

SUMMARY: An ordinance modifying the computation of longevity pay for justices of the peace.

BILL NO. 1632

ORDINANCE NO. 1454

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 5 (ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL) MODIFYING THE COMPUTATION OF LONGEVITY PAY FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE RETROACTIVE TO JANUARY 1, 2010; AND OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATED THERETO.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF WASHOE DO ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. Chapter 5 of the Washoe County Code (Administration and Personnel) is hereby amended to read as set forth in section 3 of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. NRS 245.044 provides that certain elected county officials are entitled to "additional salary" based on years of service in office. It is the purpose of this ordinance to clarify that Washoe County Justices of the Peace be paid additional salary in the same manner as other Washoe County elected officials.

SECTION 3.

5.146. Career incentive plan for justices of the peace.

1. A justice of the peace who has served in office for more than 4 years is entitled to an additional salary of 2 percent of his or her base salary for each full calendar year he or she has served in office. For the purposes of this section a full calendar year includes the time from the first Monday in January until December 31st for a justice of the peace who was elected in the preceding regular election.

2. The additional salary provided in this section for an eligible justice of the peace:

(a) Is computed on July 1 of each year by multiplying 2 percent of the base salary for the appropriate fiscal year by the number of full calendar years the justice of the peace has served in his office;

(b) Must not exceed 20 percent of the base salary of the justice of the peace; and

(c) Is calculated and paid in the same manner as it is for every other county Washoe County elected official.

3. If the additional salary provided for in this section is modified, phased out, or terminated for all other county elected officials said modification, phase out, or termination shall apply to Washoe County Justices of the Peace at the same time, in

the same manner, and on the same terms and conditions as it applies to all other Washoe County elected officials.

SECTION 4. If any section of this ordinance or portion thereof is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate the remaining parts of this ordinance.

SECTION 5. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, chapters, sections, subsections, clauses, phrases, or sentences contained in the Washoe County Code in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be published by title only, together with the names of the County Commissioners voting for or against its passage, in a newspaper published in and having a general circulation in Washoe County, Nevada, at least once a week for a period of two (2) weeks, and shall be in force and effect as provided for herein.

SECTION 7. This ordinance is effective retroactively to January 1, 2010.

[Business Impact Note: The Board of County Commissioners hereby finds that this ordinance does not impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a business, nor does it directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a business.]

Proposed on the 9th day of November, 2010.
Proposed by Commissioner Jung.
Passed on the 14th day of December, 2010.

Vote:

Ayes: Breternitz, Jung, Weber, Humke

Nays: none

Absent: LARKIN

David E. Humke
David E. Humke, Chairman
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:
Imy Harvey
County Clerk

This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after publication and as of the date ordered by the Board of County Commissioners.

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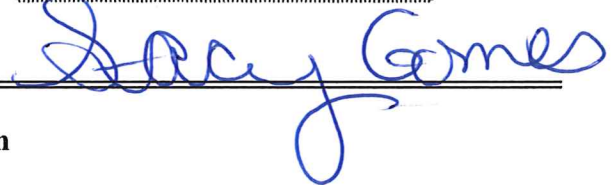
Being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That as the legal clerk of the Reno Gazette-Journal, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in Reno, Washoe County, State of Nevada, that the notice referenced below has published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper between the dates: **12/17/2010 - 12/24/2010**, for exact publication dates please see last line of Proof of Publication below.

Signed: 

DEC 27 2010

Subscribed and sworn to before me





Proof of Publication

NOTICE OF ADOPTION WASHOE COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 1454 BILL NO. 1632 An Ordinance amending Chapter 5 (Administration and Personnel) modifying the computation of longevity pay for justices of the peace retroactive to January 1, 2010; and other matters properly related thereto. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an adequate number of typewritten copies of the above-numbered and entitled Ordinance are available for public inspection and distribution at the office of the County Clerk of Washoe County, at her office in the County Courthouse, 75 Court Street, Reno, Nevada, and that such Ordinance was proposed by Commissioner Jung on November 9, 2010, and was passed and adopted at a regular meeting held on December 14, 2010, by the following vote of the Board of County Commissioners: Those Voting Aye: John Breternitz, David E. Humke, Kitty Jung, Bonnie Weber Those Voting Nay: None Those Absent: Robert M. Larkin Those Abstaining: None This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect retroactive to January 1, 2010. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County, Nevada, has caused this Ordinance to be published by title only. No. 735658 Dec 17, 24, 2010