

CHEROKEE COUNTY

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Constitutional Amendment 43 (ratified 1940)--Legislature authorized to regulate compensation of certain county officials.

Constitutional Amendment 630 98-406 (ratified 1998)--Supernumerary offices abolished, participation in employees' retirement system.

Constitutional Amendment 777, Amendment to Amendment 630--2006-308, (ratified 2006)--Supernumerary offices, including sheriff, abolished, participation in employees' retirement system allowed.

COURT COSTS

Constitutional Amendment 526 (ratified 1990)--Increased for county jail.

COURT, PROBATE

Constitutional Amendment 43 (ratified 1940)--Legislature authorized to regulate compensation of probate judge.

FIRE PROTECTION

Constitutional Amendment 584--96-323 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

RESCUE SQUADS

Constitutional Amendment 584--96-323 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

TAXATION

Constitutional Amendment 78 (ratified 1949)--Property tax levied for school purposes.

Constitutional Amendment 584--96-323 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Constitutional Amendment 584--96-323 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.