

**Special Called Meeting  
Benton City Council  
September 15, 2023**

A special called meeting of the Benton City Council was held on Friday, September 15, 2023 at 3:30 pm at Benton City Hall. Mayor Rita Dotson called the meeting to order.

Council members present were Butch Holland, Guy Henton, Rita Murray, Ann Riley and Laura Craynon. Absent was Kevin Farley.

Others present was Bethany Cooper, City Clerk/Treasurer.

Mayor Dotson read the second reading of an ordinance setting the property tax rates as follows:

Real property	22.8 cents
Personal property	33.86 cents
Vehicles	24 cents

A motion was made by Holland, seconded by Riley to approve. All agreed. Motion carried.

The prior motion to approve up to \$3,000 to go towards the digital sign to be located at Marshall County Arts Center needs to be amended to \$3,750. A motion was made by Murray, seconded by Henton to approve. All agreed. Motion carried.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting adjourned at 3:36 pm.

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Rita Dotson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Bethany Cooper, City Clerk/Treas.