

ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI REVISING FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018 BUDGET TO FUND A SALARY ADJUSTMENT OF DEPUTY CITY CLERK I (PT) POSITIONS.

WHEREAS, the needs and demands of the Office of the City Clerk requires that the salaries of the Deputy City Clerk (PT) be adjusted; and

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WHEREAS, the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi deems that the funding of said salary adjustment is necessary to attract and retain qualified part-time staff within the Office of the City Clerk and is in the best interest of its citizenry.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi that \$117,463.93 is taken from Account Number 001-3550, the Fund Balance, and that \$115,783.73 is placed in Account Number 001.402006112 for the part time salaries and that \$1,680.20 is placed in Account Number 001.402006136 for Medicare taxes associated with funding this salary adjustment.

Council Member Stokes moved adoption; **Council Member Banks** seconded.

Yeas- Banks, Foote, Lindsay, Stokes and Tillman.

Nays- Stamps.

Absent- Priester.

ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI GRANTING THE AUTHORITY TO GIVE WATER BILL ADJUSTMENTS TO CUSTOMERS AFFECTED BY THE RECENT DISRUPTION OF SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Jackson shall be considered by this Order; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk of the City of Jackson must address a burden placed on the customers of the City Water Department for which the customers experienced with no fault of their own; and

WHEREAS, the disruption of services to customers should be quantified and a resulting adjustment should be made in the customers' bills.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the City Council of Jackson, Mississippi hereby grants the authority to give water bill adjustments to customers affected by the recent disruption of services.

Council Member Stokes moved adoption; **Council Member Banks** seconded.

President Tillman recognized **Roslyn Griffin**, Deputy City Attorney, who stated that the Attorney General's opinion opined that municipalities could not issue refunds to constituents but could offer adjustments. **Attorney Griffin** recommended that an amendment be made to include the following language in order to justify the refunds: "Due to unforeseen circumstance because of the recent water crisis."

Council Member Stokes moved, seconded by **Council Member Banks** to include "Due to unforeseen circumstances because of the recent water crisis. The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas- Banks, Foote, Lindsay, Stamps, Stokes and Tillman.

Nays- None.

Absent- Priester.