Dear Mayor and Council,

It has been the greatest honor of my professional life to serve as the City Manager for the City of Bartlesville. For the past 21 years, I have had the privilege of serving in what I believe is the finest municipal organization in Oklahoma. I am deeply proud of what our employees have accomplished together in service to this community.

After considerable reflection I have decided to pursue other opportunities outside of the City of Bartlesville. Accordingly, please accept this letter as my resignation, effective immediately.

I have complete confidence in the City's leadership team and in the dedicated employees who will continue serving our community with professionalism and integrity. Bartlesville is well positioned for the future because of their commitment and talent.

Thank you for the trust you have placed in me throughout my tenure. Serving the citizens of Bartlesville has been the greatest privilege of my career, and I will always be grateful for the opportunity to have been part of this remarkable organization.

Respectfully,
Mike Bailey, CPA, ICMA-CM
City Manager
City of Bartlesville, OK