Minutes of the 20th Meeting of The Town Council of Fountain Lake, Arkansas November 10th, 2003

MEMBERS PRESENT

Rick Qualls

Kurt Belote

Donna Belote

Phillip Martin

Jerry Wright

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT John Edwards (active military duty) Tracy Taylor

Mayor Rick Qualls called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Invocation was given and roll was called. A quorum was found to be in attendance. The minutes from the October 2003 meeting were not available.

OLD BUSINESS

Hot Springs Chief of Police Gary Ashcraft spoke to the council. Mr. Ashcraft talked about many of the programs that the city of Hot Springs has to offer citizens. Among the programs were neighborhood watch, youth programs, and school resource officers.

Road Report: Jerry said that the roads were paved (chip and seal). He said that there was more work done than expected and the work came in way under budget. Some of the extra money may be spent on lighting and signs for the town. At this point, all roads should be ready for winter.

Kurt Belote gave a financial report for the month of October. It was approved as read.

NEW BUSINESS

The proposed budget for 2004 was presented. The budget will be reviewed by the council. The Finance committee will meet to discuss any additions or subtractions.

The topic of road lighting was brought up. The cost per month for lights is approximately \$11.00/month. More discussion on the subject will take place at a later date.

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 7:55 p.m. Motion passed and the meeting was adjourned.

Kurt Belote, Clerk / Recorder / Treasurer

Rick Qualls, Mayor