

ORDINANCE NO.: 2008-103

INTRODUCED BY: Councilman Freddie Jackson

ADOPTED BY:

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE 2004-29, ORDINANCE 2006-35, AND AMENDING SECTION 260.27 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES REGARDING THE COMPENSATION OF THE MAYOR, THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL IN THE CITY OF MAPLE HEIGHTS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Article IV of the Maple Heights City Charter allows the Council to fix the salaries of all elected officials at least one hundred twenty (120) days prior to the Municipal Election; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 2004-29, passed on 3-29-04, froze the salaries of the Mayor, the Council President and the Members of Council and Ordinance 2006-35, passed on April 5, 2006, reduced the salaries of the Member of Council; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to reinstate the rules for the salaries of the Mayor, the Council President, and the Members of Council as they prior existed in Ordinance 1997-18, Section ten (10), eleven (11), and twelve (12), passed on February 19, 1997.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Maple Heights, State of Ohio, Cuyahoga County:

Section 1. That Ordinance number 2004-29 and Ordinance 2006-35 are hereby repealed.

Section 2. Section 260.27 shall be amended as follows:

260.27 COMPENSATION OF ~~DEPARTMENT HEADS,~~ THE MAYOR, POLICE CHIEF, THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT, AND MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

(a) Beginning December 1, 1999, the annual salary of the Mayor shall be the same as the annual salary of the Police Chief.

(b) Beginning December 1, 1999, the annual salary of the Council President shall be twenty-five percent (25%) of the Mayor's salary. As of that date, the Council President's salary shall only be adjusted in a like manner at the beginning of each Council President's term thereafter.

(c) Beginning December 1, 1999, the annual salary of each Council Member shall be twenty per cent (20%) of the Mayor's salary. As of that date, salaries for the Members of Council shall only be adjusted in a like manner at the beginning of each Council President's term thereafter.

Section 3. That Section 260.27 as it prior existed is hereby repealed.