

SPONSOR Elliott / Anderson

ORDINANCE NO. 12-19

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL AND AMEND ORD. 45-12 TO ESTABLISH A BASE HOURLY RATE FOR THE POSITIONS OF CHIEF AND ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the base rate established by Ord. 45-12 set the base rate of the Chief of the Police Department at \$23.34 and the base rate for the Assistant Chief at \$22.07; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the base rate of pay for the Chief of Police is insufficient having last been increased in 2013 to \$23.34 and should be increased as set forth below; and

WHEREAS, a change in the current base rate of \$22.07 for the Assistant Chief is not required there is no one serving as Assistant Chief of Police at this time; and

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes an emergency as a properly compensated Chief of Police is necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the City.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO THAT ORD. 45-12 IS HEREBY REPEALED AND AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The legislative authority of the City of Jackson, Ohio hereby establishes the base hourly rate of pay for the positions of Chief of Police and Assistant Chief of Police as set forth below:

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>BASE HOURLY RATE</u>
Chief of Police	\$25.67
Asst. Chief of Police	\$22.07

The wage rates set forth above shall be effective upon the effective date of this Ordinance. In addition to the base rate of pay, the Chief of Police and the Assistant Chief of Police shall also receive longevity pay in an amount equal to that paid to officers in the Jackson Police Department with 15 or more years of service.

Section 2. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency Ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City of Jackson, Ohio in that it is necessary to implement the wage increases as soon as possible. Therefore, this Ordinance shall go into effect upon passage and approval by the Mayor, as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

Section 3. In the event this Ordinance receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Ordinance shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause, and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

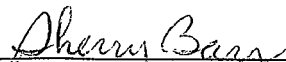
It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that the deliberations of this Council that resulted in such formal actions were in a meeting open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 13th day of May, 2019.



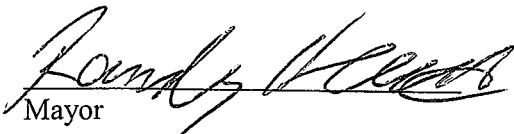
President of Council

ATTEST:



Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 13th day of May, 2019.



Mayor