

North Canton City Council  
Personnel and Safety Committee  
**\*AMENDED\***  
Ordinance No. 6 - 2017

An ordinance establishing the rates of compensation for future elected officials of the City of North Canton, Ohio, effective January 1, 2018.

WHEREAS, historically, North Canton's elected officials' salaries were set at the approximate minimum level to qualify for Ohio Public Employees Retirement System ("OPERS") full service credit;

WHEREAS, the Ohio General Assembly recently made changes to the minimum compensation level necessary to qualify for OPERS full service credit; and

WHEREAS, in March 2014, North Canton elected officials chose to significantly reduce health insurance benefits available to future elected officials, thereby drastically reducing future elected officials compensation levels; and

WHEREAS, North Canton wishes to provide future elected officials with reasonable minimum compensation levels for their service that are commensurate with their peers in similarly situated political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the additional duties and responsibilities commensurate with the position, the North Canton Mayor's salary has been set at two times that of City Council's President; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the additional duties and responsibilities commensurate with the position, North Canton City Council President's salary has been set at \$75.00 per month above that of Council Members; and

WHEREAS, future minimum compensations levels necessary to qualify for OPERS full service credit is uncertain, yet likely to experience periodic increases.

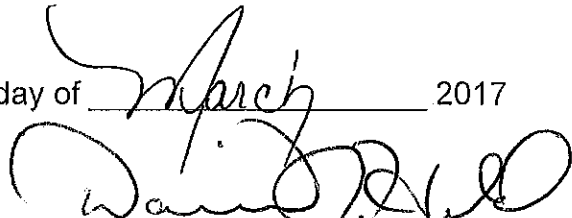
WHEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That there be and are hereby established the following rates of compensation for future elected officials of the City of North Canton:

Mayor	\$ 1,470.00/month \$17,640.00/annually
President of Council	\$ 735.00/month \$ 8,820.00/annually
Council Members	\$ 660.00/month \$ 7,920.00/annually


- Section 2. That the aforementioned rates of compensation set forth in Section 1 above, be, and are hereby effective January 1, 2018.
- Section 3. (Amended to delete Section 3)
- Section 4. That effective January 1, 2018, Ordinance No. 47-13, be, and the same is hereby repealed.
- Section 5. That if a provision of this ordinance is or becomes illegal, invalid or unenforceable, that shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this ordinance.
- Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed in Council this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 2017

  
David Held, Mayor

Signed: 3-14, 2017

ATTEST

  
Mary Beth Bailey, Clerk of Council