

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-26

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEROKEE, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE 1, SECTION 2-113, SUBSECTION A.1 OF THE CHEROKEE MUNICIPAL CODE 2021, AMENDING THE SALARY OF THE CITY CLERK; REPEALER; SAVINGS; CODIFICATION; SEVERABILITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEROKEE, OKLAHOMA:

Section I: Chapter 2, Article 1, Section 2-113, Subsection A.1 of the Cherokee Municipal Code 2020 is hereby amended and shall read as follows:

SECTION 2-113

COMPENSATION

A. Effective on and after July 1, 2021, the salary of the hereinafter designated officers and employees of the City of Cherokee are fixed in the amount as hereinafter set forth:

1. City Clerk: The annual sum of \$45,945.00 plus employee benefit package; provided however, effective on November 10, 2021, the salary shall be increased to the annual sum of \$50,915.00 plus employee benefit package.

Section II. REPEALER. All ordinances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section III. SAVINGS CLAUSE. Nothing in this ordinance hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding now pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred nor any cause or causes of action accrued or existing, under any act or ordinance repealed hereby. Nor shall any right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by this ordinance.

Section IV. CODIFICATION. This ordinance shall be codified as herein provided.

Section V. SEVERABILITY. If any one or more of the sections, sentences, clauses or parts of this ordinance, chapter or section shall for any reason be held invalid, the invalidity of such section, clause or part shall not affect or prejudice in any way the applicability and validity of any other provision of this ordinance. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council of the City of Cherokee that this section of the Cherokee Municipal Code would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid sentence, clause, section, or part thereof not been included herein.

Section VI EMERGENCY. WHEREAS, it being immediately necessary for the preservation of the peace, health, safety and public good of the City and the inhabitants thereof

that the provisions of this Ordinance be put into full force and effect in order to immediately amend the City Clerk's salary; By reason whereof, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect after its passage, as provided by law.

Approved and executed this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2021.

THE CITY OF CHEROKEE, OKLAHOMA

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Kolby Arnold, Mayor

(Seal)            ATTEST:

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Amber K. Wilhite, City Clerk

Approved as to Content:

Approved as to Form and Legality:

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Michael Jones, City Manager

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Bryce S. Kennedy, City Attorney