

**ORDINANCE**

An Ordinance to amend Section 3.010(8) of the Municipal Code to set the salary for Common Council members.

**WHEREAS**, Wis. Stats. §62.09(6)(a) provides that the salaries for members of the Common Council shall be established by Ordinance; and

**WHEREAS**, salaries for members of the Common Council were last adjusted on February 5, 2007 to the current level of \$260.00 per month; and

**WHEREAS**, the Personnel Committee has reviewed the salaries of the Manitowoc Common Council relative to comparable cities, and a meeting held on August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 recommended increasing the aldermanic annual salary from \$260.00 per month to \$450.00 per month.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Mayor and Common Council do ordain as follows:

Section 1. §3.010(8) is amended to read as follows:

"(8) **Aldermanic Salaries.** Effective for Common Council members, other than the Mayor, elected or appointed for a definite period after April 4, 2023, the compensation shall be ~~\$260.00~~ \$450.00 per month. The effective date of the increase to \$450.00 per month is April 18, 2023 for Aldermanic Districts 1, 2, 3, 7 and 10. The effective date for Aldermanic Districts 4, 5, 6, 8 and 9 is April 16, 2024. The Mayor and Common Council shall also receive an electronic device as approved by the Common Council at 100 percent of cost as a stipend at the beginning of each term.

Section 2. Adoption of this Ordinance requires a vote of three-fourths of all the members of the Common Council.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be effective for each alderperson upon term commencement beginning either April 18, 2023 or April 16, 2024.

INTRODUCED \_\_\_\_\_ ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_

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Justin M. Nickels, Mayor

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

This ordinance was drafted by Jessica Lillibridge, Director of Human Resources

**Fiscal Impact:** Increase of \$8,550 for 2023; \$11,400 for 2024 and \$2,850 for 2025  
**Funding Source:** 1100-15100-511100  
**Interim Finance Dir. Approval:** /KL  
**Approved as to form:** /JCL