

**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 April 28, 2016, and laid over for publication of notice:

L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 16-17

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 12-50, AMENDING AND ESTABLISHING THE SALARY PROVISIONS FOR THE COUNCIL STAFF POSITIONS OF OFFICE ASSISTANT 1 AND COUNCIL CLERK AS SET FORTH MORE FULLY HEREIN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Livingston Parish Council of said Parish will meet on Thursday, May 26, 2016, at six (6:00) o'clock p.m., at the Livingston Parish Council Chambers, located at the Governmental Building, 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana 70754, at which time there will be a public hearing on the adoption of the aforesaid ordinance.

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Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk

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John Wascom, Council Chair

(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 Livingston Parish Council on April 28, 2016, 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 Thursday, May 26, 2016, on Motion of Garry "Frog" Talbert and seconded by Tracy Girlinghouse.

L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 16-17

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 12-50, AMENDING AND ESTABLISHING THE SALARY PROVISIONS FOR THE LIVINGSTON PARISH COUNCIL STAFF POSITIONS OF OFFICE ASSISTANT 1 AND COUNCIL CLERK AS SET FORTH MORE FULLY HEREIN.

WHEREAS, Section 2-10 (A) of the Home Rule Charter of Livingston Parish shall, by vote of its authorized membership, appoint a clerk of the Council who shall serve at the pleasure of the Council. The clerk shall give notice of Council meetings to its members and the public, keep the journal of its proceedings, be official secretary of the Council and perform such other duties as are assigned to the position by the Charter or by the Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-10 (B) of the Home Rule Charter of Livingston Parish establishes the Council may, by ordinance approved by two-thirds of its authorized membership, authorize the hiring of such other employees as may be necessary to assist the Council in carrying out its duties and responsibilities. Such employees shall serve at the pleasure of the Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-10 (C) of the Home Rule Charter of Livingston Parish mandates the Council shall, by ordinance approved by two-thirds of its authorized membership, fix the salaries of its employees.

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council now desires to increase the Office Assistant 1 employment wages and earnings by adding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) to be included with that position's bi-weekly wage rate and income; and

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council also desires to elevate and set the salary of the Council Clerk at sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) annually.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the Livingston Parish Council fixes the positions of Office Assistant 1 and Council Clerk to make provisions to increase the wages of these employees, directly supervised by the Livingston Parish Council,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the wages and compensation of the Livingston Parish Council Office Assistant 1 be increased biweekly on each payroll check by one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and the salary of the Council clerk shall be set at sixty thousand (\$60,000.00) to be effective from the date of June 2, 2016.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Livingston Parish Council, governing authority of the Parish of Livingston, that if any provision of this ordinance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items, or applications of this ordinance, which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Livingston Parish Council that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

The effective date of this ordinance shall be June 2, 2016.

Upon being subjected to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: MR. KEEN, MR. TALBERT, MR. GIRLINGHOUSE, MR. WASCOM, MR. ARD, MR. MACK, MR. LOBELL

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: MR. AVERETT

ABSTAIN: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted on the 26th of May, 2016.

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John Wascom, Council Chair

ATTEST:

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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.