

ORDINANCE 2021-002

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAUDERDALE LAKES, FLORIDA, AMENDING ARTICLE II, DIVISION 1, SECTION 2-31(a) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF LAUDERDALE LAKES, PROVIDING FOR HOLDING THE MONTHLY SALARY INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OF A MAYOR AND COMMISSIONER STANDING FOR RELECTION OR HAVING MADE A DETERMINATION NOT TO RUN FOR RE-ELECTION, TO BE HELD IN THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, IN LIEU OF MARCH FOR THE ELECTION YEAR; PROVIDING FOR ADOPTION OF RECITALS; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 2-31 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida ("Lauderdale Lakes Code") provides for the salary and expense account payments of the mayor and commissioners of the City of Lauderdale Lakes ("City");

WHEREAS, the Lauderdale Lakes Codes, in reference to the payment of the annual compensation for the Mayor and each Commissioner, states:

The sum shall be paid in equal monthly installments on the last day of the first pay period of each month of the term during which each shall hold office; provided that, with regard to a mayor or commissioner who may be standing for reelection, or who shall determine not to run for reelection, *the salary payment to be made in the month of March for the election year shall be held until after the applicable election* [Emphasis added].

Section 2-31(a), Lauderdale Lakes Code; and

WHEREAS, in light of the fact the elections for the Mayor and each Commissioner now occur in the month of November, City Staff recommends that Section 2-31(a) be amended to remove the March date referenced therein and replace such date with November for withholding payment of the monthly salary installment until after the applicable election.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF  
2 LAUDERDALE LAKES as follows:

3 SECTION 1. RECITALS: The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated  
4 herein by this reference.

5 SECTION 2. AUTHORITY: This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the Chapter 1, Section  
6 1-7 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida, and other applicable provisions  
7 of law.

8 SECTION 3. AMENDMENT: Section 2-31(a) of the Code of Ordinances, City of  
9 Lauderdale Lakes, Florida, is hereby amended as follows:

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11 Sec. 2-31. - Salary and expense accounts of mayor and commissioners.

12 (a) *Annual compensation.* The mayor and respective members of the city commission  
13 shall each be paid the following annual compensation:

14 (1) Mayor .....\$11,000.00

15 (2) Each commissioner .....\$9,000.00

16 The sum shall be paid in equal monthly installments on the last day of the first pay period  
17 of each month of the term during which each shall hold office; provided that, with regard  
18 to a mayor or commissioner who may be standing for reelection, or who shall determine  
19 not to run for reelection, the salary payment to be made in the month of ~~March~~  
20 November for the election year shall be held until after the applicable election, and,  
21 should the incumbent not be reelected, the payment for that month shall be prorated for  
22 the month on a daily basis for the time the incumbent holds office and until the successor  
23 is sworn into office. The monthly payment for the mayor or commissioner who is elected  
24 shall likewise be prorated.

SECTION 4. CONFLICT: All ordinances or Code provisions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY: If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES: It is the intention of the City Commission of the City of Lauderdale Lakes that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances in the City of Lauderdale Lakes and that the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered or relettered and the word "Ordinance" may be changed to "Chapter," "Section," "Article" or such other appropriate word or phrase, the use of which shall accomplish the intentions herein expressed; provided, however, that Section 1 hereof or the provisions contemplated thereby shall not be codified.

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SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage on second reading.

PASSED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERDALE LAKES ON FIRST READING AT ITS REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING ON THE 8<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2021.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERDALE LAKES ON SECOND READING AT ITS REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING ON THE 23<sup>RD</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2021.

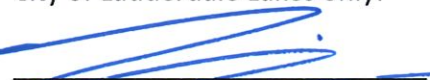
  
HAZELLE ROGERS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
VENICE HOWARD, CMC, CITY CLERK



Approved as to form and legality  
for the use of and reliance by the  
City of Lauderdale Lakes only:

  
Sidney C. Calloway, City Attorney

Sponsored by: Phil Alleyne, City Manager

**VOTE:**

**APPROVED**

Mayor Hazelle Rogers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (For)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Other)
Vice-Mayor Beverly Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (For)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Other)
Commissioner Marilyn Davis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (For)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Other)
Commissioner Veronica Edwards Phillips	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (For)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Other)
Commissioner Karlene Maxwell-Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (For)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Against)	<input type="checkbox"/> (Other)