

ORDINANCE NO. 1250

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE 2 OF THE FORT MORGAN MUNICIPAL CODE, CLARIFYING THE COMPENSATION OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado (the "City"), is a Colorado home rule municipality, duly organized and existing pursuant to Section 6 of Article XX of the Colorado Constitution, and

WHEREAS, the City Council (the "Council") has authority pursuant to the Home Rule Charter and C.R.S. §31-16-101, et seq. to adopt and enforce all ordinances; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, the Council previously adopted and amended certain regulations concerning the Mayor and City Council, codified in Chapter 2, Article 2 of Fort Morgan Municipal Code (the "Code"); and

WHEREAS, Council now desires to amend Sections 2-2-10 and 2-2-20 of the Code, to clarify existing compensation benefits currently afforded to the Mayor and City Councilmembers, relating to health insurance; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Morgan City Council finds it in the best interest of the general health, safety and welfare of its citizens to amend Sections 2-2-10 and 2-2-20 of the Code, clarifying the current compensation of Mayor and City Councilmembers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT MORGAN, COLORADO, as follows:

SECTION 1. Findings. The above and foregoing findings are hereby incorporated by this reference as specific findings and determinations of the Council.

SECTION 2. Section 2-2-10, concerning Compensation of Council Members, is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 2-2-10. – Compensation of Council Members.

Each Council Member of the City shall receive one hundred (\$100.00) per month, payable each month in a like manner as the City employees are paid. **Each Council Member may elect, by notice in writing to the City Manager, to receive the health benefits that City employees receive incident to their employment.**

SECTION 3. Section 2-2-20, concerning Compensation of Mayor, is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 2-2-20. – Compensation of Mayor.

The Mayor of the City shall receive two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per month in a like manner as the City employees are paid. **The Mayor may elect, by notice in writing to the City Manager, to receive the health benefits that City employees receive incident to their employment.**


SECTION 4. If any section, provision, paragraph, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is held, or decided to be unconstitutional, invalid or enforceable for any reason, such decision shall not affect the constitutionality, validity or enforceability of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this Ordinance or any portion hereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

**INTRODUCED, READ, ADOPTED ON FIRST READING AND ORDERED
PUBLISHED** on the 20th day of April, 2021.



THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT
MORGAN, COLORADO


By: Ronald Shaver
Mayor


Attest:


John Brennan
City Clerk

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON FINAL READING AND ORDERED
PUBLISHED** this 4th day of May, 2021.



THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FORT MORGAN, COLORADO


By: Ronald Shaver
Mayor

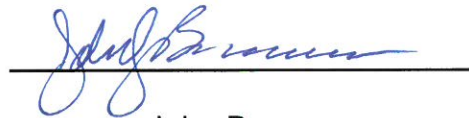
Attest:



John Brennan
City Clerk

STATE OF COLORADO)
COUNTY OF MORGAN)ss. **CERTIFICATE**
CITY OF FORT MORGAN)

I, John Brennan, the duly appointed, qualified Clerk of the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, do hereby certify that the foregoing **Ordinance No. 1250** was, as a proposed Ordinance, duly and legally presented to the City Council of the City of Fort Morgan, Colorado, on the 20th day of April, 2021. Said ordinance, as proposed, was duly read at length at said meeting, and thereafter the same was, on the 23rd day of April, 2021, published in *The Fort Morgan Times*, a daily newspaper of general circulation published and printed in the City of Fort Morgan, Morgan County, Colorado. Said proposed ordinance was again taken up and read a second time, duly and legally, passed, approved and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 4th day of May, 2021. Within five (5) days after its final passage, said **Ordinance No. 1250** was published in *The Fort Morgan Times*, a daily newspaper of general circulation published and printed in the City of Fort Morgan, Morgan County, Colorado.



John Brennan
City Clerk