

ORDINANCE 05-2026

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING A CERTAIN SECTION OF CHAPTER 30 OF THE HOPKINSVILLE CODE OF ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO THE EMPLOYEE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN

WHEREAS, on January 22, 2026, the Committee of the Whole forwarded proposed changes to section 30.02(A)(1), Classification and Compensation, pertaining to elected city officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE

That Section 30.02(A)(1) of the Hopkinsville Code of Ordinances is hereby amended as follows:

§ 30.02 CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION.

The Classification and Compensation Plan is adopted as set forth herein and in accordance with KRS 83A.070.

(A) *Elected city officers.*

(1) The salaries of the following city officers are fixed at the amounts set opposite each office.

Officers	Salaries
Members of the City Council	[\$913.19 per month for FY 13-14] <u>\$22,000 per annum for calendar year 2027</u>
Mayor	[\$67,898.64 per annum for FY 13-14] <u>\$95,335.76 per annum for FY 25-26</u>

SECTION TWO

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is held unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such infirmities shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

SECTION THREE

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION FOUR

This ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2027 after its passage and publication according to law.

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AMEND SECTION 30.02 CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION

PUBLICLY READ AND PASSED FIRST TIME: _____

PUBLICLY READ AND PASSED SECOND TIME: _____

APPROVED: _____
Mayor James R. Knight Jr.

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk Brittany Byrum, CMC