

ORDINANCE 20-O-43 amending the Murfreesboro City Code, Chapter 2, Administration, Section 2-77, regarding Water Resources Board compensation, and Chapter 22, Planning Commission, Section 22-2, regarding Planning Commission compensation.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to permit future changes to the compensation paid to individuals serving on the Water Resources Board and Planning to be adopted by resolution;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 2-77, Organization; quorum; meetings; compensation, of the Murfreesboro City Code is hereby amended by deleting subsection (C) in its entirety and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

“(C) *Compensation.* Board members shall be compensated at the monthly rate set by resolution of the City Council. Board members shall also be eligible for reimbursement of necessary and reasonable traveling and other expenses while engaged in the business of the Board.”

SECTION 2. Section 22-2, Composition; term of office; removal of office, of the Murfreesboro City Code is hereby amended by deleting such section in its entirety and substituting the following in lieu thereof:

“Section 29-9 Composition; term of office; removal of office; compensation.

(A) The Planning Commission shall consist of seven members, two of whom shall be members of the City Council appointed by the Mayor; the remaining five shall be qualified voters of the City, to be selected by the Council. All five members selected by Council of the Commission shall be persons of recognized experience and qualifications and shall hold no other official position in the City except they may be members of the Board of Zoning Appeals and the Board of Historic Zoning.

(B) The five members of the Commission selected by Council shall be elected to hold office for staggered terms of three years each. The two Commission members who are also members of the City Council shall be appointed to a term of one year, provided, however, that such an individual may be reappointed by the Mayor for additional one-year terms while also serving as a member of City Council. The term of any Commission member appointed by the Mayor shall expire whenever the individual ceases to be a member of City Council.

(C) Members of the Commission, whether appointed by the Mayor or selected by the City Council, may be removed by a majority vote of the Council for inefficiency,


neglect of duty, or malfeasance in office after being given an opportunity for a hearing before the entire Council.

(D) Commission members shall be compensated at the monthly rate set by resolution of the City Council.. Commission members shall also be eligible for reimbursement of necessary and reasonable traveling and other expenses while engaged in the business of the Commission.”

SECTION 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its passage upon second and final reading, the public welfare and the welfare of the City requiring it.

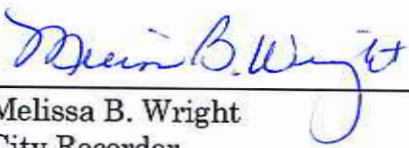
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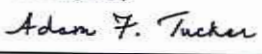
Shane McFarland, Mayor

ATTEST:



Melissa B. Wright
City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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