## THE CITY OF ASSUMPTION

CHRISTIAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NUMBER <u>824</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 1, CHAPTER 7 ARTICLE 9 OF THE CITY CODE TO INCREASE THE ELECTED ALDERMEN'S SALARIES EFFECTIVE FOR ALDERMEN ELECTED FOR THE 2025 TERM AND FOR THE 2027 TERM AND THEREAFTER

DEREK PAGE, Mayor JANET WALLER, City Clerk

GARY NELSEN
KIM PORTER
SELENA REED
KANDY SMITH
TRAVIS SULLIVAN
DONNY WALDEN
City Aldermen

## ORDINANCE NO. 824

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 1, CHAPTER 7 ARTICLE 9 OF THE CITY CODE TO INCREASE THE ELECTED ALDERMEN'S SALARIES EFFECTIVE FOR ALDERMEN ELECTED FOR THE 2025 TERM AND FOR THE 2027 TERM AND THEREAFTER

WHEREAS, the City of Assumption, Christian County, State of Illinois, ("City") is a duly organized and existing City created and operating under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code and laws of the State of Illinois; and,

WHEREAS, the City Code Section 1-7-9 currently provides the salaries of elected officials for the City; and,

WHEREAS, 65 ILCS 5/3.1-50-10 authorized the corporate authorities to fix the compensation of elected officials, provided that neither be increased nor diminished during that term and shall be fixed at least 180 days before the beginning of the terms of the officers whose compensation is to be fixed; and,

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities find it in the best interest of the City to amend its Code to set the compensation for City Aldermen for the terms beginning in 2025, and an additional change for the City Aldermen for the terms beginning in 2027 and subsequent terms as provided for herein.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Assumption City Council, Christian County, Illinois, as follows:

**Section 1.** Recitals. The above recitals are incorporated herein by this reference.

**Section 2.** <u>Amending the City Code.</u> Title 1 Chapter 7 Article 2 is hereby amended as follows (added; deleted):

1-7-9: Salaries:

## C. Certain Officers:

1. Mayor: The mayor shall receive a monthly salary of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) plus thirty dollars (\$30.00) per special meeting and thirty dollars (\$30.00) per committee meeting.

2. Aldermen: Each alderman shall receive the sum of one hundred twenty five fifty dollars (\$125.00 150.00) per month as his or her salary for terms beginning in 2025, and one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00) per month for terms beginning in 2027, plus thirty dollars (\$30.00) per each special meeting and twenty five dollars (\$25.00) per committee meeting.

3. Clerk: The city clerk shall receive a monthly salary of one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,350.00), plus thirty dollars (\$30.00) per each special meeting and twenty five dollars (\$25.00) per committee meeting.

4. Treasurer: The city treasurer shall receive a monthly salary of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00), plus thirty dollars (\$30.00) per each special meeting and twenty five dollars (\$25.00) per committee meeting.

5. Attorney: The city attorney shall receive a monthly salary of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), plus other applicable fees for his or her services.

6. Part Time Employees: Any part time employee(s) requested to attend a meeting will be paid twenty five dollars (\$25.00) except when they are on the clock drawing their hourly rate.

7. Limitation: City officials may only receive compensation for one meeting per day. (Ord. 665, 10-3-2012; amd. Ord. 680, 9-3-2014; Ord. 700, 12-7-2016; Ord. 701, 12-7-2016; Ord. 702, 12-7-2016; Ord. 757, 6-8-2020)

**Section 3**. <u>Severability</u>. In the event a court of competent jurisdiction finds this ordinance or any provision hereof to be invalid or unenforceable as applied, such finding shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance and the application thereof to the greatest extent permitted by law.

**Section 4.** Repeal and Savings Clause. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed; provided, however, that nothing herein shall affect any rights or causes of action which shall have accrued to the City prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

**Section 5.** <u>Effectiveness.</u> This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law; provided, however, that

the salary amount for the City Aldermen set forth herein shall not be effective until the beginning of the Alderman terms following election in 2025.

SO ORDAINED this 4 day of September, 2024 at the City of Assumption, Christian County, Illinois.

	YES	NO	ABSENT	PRESENT
NELSEN	V			
PORTER	V			
REED	V			
SMITH	V			
SULLIVAN			1	
WALDEN	V		,	
PAGE				
TOTAL	5	Ø	1	d

CITY OF ASSUMPTION

DEREK PAGE, Mayor

Attest:

JANET WALLER, City Clerk