

Vetoed

ORDINANCE 2025-03

ORDINANCE TO DIRECT THE MAYOR TO TURN OVER CONTROL OF THE CITY OF HORSESHOE BEND FACEBOOK PAGE TO THE RECORDER TREASURER WITH PASSWORD AND ADMINSTRATIVE DESIGNATION

WHEREAS 14-44-108 states the Mayor shall perform all duties required by ordinance of the city, and

WHEREAS 14-43-502 (b) (1) The council shall have the management and control of finances, and of all the real and personal property belonging to the corporation, and

WHEREAS The Recorder Treasurer has been designated by the city council to be in charge of the city's advertising, social media and public notices, and

WHEREAS The mayor has refused to turn over the administrative control of the City of Horseshoe Bend Facebook page that was created prior to him being elected, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the city of Horseshoe Bend Arkansas that:

SECTION 1: The Mayor shall turn over control of the City of Horseshoe Bend Facebook page with password and administrative control to the Recorder Treasurer .

Passed and approved this ____ day of _____ 2025

APPROVED:

Mayor Duane DeLair

ATTEST:

Bill Vander Pas
Recorder Treasurer



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We do not need a law to correct the Facebook page, the city can create a new Facebook page. This is simpler than changing the live feed set up. The live feed is wired through my office and is an administrative function of the mayor's office.

Statements that you can set this up to simply push a button are completely incorrect and untrue. As a rule, we average between 3000 and 5000 people watching our meetings. This is a public service, I as the mayor intend to provide for the citizens. For these reasons I have vetoed this ordinance. Please put in writing that we are unable to create a new city at HSB Facebook account with Mr. Vander Pas as the administrator with less work. However, I can get a computer person to create a new page with Mr. Vander Pas and Victoria Bigness administrators in about 10 minutes. We are going to end the vendettas in this city.



Duane C. DeLair

Mayor of Horseshoe Bend, AR