

**MINUTES– CHEROKEE RIDGE – REGULAR MEETING – OCTOBER 23, 2023**

The Town Council of the Town of Cherokee Ridge met in regular session on October, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the Cherokee Ridge Club House, 4000 Cherokee Ridge Drive, Cherokee Ridge, Alabama.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Natalie Burke.

Upon roll call, the following were present: Councilmembers Russell Bobo, Stephen Britt, Preston Jacobs, Wayne Martin and Scott Nixon, and Mayor Natalie Burke. Absent: None. Also present were Town Attorney Rodney Edmondson, and Town Clerk Gail Busbey.

The invocation was given by Gail Busbey. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilmember Jacobs.

The minutes of the work session and regular meeting of September 11, 2023 were submitted in writing.

(MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2023)

MOTION by Councilmember Martin and seconded by Councilmember Jacobs that the minutes of the work session and regular meeting of September 11, 2023, be approved as written. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Councilmembers Bobo, Britt, Jacobs, Martin and Nixon, and Mayor Burke. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared the minutes of the September 11, 2023 work session and regular meeting approved as written.

There were no additions or deletions to the agenda.

Mayor Burke reported that the Alabama flag already needs replacing, and that Cherokee Ridge Country Club has volunteered to furnish the flags in the future. She reported that Marshall County E-911 is implementing a new emergency notification system, that she met with the Madison Building Inspector for advice on building codes, that TARCOG meetings will resume after the survey is completed.

Mayor Burke presented a list of outstanding bills of the Town and called for a motion to approve payment of the bills.

(INSERT LISTING: Attorney fees, contract services and reimbursement of expenses)

MOTION by Councilmember Britt and seconded by Councilmember Bobo that the bills of the Town for the month of September be paid. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Councilmembers Bobo, Britt, Jacobs, Martin, and Nixon, and Mayor Burke. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared that the payment of the bills was approved, and directed that those bills be paid.

The following Resolution was introduced in writing by Mayor Burke:

(RESOLUTION NO. 2023-016: Adopt FY24 Budget

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MOTION by Councilmember Jacobs and seconded by Councilmember Nixon that Resolution No. 2023-016 be adopted as introduced. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Councilmembers Bobo, Britt, Jacobs, Martin and Nixon, and Mayor Burke. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared that Resolution No. 2023-016 had achieved passage.

This being the time scheduled for public comment, Mayor Burke stated that no request to address the Council had been made, so there will be no public comment.

There being no further business to come before the Council, MOTION by Councilmember Martin and seconded by Councilmember Bobo that the meeting be adjourned. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Councilmembers Bobo, Britt, Jacobs, Martin, and Nixon, and Mayor Burke. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared the meeting duly adjourned at 7:11 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

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Gail Busbey, Town Clerk

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Natalie Burke, Mayor

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Russell Bobo, Councilmember

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Stephen Britt, Councilmember

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Preston Jacobs, Councilmember

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Wayne Martin, Councilmember

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Scott Nixon, Councilmember

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