

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 (“ADMINISTRATION”), ARTICLE 1 (“OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES GENERALLY”), SECTION 2-1-6 (“COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICERS”) OF THE OAK PARK VILLAGE CODE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3.1-50-5 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/3.1-50-5, all municipal officers shall receive the salary or other compensation that is fixed by ordinance and salaries or other compensation shall not be increased or diminished so as to take effect during the term of any officer holding elected office; and

WHEREAS, such ordinance must be adopted at least 180 days before the beginning of the terms of the officers whose compensation is to be fixed; and

WHEREAS, the salary of the Village Clerk who shall take office pursuant to the consolidated election to be held on April 6, 2021 shall be as set forth in this Ordinance and shall be applicable to the Village Clerk elected thereafter unless otherwise amended.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Oak Park, Cook County, Illinois, in the exercise of their home rule powers, as follows:

Section 1. Recitals Incorporated. The above recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth.

Section 2. Village Code Amended. Chapter 2 (“Administration”), Article 1 (“Officers and Employees Generally”), Section 2-1-6 (“Compensation of Elected Officers”) of the Oak Park Village Code is hereby amended by adding the underlined language and deleting the overstricken language to read as follows:

2-1-6: COMPENSATION OF ELECTED OFFICERS:

A. Effective for the terms of office commencing after the election of April 1999, and prior to the election of April 2003, the compensation of elected officials shall be established as follows:

1. The compensation of the Village President shall be nine hundred dollars (\$900.00) per month or ten thousand eight hundred dollars (\$10,800.00) per annum. The Village President shall not receive any insurance benefits through the Village.

2. The compensation of Village Trustees shall be six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per month or seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$7,200.00) per annum. The Village Trustees shall not receive any insurance benefits through the Village.

B. Effective for the terms of office commencing after the election of April 2003, the compensation of elected officials shall be established as follows:

1. The compensation of the Village President shall be nine hundred dollars (\$900.00) per month or ten thousand eight hundred dollars (\$10,800.00) per annum. The Village President shall also qualify for the same health insurance benefits as regular full time, nonunion employees of the Village as approved in the annual budget, except that the total premium for any health insurance option offered by the Village and accepted by the Village President shall be paid by the Village President.

2. The compensation of Village Trustees shall be six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per month or seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$7,200.00) per annum. The Village Trustees shall also qualify for the same health insurance benefits as regular full time, nonunion employees of the Village as approved in the annual budget, except that the total premium for any health insurance option offered by the Village and accepted by the Village Trustee shall be paid by the Village Trustee.

C. Effective for the terms of office commencing after the election of April 2017, the compensation of elected officials shall be established as follows:

1. The compensation of the Village President shall be two thousand and one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per month or twenty-five thousand and two hundred dollars (\$25,200) per annum. The Village President shall also qualify for the same health insurance benefits as regular full time, nonunion employees of the Village as approved in the annual budget, except that the total premium for any health insurance option offered by the Village and accepted by the Village President shall be paid by the Village President.

2. The compensation of Village Trustees shall be one thousand and two hundred fifty dollars (\$1,250) per month or fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) per annum. The Village Trustees shall also qualify for the same health insurance benefits as regular full time, nonunion employees of the Village as approved in the annual budget, except that the total premium for any health insurance option offered by the Village and accepted by the Village Trustee shall be paid by the Village Trustee.

D. The compensation of the Village Clerk shall be as follows:

1. Effective for the term of office commencing in April 2005, and running through March 31, 2006, the Village Clerk shall be paid on the same biweekly pay schedule as regular full time employees of the Village at a rate of pay equal to seventy thousand one hundred twenty three dollars (\$70,123.00) per annum.

2. The annual rate of pay for the Village Clerk shall be increased by three percent (3%) on April 1, 2006, April 1, 2007, and April 1, 2008.

~~3. The Village Clerk shall qualify for the same benefits and be subject to the same general work hour requirements as regular full time employees of the Village.~~
Effective for the term of office commencing after the election of 2021, the compensation of the Village Clerk shall be _____ dollars (\$ _____) per annum. The Village Clerk shall also qualify for the same health insurance benefits as regular full time, nonunion employees of the Village as approved in the annual budget, except that the total premium for any health insurance option offered by the Village and accepted by the Village Clerk shall be paid by the Village Clerk.

Section 3. Severability and Repeal of Inconsistent Ordinances. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its approval, passage and publication as provided by law.

ADOPTED this 14th day of September, 2020, pursuant to a roll call vote at follows:

Voting	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
President Abu-Taleb				
Trustee Andrews				
Trustee Boutet				
Trustee Buchanan				
Trustee Moroney				
Trustee Taglia				
Trustee Walker-Peddakotla				

APPROVED this 14th day of September, 2020.

Anan Abu-Taleb, Village President

ATTEST

Vicki Scaman, Village Clerk

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Vicki Scaman, Village Clerk