

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-03

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING SEPARATE OFFICES OF CITY CLERK AND CITY TREASURER FOR THE CITY OF CHEROKEE VILLAGE, ARKANSAS; PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF CITY TREASURER; PROVIDING A PROCEDURE TO REMOVE AN APPOINTED CITY TREASURER FROM OFFICE AND OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the public welfare of the City of Cherokee Village, Sharp and Fulton Counties, Arkansas, can best be realized by the establishment of separate offices of City Clerk and City Treasurer.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Cherokee Village, Sharp and Fulton Counties, Arkansas:

SECTION 1: The current office of Clerk/Treasurer for the City of Cherokee Village shall be abolished and replaced with two offices which shall be held by two separate individuals: (1) The Office of Clerk for the City of Cherokee Village, which shall be an elective office; and (2) The Office of Treasurer for the City of Cherokee Village, which shall be an appointed office. The incumbent City Clerk/Treasurer shall continue in the dual office until a successor for each office is elected or appointed and qualified.

SECTION 2: The election and term of office for the City Clerk shall be filled in the manner provided by state law.

SECTION 3: The duties of the City Clerk shall be those that are set out in A.C.A. § 14-43-506 and such other duties as may be required by the ordinances of the City.

SECTION 4: The rate of compensation for the City Clerk shall be established by ordinance of the City.

SECTION 5: The Office of Treasurer for the City of Cherokee Village shall be an appointed position. The term of the appointment shall be for four (4) years.

SECTION 6: The duties of the City Treasurer shall be those that are set out in A.C.A. § 14-43-507 and such other duties as may be required by the ordinances of the City.

SECTION 7: The rate of compensation for the City Treasurer shall be established by the City Council.

SECTION 8: The City Treasurer can be removed from office upon a majority vote of the City Council.

SECTION 9: All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

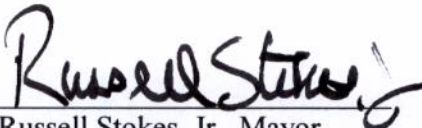
SECTION 10: In the event any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, subparagraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining provisions of this ordinance, and the remaining portions of this ordinance shall be given effect as if such invalid or unconstitutional provision was not originally a part of this ordinance.

EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It being necessary for the continued orderly operation of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, and for certainty in the administration of the City, the City Council of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, recognizes and declares an emergency to exist, and this Ordinance, being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, comfort, convenience, morals, safety and welfare of the City of Cherokee Village, Arkansas, shall be in full force and effect from and after January 1, 2017.

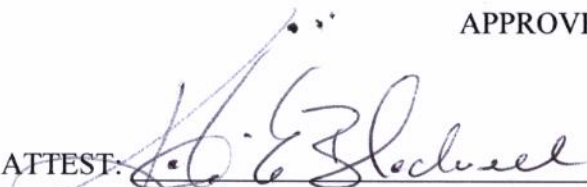
PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
CHEROKEE VILLAGE

DATED: 11/21/16

APPROVED:


Russell Stokes, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:


Clerk/Treasurer