

ORDINANCE NO. 2002-08-13-001

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KEMPNER, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING AND ESTABLISHING A MONTHLY SALARY FOR THE MAYOR; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; FINDING AND DETERMINING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Whereas, the office of Mayor for the City of Kempner, Texas (the "City") consumes a good deal of personal time for the individual holding such position; and

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter 22 of the Texas Local Government Code, the Mayor serves as the chief executive officer of the city; and

Whereas, is reasonable and necessary both to attract and retain qualified individuals to run for the office of mayor and perform the responsibilities of said office to provide for a nominal monthly salary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KEMPNER, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. Findings. The foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted by the City Council and made a part hereof for all purposes as findings of fact.

Section 2. Salary. There is hereby established a monthly salary for the office of mayor in the amount of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) per month. In addition the mayor shall be also entitled to reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of official duties.

Section 3. Effective Date. of Compensation. The compensation hereby established shall become effective October 1, 2002 provided it is funded in the annual city budget.


Section 4. Effective Date of Ordinance. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, as required by law and shall become effective after publication as provided by law.

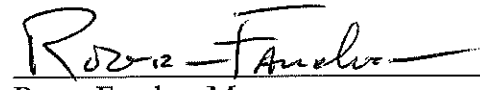
Section 5. Open Meetings. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, *Chapt. 511, Tex. Gov't. Code.*

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 13th day of August, 2002.

Attest:

CITY OF KEMPNER, TEXAS


Frances Spinney, City Secretary


Roger Fancher, Mayor

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