

ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA

ORDINANCE NO. 3234

AN ORDINANCE INCREASING THE SALARIES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA AND OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HELENA

WHEREAS, the Helena City Charter provides for increasing the salaries paid to City Commissioners and the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, the Helena City Commissioners and the Mayor last received a salary increase in January of 2012; and

WHEREAS, the City Commissioners and the Mayor personally incur additional un-reimbursed personal expenses in order to carry out their duties; and

WHEREAS, the City Commissioners and the Mayor are entitled to appropriate remuneration for the time, effort, and expense of their public service to the City of Helena; and

WHEREAS, the Helena City Charter, Section 2.01(7), provides that an ordinance increasing the salary of the commission or mayor shall not become effective until the commencement of terms of commission members elected at the next regular election, provided that adoption of such ordinance precedes that regular election by six (6) months.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA:

Section 1. Effective January 1, 2020, the salary for each City Commissioner is Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00) per year, plus an expense allowance of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per month.

Section 2. Effective January 1, 2020, the salary of the Mayor is Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000) per year, plus an expense allowance of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per month.

FIRST PASSED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA, THIS 4TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2017.

/S/ JAMES E. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/S/ DEBBIE HAVENS
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION

FINALLY PASSED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA, THIS 18TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2017.

/S/ JAMES E. SMITH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/S/ DEBBIE HAVENS
CLERK OF THE COMMISSION