

MINUTES– CHEROKEE RIDGE – REGULAR MEETING – NOVEMBER 14, 2022

The Town Council of the Town of Cherokee Ridge met in regular session on November 14, 2022 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: Mayor Natalie Burke; Councilmembers Stephen Britt, Preston Jacobs, and Wayne Martin. Absent: Councilmembers Russell Bobo and Scott Nixon. Also present was Town Clerk Gail Busbey. Mayor Burke asked that the record reflect that Councilmember Nixon was out of town for work, and that Councilmember Bobo and Town Attorney Alex Smith were absent due to illness.

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 October 17, 2022 were submitted in writing.

(MINUTES OF OCTOBER 17, 2022)

MOTION by Councilmember Martin and seconded by Councilmember Jacobs that the minutes of the work session and regular meeting of October 17, be approved as written. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Mayor Burke and Councilmembers Britt, Jacobs, and Martin. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared the minutes of the October 17, 2022 work session and regular meeting approved as written.

There were no additions or deletions to the agenda.

Mayor Burke had no report.

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

Cherokee Ridge POA	\$16,247.83
Gail Busbey	\$841.65
AMIC	\$800.00
AMIC	\$1,500.00
AL League of Municipalities	\$529.00
Alex Smith	\$5,466.25
Gail Busbey	\$8,883.32

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

The following Ordinance was introduced in writing by Mayor Burke:

(ORDINANCE NO. 2022-0022: Severe Weather Preparedness Tax Holiday)

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MOTION by Councilmember Jacobs and seconded by Councilmember Britt that unanimous consent be given for immediate consideration of Ordinance No. 2022-0022. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Mayor Burke, Councilmembers Britt, Jacobs, and Martin. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared that there was unanimous consent for immediate consideration of Ordinance No. 2021-0022. She called for a motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2022-0022.

MOTION by Councilmember Martin and seconded by Councilmember Britt that Ordinance No. 2022-0022 be adopted as introduced. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Mayor Burke, Councilmembers Britt, Jacobs, and Martin. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared that Ordinance No. 2022-0022 had achieved passage.

.This being the time scheduled for public comment, Mayor Burke invited anyone present who wished to address the Council to come forward. No one present wished to address the Council, and Councilmember Bobo expressed his thanks to Mr. Andrews for keeping the gate working at the town entrance.

There being no further business to come before the Council, MOTION by Councilmember Britt and seconded by Councilmember Jacobs that the meeting be adjourned. Upon roll call, the following members voted Aye: Mayor Burke; Councilmembers Britt, Jacobs, and Martin. Nays: None. Mayor Burke declared the meeting duly adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Gail Busbey, Town Clerk

Natalie Burke, Mayor

Russell Bobo, Councilmember

Stephen Britt, Councilmember

Preston Jacobs, Councilmember

Wayne Martin, Councilmember

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Scott Nixon, Councilmember