

**ORDINANCE NO. 2023-\_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PROVISIONS REGARDING THE  
COMPENSATION OF THE MAYOR, COUNCIL MEMEBERS AND PLANNING  
COMMISSIONERS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRAIRIE  
GROVE, ARKANSAS, THAT:**

Section One: Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the 2023 City Official Compensation Amendment.

Section Two: Section 2.12.03 Amended. Section 2.12.03 of the Prairie Grove Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

**2.12.03. – Compensation for council members.**

Each council member shall be paid at a rate of \$150.00 for each regular council meeting they attend. Each council member shall be paid at the rate of \$100.00 for each special council meeting or committee meeting they attend.

Section Three: Section 2.12.04 Amended. Section 2.12.04 of the Prairie Grove Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

**2.12.04. – Compensation of the mayor**

- A. The rate of compensation to be paid the mayor for the performance of elected duties shall be \$70,000.00 per year.
- B. The city shall pay the premiums for coverage of the mayor under the city's health insurance carrier.

Section Four: Section 13.04.05 Amended. Section 13.04.05 of the Prairie Grove Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

**13.04.05 Compensation of planning commission members**

Each member of the planning commission shall be paid at a rate of \$75.00 for each meeting of the planning commission they attend. If a city council member is also a member of the planning commission, they shall be paid \$75.00 for attending planning commission meetings.

Section Five: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective from and after 60 days of its posting unless an Emergency Clause is affixed.

Section Six: Repealing Clause. Ordinances or parts thereof in force at the time that this ordinance shall take effect that are in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section Seven: Saving Clause. Nothing herein shall be deemed to affect any rights or obligations existing at the time of the passage of this ordinance.

Section Eight: Severability Clause. In the event any portion of this ordinance is declared inoperative or invalid as a result of a statute or judicial decision, then only that portion expressly so declared to be inoperative or invalid shall be affected thereby and all other provisions hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

Approved this 18th day of December 2023.

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David Faulk, Mayor

(Attest)

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Christine Kelly, Clerk