

ORDINANCE NUMBER 536

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND, KANSAS, PROVIDING THAT NO COMPENSATION IS TO BE PAID TO THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THEIR SERVICE AND REPEALING ORDINANCE 332 OF SAID CITY AND ALL OTHER ORDINANCES AND ENACTMENTS OF SAID CITY IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND, KANSAS:

WHEREAS, the City of Highland has the right and authority, by virtue of its home rule powers, to set and establish the compensation to be received by the elected officials of the City, including the mayor and council members; and

WHEREAS, said elected officials provide valuable services to the City; however, the true remuneration and reward of service to said officials is the self-satisfaction of providing benefit to the residents of the City and the general public;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND, KANSAS:

SECTION ONE: COMPENSATION OF MAYOR. The mayor of the City of Highland, Kansas shall receive no compensation for serving in said capacity. Reimbursement for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the mayor, on behalf of the City, shall be subject to appropriate reimbursement.

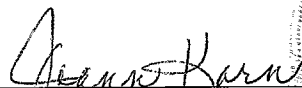
SECTION TWO: COMPENSATION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS. Members of the city council of the City of Highland, Kansas shall receive no compensation for serving in said capacity. Reimbursement for out-of-pocket expenses incurred by any such councilperson, on behalf of the City, shall be subject to appropriate reimbursement.

SECTION THREE: REPEALER. Ordinance Number 332, and all ordinances, parts of ordinances, motions or other enactments in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

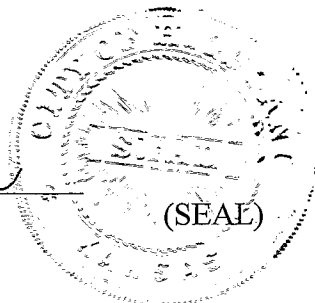
SECTION FOUR: EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon publication, in summary form, in the official city newspaper, and as otherwise authorized by law; provided, however, the effective date shall not prevent the currently-serving mayor and council members from waiving any such compensation from and after January 1, 2017.

Passed by the governing body and approved by the Mayor of the City of Highland, Kansas, this 8th day of March, 2017.

ATTEST:



Joann Karn, City Clerk





Jerry Twombly, Mayor