RESOLUTION NO. 2003-07

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING U.S. ARMED FORCES IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM

<u>Whereas</u>, to preserve democracy and sustain liberty, it is from time to time necessary to use military force to guarantee these rights as well as free people from any tyranny which may exist to oppress those principles of a free society and,

<u>Whereas</u>, the armed forces of the United States are engaged in a conflict not only to protect our sovereign nation but to establish the precepts of democracy abroad and provide an opportunity for other people to enjoy the same liberties which exist in our country and,

<u>Whereas</u>, we believe that democratic governments are instituted for the benefit of mankind and that no government can exist in peace, except where laws are framed and held inviolate so as to secure each individual the free exercise of conscience, the right and control of property, and the protection of life and,

<u>Whereas</u>, no free society can stand without lofty patriotism, virtue in its people, a willingness to sacrifice for its common defense, and a liberty that must be earned by eternal vigilance.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby RESOLVED by the Cherokee Village City Council with concurrence of the Mayor:

That the City of Cherokee Village, home to many veterans, along with its citizens willfully supports the United States of America Armed Forces as they pursue and engage in the cause known as: Operation Iraqi Freedom

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CHEROKEE VILLAGE CITY COUNCIL.

DATE: April 10, 2003

APPROVED:

Susan E. Maynard, Clerk/Treasurer.

ATTEST!