Cherry Valley City Council Meeting Cherry Valley City Hall 166 Highway 1B Cherry Valley, AR 72324 October 10, 2023, at 6:00 pm

Call to order of City Council meeting at 6:00 pm meeting.

Mayor Adam Love	Present
Council Member Earnest Meredith	Present
Council Member Thomas Wilson	Present
Council Member James DeWitt	Present
Council Member Ricky Lace	Present

Others Present:

Recorder Treasurer Stacey Bennett Fire Chief Shane Bell

Visitors: Blake Stricklin, Brady Stricklin

The meeting was opened with prayer by Council Member James DeWitt.

Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes

Council Member DeWitt made a motion to approve the September 12, 2023, city council minutes; Council Member Wilson seconded the motion. Motion passed 4 for 0

Financials

Council Member Meredith made a motion to approve the September 2023 financials; Council Member Wilsom seconded the motion. Motion passed 4 for 0

Visitors:

Blake Stricklin purchased property located on Dye Street and it connects to the property on Walls Street. Mr. Stricklin wants to build 2 duplex on Dye Street and 3-4 Duplex on Walls Street at 2400 Sq ft each. In order for them to be able to build the duplex they will need to have the zoning changed from R-2 to R-3 to be in compliance. Mr. Stricklin requested to have the zoning maps changed.

Council Member DeWitt made a motion to approve change from R-2 to R-3 on the zoning map, with Mr. Stricklin paying the cost of the change. Council Member Meredith seconded the motion. Motion passed 4 for 0

Water

Mayor Adam Love presented a letter from Arkansas Department of Agriculture regarding the principal forgiveness recently approved. Mayor Love was pleased to report the entire amount of \$3,315,370.00 has been awarded to the city and no loan will be required for a new water treatment plant.

Millage

Mayor Adam Love presented RESOLUTION NO 7 of 2023 TO CERTIFY MILLAGE FOR THE CITY OF CHERRY VALLEY. After discussion the council chose to leave the city's milage the same at 4.75.

Council Member Lace made a motion to leave the city's millage at 4.75 and approve Resolution 7 of 2023, Council Member Meredith seconded the motion to certify the city's mileage at 4.75. Motion passed 4 for 0.

Police

Tyler Burges and Noah Pendley have been hired as Part Time officers.

Dog Catcher

Noah Pendley has been hired as the dog catcher for the city.

Adjournment

On a motion made by Council Member Meredith, seconded by Council Member Lace to adjourn at 6:48 pm. Motion passed 4 for 0 against

Next meeting will be November 14, 2023, at 6:00 p.m.

Stacey Bennett, Recorder

Adam Love, Mayor





