

ORDINANCE NO.: 102-2015
INTRODUCED BY: O'Toole

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY'S PAY ORDINANCE NO. 79-2013 TO REMOVE COMPENSATION FOR ALL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MEMBERS OF THE CITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Mayor has recommended and the current Civil Service Commission members have agreed that all Civil Service Commission members be removed from the City's Pay Ordinance so as not to receive compensation for their duties, and it is necessary to amend Ordinance No. 79-2013, adopted by this Council on April 22, 2014, to do so;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Ordained by the Council of the City of Richmond Heights, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: Section 6 of Ordinance No. 79-2013, the Pay Ordinance of the City, is amended to remove compensation for all Civil Service Commission members, as follows, and the remainder of Section 6 shall remain unchanged:

Section 6. BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.

Planning Commission

ASEx 1 – Chair	\$75.00 per day
ASEx 4 - Members	\$65.00 per day
PHNEx 1 - Clerk Secretary	\$65.00 per day

Civil Service Commission

ASEx 1 – Chair	\$75.00 per day
ASEx 2 - Members	\$55.00 per day

Zoning Board of Appeals

ASEx 1 - Chair	\$75.00 per day
ASEx 4 - Members	\$65.00 per day
PHNEx 1 - Clerk Secretary	\$65.00 per day

Recreation Board

ASEx 1 - Chair	(See Director of Recreation at Section 10.)
ASEx 4 - Members	\$65.00 per day

Architectural Board of Review

ASEx 1 - Chair	\$90.00 per day
ASEx 2- Members	\$90.00 per day

Each board and commission member, including the Chair, must sign a certification form provided by the Director of Finance that he/she was present at a meeting of the board or commission of which he/she is a member/Chair as authorization to be paid for that meeting. A quorum must be present at the meeting for those members/Chair in attendance to receive compensation for that meeting. Compensation for attendance at a meeting that is not a regular meeting of the board or commission shall only be paid if authorized in writing by the Mayor in advance of the meeting and the certification form is counter-signed by the Mayor. All compensation will be paid monthly.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 3. This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City in that it is required to cease compensation for all Civil Service Commission members as of January 1, 2016 and further for the purpose of continued efficient and effective operation of the municipal government and the continuation of necessary City services. Wherefore, this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage by Council and signature of the Mayor.

PASSED: _____

David H. Roche, Mayor

APPROVED: _____

ATTEST: _____

Betsy Traben
Clerk of Council

Eloise Cotton-Henry
President of Council