MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 9, 2026 BANCROFT MEETING

The regular scheduled meeting for the City of Bancroft, KY was called to order by Mayor Ed Evers at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, September 9, 2026 at St. Albert the Great School, Louisville, Kentucky. Those present: Mayor Ed Evers, Commissioners Erick Berryhill and Brad Baker, Chief David Mudd, Clerk Shannon Tuthill, attorney Richard Schiller and visitors, Rudy Vaca, Catherine Timmerman and resident Evan Storke. Absent: Commissioner Pam Magers.

REVIEW MEETING MINUTES:

Mayor Evers proceeded to review the August meeting minutes. One small change made by Chief Mudd. Motion made by Commissioner Baker to accept August meeting minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Berryhill. All in favor and the minutes were approved.

REPORTS:

Clerk

Clerk Tuthill gave the following report.

Met with Mayor Evers to sign checks mid-month and month end.

Created and distributed September newsletter with Mailchimp.

Contacted Mayor Evers and Commissioner Baker about moving funds from investment account to general account to cover month end expenses. $20,000 was transferred to our general fund and this will cover expenses until we begin receiving tax payments.

Two tax exemption certificates were requested and sent to Mint Mobile and Radio Communications Systems.

Transferred money from the asset forfeiture account to general fund to cover chief's conference and hotel stay.

Complied with one open records request for employee salary information.

I met with Kim Hoffman at Charlie Veeneman's office and provided all bank statements and financial reports to her so she could prepare monthly financial statements. She is still in possession of the treasurer laptop which has financial information that at some point should be merged with the QuickBooks on clerk's computer but this has not yet been done.

Some residents and mortgage lenders have contacted me asking for tax bills. I have contacted PVA and they said we would have the bills September 9 but I have yet to receive them. When received I will promptly send to residents.

Nothing further to report.

Mayor's Report

Mayor Evers reported that we need one more volunteer resident to join city commission. Signed lease for Graymoor-Devondale office for police chief.

City Maintenance

Commissioner Leppert is no longer on commission as she has moved out of city.

Communication and Public Outreach

Commissioner Berryhill submitted the following report.

The website has been updated with the newsletter, agenda, minutes, and financials. Additional links have been added to the website for the lease agreement with Graymoor-Devondale and standard operating procedures for the Flock cameras. A submission was made to the newsletter regarding speeding concerns in the city and a request for commission volunteers.

Public Services

Commissioner Magers was not present but left the following report.

Please accept my apologies for the late report. As you are aware, I have been dealing with health issues this past summer and am not yet able to attend meetings in person. However, I have high hopes of attending the October meeting.
Regarding city services, there were no reported issues with Rumpke collections in August, and everything ran smoothly.

Police Department

Chief Mudd left the following report.

There were 11 days of patrol in the city. There were 9 hours of overnight overtime used. There were 13 Radar/Stop Sign details performed for high police visibility. There were 0 calls for service. There were 39 traffic stops made for traffic infractions. B-24 / NB-15. There were 14 traffic citations issued. There was 1 Written Warning issued. There were 25 verbal warnings issued. There was 1 motorist assist. There were 0 arrests. There were 0 warnings given for a parking infraction. There were 7 visits to residents' homes for the "House Watch" program. There were 0 vehicles towed. There was 1 assist to other agencies: LMPD-1. There was 1 Ordinance Complaints - Boat & Camper in yard. I attended the KACP Conference in Lexington, KY. I completed my 2026 mandatory In-Service. I arranged with LMPD to have the radar trailer placed in Bancroft again.

Commissioner Baker asked about Chief visiting homes and possibly visiting every home in city. Police and Mayor could visit homes and discuss

Finance and Administration

Commissioner Baker reported the following. An uneventful month financially except for a large gain on investments. I questioned the $152,284 gain to confirm it is accounted for in the correct time period. I understand these are gains accrued over a period of time, just not in August.

I will advise if anything changes.

OLD BUSINESS

1. **Graymoor-Devondale Office Lease**

Mayor Evers reported that the lease has been signed for the police chief to occupy an office with Graymoor-Devondale city hall. It is month to month and contract expires next September.
Commissioner Berryhill asked about still using storage unit for city files. Any update on how long we

need to keep records. Commissioners agreed we will work on disposing of some of the property and combining the storage.

2. **Commission Members**

We are definitely losing two commission members. Erick Berryhill will leave in January and Gerrie Leppert has moved out of the city. We are looking at one appointment currently, but we will still need at least one more person.

NEW BUSINSS

1. **Flock Cameras**

We are in our third year of Flock cameras. We have eight cameras. A gentleman living nearby but not a Bancroft resident feels that one of the cameras is directed at his home. Chief Mudd tested the camera and it only took a photo of the vehicle and a small patch of grass.

Resident Evan Stork, 7805 Maria, questioned the financing of the cameras. He feels that it is 6 to 7% of the city's total budget at approximately $24,000 a year. He wants to see that they are helpful to the city. While chief's reports are helpful to see what is going on in the city it says nothing regarding Flock. He would like to see more regular reporting of the benefits of the cameras and see data points of how it is used.

Two examples were given regarding the Flock camera system; one with and one without the camera installed.

Commissioner Berryhill raised question what price would one ~~you~~ put on the potential solving of a crime, car theft, or something more egregious.

Resident Storck said he is looking for ~~more~~ communication, transparency and

Mayor Evers then explained that the first two years of Flock cameras were paid for by the ARPA funds.

Commissioner Berryhill made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Baker seconded. All in favor and the meeting was adjourned at 8:18 p.m.

Edwin Evers
Mayor

Shelli Curtis
Clerk