

City of Concordia, Missouri
Office of the Mayor

October 21, 2025

To the Concordia City Council:

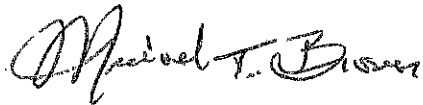
Please accept this letter as my formal resignation as Mayor of the City of Concordia, Missouri.

I am stepping down from Mayor of Concordia due to my appointment this coming Wednesday morning as interim county commissioner for the Southern District of Lafayette County. As these two offices are not compatible under Missouri State statute due to potential conflicts of interest, I find it necessary to give my resignation effective immediately upon your acceptance.

Serving Concordia and this community has brought tremendous joy to my life. There are so many good things that I have seen accomplished since becoming Mayor in April of 2016—and look forward to them continuing under whomever you choose to appoint to the Mayor's position.

I want to personally thank each of you on the City Council for your unwavering support and service and to the city administration for all of their dedication and hard work each and everyday. Working with Dale Klussman as city administrator has been very rewarding and of great benefit to me personally. For that I am very grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Michael T. Brown". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Michael" being the most prominent part.

Michael T. Brown
Mayor