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 11.12.05 OF THE CONWAY MUNICIPAL CODE; REPEALING ANY ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council desire to amend Section 11.12.05 of the Conway Municipal Code;

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

SECTION 1. That Section 11.12.05 Amendments to the Code hereby Adopted shall be amended to read as follows:

11.12.05 Amendments to the Code hereby Adopted. The code hereby adopted is amended and changed in the following respects:

a. Section 2802 is amended as follows:

Section 2802: BURNING OF TRASH.

(a) No person or persons shall kindle or maintain a bonfire, or burn trash, lumber, leaves, straw or any other combustible material in any street or alley, or on any premises or vacant lot, unless burning be done in covered receptacles or incinerators approved by the city health officer or the chief of the fire department. The chief of the fire department may issue a general permit, by publication, during the seasons of the year, for the burning of leaves or other like materials outside the receptacles. All burning of materials permitted by this paragraph shall be conducted on still days, during daylight, with an adult in constant attendance, and shall be done in a location at least twenty-five (25) feet from any building or structure, and where standing grass or weeds will not communicate fire to nearby property.

(b) Burn areas shall not be ignited before 7:00 a.m. or after 12:00 noon, and shall be totally extinguished by 5:00 p.m. the same day.

(c) No additional materials from other resident(ial)/job sites are allowed to be burned at this location.

(d) No burning allowed on Ozone Action Days (air pollution standards are exceeded)

(e) Burning permits are valid one year from the date of being issued.

SECTION 2. That this ordinance is supplemental to those certain provisions contained in Sections 5.08.09 - 5.08.13 of the Conway Municipal Code and does not repeal those ordinances. Any other ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is necessary for the protection of the peace, health and safety of the citizens of Conway, and therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED this _____ day of _____, 2001.

MAYOR TAB TOWNSELL

ATTEST:

MICHAEL O. GARRETT, CITY CLERK