ORDINANCE NO. 1965-2026

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION OF KAUKAUNA UTILITY COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, Municipal Code § 1.32 establishes the Kaukauna Utility Commission and provides that compensation of commissioners shall be fixed by the Common Council from time to time; and

WHEREAS, compensation for Kaukauna Utility Commissioners was last established by Ord 1877-2022; and

WHEREAS, Kaukauna Utilities wishes to revise such compensation effective January 1, 2027.

NOW THEREFORE, it is ordained by the Common Council of the City of Kaukauna, Wisconsin:

1. Effective January 1, 2027, compensation of members of the Kaukauna Utility Commission shall be established as follows:

Position/Service	Compensation
Commissioner	$500.00 per quarter
Commission President	$750.00 per quarter
Utility Finance and Personnel Committee Member	Additional $150.00 per quarter
Ad Hoc Committee Member	$150.00 per meeting attended

The Mayor shall not receive compensation under this ordinance, including for service as Commission President or service on any committee.

2. Biennial Adjustment. Beginning January 1, 2029, and in each odd-numbered year thereafter, the compensation amounts established by this ordinance shall be adjusted by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), All Items, East North Central Division, as published by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, measured over the preceding twenty-four (24) months. The adjustment shall not exceed ten percent (10%) and shall not be less than zero percent (0%). The CPI-U value published for November of the year preceding the adjustment shall be used to calculate the adjustment.

3. Effect on Prior Compensation Ordinances. Any prior ordinance establishing compensation for Kaukauna Utility Commissioners that is inconsistent with this ordinance is superseded effective January 1, 2027.

This ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2027.

Passed and adopted by the City of Kaukauna Common Council this 17th day of November, 2026.

APPROVED:

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Anthony J. Penterman, Mayor

ATTTEST: _____
Kayla Nessmann, Clerk