

ORDINANCE

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AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE SALARIES OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the City of Farmington, Iowa:

SECTION 1 Councilmen – The salary of each councilman shall be twelve dollars (\$12.00) for each meeting of the Council attended, whether regular or special.

SECTION 2 Mayor – The Mayor shall receive an annual salary of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) to be paid in January of each year, and shall be entitled to reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in such office as are approved by the Council.

SECTION 3 Other Officers – The compensation of all other officers and employees shall be set by Resolution of the Council.

SECTION 4 Repealer – All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5 Severability – If any section, provision or part of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any section, provisions or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 6 When Effective – This Ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law; however, no increase in pay provided for herein shall become effective during the term of office of any existing Councilman or the Mayor, but shall instead become effective when either the incumbents or new individuals commence their official duties during a new term of office.

Passed: August 8, 1977 – Council

Vetoed: August 8, 1977 – Mayor

On August 22, 1977, this Ordinance was passed by the City Council at their Regular Meeting, and thus overrides the Mayoral veto.

Reviewed: 1/20/1978

Reviewed: 3/14/2011

Reviewed: 8/10/2015

*** NOTE – PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE FAILED ON 8/10/2015:**
Council members reviewed the proposed Amendment to Ordinance 5, An Ordinance to Establish the Salaries of Municipal Officers, that had been presented based on the prior work session with the following amendments:

SECTION 1 Councilmen-The salary of each councilman shall be fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for each meeting of the Council attended, whether regular or special.

SECTION 2 Mayor-The Mayor shall receive an annual salary of one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) and shall be entitled to reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in such office as are approved by the Council.

This amendment would become effective January 1, 2016.

Torrance made a motion to approve the first reading of the Amendment to Ordinance 5 with the proposed changes. Collins seconded the motion. Roll Call: Torrance-AYE; Smith-AYE; Hoskin-NAY; Collins-AYE; Cline-NAY. **Motion failed for lack of three-fourths vote 3-2.**