

ORDINANCE NO. __

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE ADDING SECTION 2.04.050 TO CHAPTER 2.04 (CITY COUNCIL) OF TITLE 2 (ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL) OF THE GARDEN GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE ADJUSTING AND CODIFYING THE COMPENSATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

City Attorney Summary

This Ordinance adds Section 2.04.050 to the Garden Grove Municipal Code adjusting and codifying the compensation of the City Council. Council compensation is set by ordinance. Prior ordinances establishing Council compensation were uncodified ordinances. This ordinance codifies the City Council compensation setting the compensation at \$1312.34 per month pursuant to Government Code section 36516(a)(4). The adjustment in compensation will become effective after the terms of office commence for the council members elected at the November 2022 general municipal elections.

WHEREAS, Government Code section 36516 authorizes the City Council to establish the compensation of the members of the City Council by ordinance;

WHEREAS, subdivision (a)(4) of Government section 36516 provides that the salary of council members may be increased in an amount equal to 5 percent for each calendar year from the operative date of the last adjustment of the salary in effect when the ordinance is enacted;

WHEREAS, the last adjustment to Council compensation was established in 1988 pursuant to Ordinance No. 2067.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Section 2.04.050 of Chapter 2.04 of Title 2 of the Garden Grove Municipal Code is hereby added to read as follows:

2.04.050 City Council Salaries.

Pursuant to Government Code sections 36516 and 36516.5, beginning with the first day of the month following the date when the term of office commences for a member of the City Council elected at the November 8, 2022 general municipal elections, the compensation of City Council Members, including the Mayor, shall be one thousand three hundred twelve dollars and thirty-four cents (\$1312.34) per month.

SECTION 2: Repeal of prior inconsistent ordinance. Ordinance No. 2067 is repealed.

SECTION 3: If any section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, word, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, word, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, sentences, clauses, phrases, words or portions thereof be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4: The Mayor shall sign and the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Ordinance and shall cause the same, or the summary thereof, to be published and posted pursuant to the provisions of law and this Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after adoption.