

ORDINANCE NO. 2016 – 01

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A BASE RATE OF SALARY FOR THE NEWLY ELECTED MAYOR AND CITY CLERK/TREASURER OF THE CITY OF CHEROKEE VILLAGE, ARKANSAS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas has the authority and fiscal responsibility to manage and control the finances of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas. (ACA 12-43-502); and

Whereas, the City Council of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas acknowledges that any candidate for the elected position of Mayor or Clerk/Treasurer should have accurate knowledge of the compensation paid by the City to the Mayor and Clerk/Treasurer to avoid confusion.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF CHEROKEE VILLAGE, ARKANSAS

Section 1: A newly elected Mayor of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, shall be paid the sum of \$19,000.00 (Nineteen Thousand dollars) per annum, as base salary. For the purposes of this ordinance the term “newly elected Mayor” refers to a person who has not been the immediately preceding Mayor of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, and does not apply to the incumbent Mayor being re-elected.

Section 2: A newly elected Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas shall be paid the sum of \$18,500.00 (Eighteen Thousand Five Hundred dollars) per annum, as base salary. For the purposes of this ordinance, the term “newly elected Clerk/Treasurer” refers to a person who has not been the immediately preceding Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, and does not apply to the incumbent Clerk/Treasurer being re-elected.

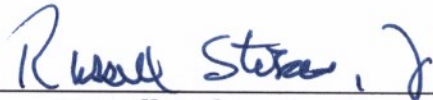
Section 3: Any additional benefits or compensation to be granted a Mayor and/or city Clerk/Treasurer shall be authorized by the City Council when deemed appropriate.

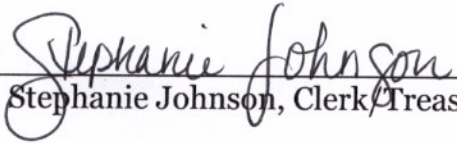
Section 4: Upon adoption of this ordinance, Section 1 and Section 2 of Ordinance No. 2010-05, shall be repealed. All other sections of that ordinance shall remain valid.

Section 5: If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the ordinance which may be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared severable.

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEROKEE
VILLAGE, ARKANSAS**

DATE 5-20-16

APPROVED 
Russell Stokes, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST 
Stephanie Johnson, Clerk/Treasurer