

CITY OF CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-9-20-1

A RESOLUTION SETTING THE RIDE ALONG POLICY FOR CIVILIANS RIDING IN LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLES FOR THE CITY OF CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS.

Whereas, after intense scrutiny, careful consideration, and due diligence, it is the opinion of the City Council of Cedarville, Arkansas, that the risks associated with civilians riding along with Cedarville police officers while on duty are not worth the benefits to the City;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1:** No unauthorized person shall be allowed to be present in a Cedarville Police Department vehicle for any purpose.

**SECTION 2:** Authorized persons shall include active and on duty Cedarville police officers; other law enforcement officers while on duty; elected Cedarville officials while conducting official business; and civilians confined and secured in the vehicle for official purposes such as prisoner transport or officer safety.

**SECTION 3:** The police chief shall ensure that this policy is included in a policy manual or handbook provided to all city officers.

**SECTION 3:** Violation of this policy by a Cedarville Police Officer shall be grounds for immediate dismissal.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 20<sup>th</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2016.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

  
MAYOR

  
RECORDER/TREASURER