

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following entitled ordinance was introduced in writing in the form required for adoption at a meeting of the Parish Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, on September 28, 2017, and laid over for publication of notice:

L.P. ORDINANCE 17-39

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 13-48, "PARISH COUNCIL PLANNING COMMISSION", OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF LIVINGSTON PARISH, LOUISIANA, BY ADDING PART (H), TO ALLOW THE MEMBERS OF THE LIVINGSTON PARISH PLANNING COMMISSION TO RECEIVE PER DIEM NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) FOR ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS FOR A MAXIMUM OF TWENTY-FOUR (24) MEETINGS PER YEAR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Parish Council of said Parish will meet on Thursday, October 12, 2017, at six (6:00) o'clock p.m., at the Parish Council Chambers, Governmental Building, 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana, at which time there will be a public hearing on the adoption of the aforesaid ordinance.

Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk

Tracy Girlinghouse, Council Chairman

(As per rules of the Council, copies of the proposed ordinance shall be made available for public inspection in the Office of the Livingston Parish Council.)

The following ordinance, which was previously introduced in written form required for adoption at a regular meeting of the Parish Council on September 28, 2017, a summary thereof having been published in the official journal together with a notice of public hearing which was held in accordance with said public notice, was brought up for final passage as amended October 12, 2014, on Motion of R.C. "Bubba" Harris and seconded by Shane Mack:

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WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council adopted L.P. Ordinance No. 01-16 on September 13, 2001, providing in part for the establishment of the Parish Council Planning Commission, which was included in the Code of Ordinances as Section 13-48; and

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council adopted L.P. Ordinance No. 08-20 on April 10, 2008 amending certain provisions of Section 13-48 of the Code of Ordinances, providing for the inclusion of the number of Commission members and their method of appointment; and

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council adopted L.P. Ordinance No. 14-12 on June 12, 2014, amending Section 13-48, Part C, that provides that members of the Livingston Parish Planning Commission shall serve undefined terms at the pleasure of the parish president;

WHEREAS, the intent of the Livingston Parish Council to amend Section 13-48 by the adoption of L.P. Ordinance No. 08-20, was to establish provisions for the appointment of Parish Council Planning Commission members by majority vote of the Council and those appointments shall consist of nine members, one from each Council District, to be nominated by each of the Parish Council members of the Parish of Livingston, Louisiana and to provide that the Parish Council Planning Commission members shall serve terms coinciding with the term of the sitting Council approving same.

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council adopted L.P. Resolution No. 17-051 on January 26, 2017 to request the Legislators of the state of Louisiana to amend state law and allow the members of the Livingston Parish Planning Commission to be compensated one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each meeting that is attended, adding a cap maximum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) a month, also dictating that meeting attendance is mandatory to receive compensation, and impose an effective date of January 1, 2018 that would begin the benefits of this proposal;

WHEREAS, on February 10, 2017, House Bill No. 12 appeared on the interim calendar of the 2017 Louisiana Regular Legislative Session, was sent through the channels of the Legislative Session, was signed by the Governor of Louisiana and became an Act 20 of the 2017 Legislature on June 3, 2017, thereby being effective as state law on August 1, 2017;

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council now desires to further amend Section 13-48 of the Livingston Parish Code of Ordinances by adding Part (h) to allow members of the Livingston Parish Planning Commission to be compensated a per diem;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana: that Section 13-48, of the Code of Ordinances of the Parish of Livingston, is hereby amended, by added Part (h) giving allowance for compensation to the members of the Livingston Parish Planning Commission with a per diem for attendance for each meeting, not to exceed state law; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana: Section 13-48 of the Code of Ordinances of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 13-48. Parish council planning commission.

- (h) The members of the Livingston Parish Planning Commission shall be compensated a per diem of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each meeting that is attended, not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200.00) a month, or a maximum of twenty-four (24) meetings per year.

The effective date of this ordinance shall be January 1, 2018.

The above and foregoing addition to the Code of the Parish of Livingston, having been properly introduced and published by title, was thereupon submitted to a vote; the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: MR. ARD, MR. WASCOM, MR. GIRLINGHOUSE, MR. KEEN, MR. HARRIS, MR. TALBERT, MR. LOBELL, MR. AVERETT, MR. MACK
NAYS: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
ABSTAIN: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted on the 12th day of October 2017.

Tracy Girlinghouse, Council Chairman

ATTEST:

Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk

INTRODUCED _____ ADOPTED _____

DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT _____ o'clock _____.M.

APPROVED BY PRESIDENT _____
Layton Ricks Date

VETOED BY PRESIDENT _____
Layton Ricks Date

RECEIVED FROM PRESIDENT _____, _____ o'clock _____.M.