

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE CITY OF HUDSON'S VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, pursuant to a Resolution of this Council passed in 2005, there was established a program for volunteer members of the EMS and Fire Departments to receive \$500.00 per qualified member per year, based on a volunteer's response to a minimum percentage of emergency calls and attendance at a minimum number of training hours and training events; and

WHEREAS, it was recommended by the City Manager and Fire Chief, based on member surveys and recommendations of Fire Department officers and of the Deployment Board, that a modification to the Fire Department's Plan for contributions be made as follows:

- for qualifying Fire Department members with less than five (5) years of seniority, a contribution to a member of \$750.00 per year; and
- for qualifying Fire Department members with five (5) or more years of seniority, a contribution to a member of \$1,500.00 per year;

to be retroactive to January 1, 2012, with said contributions for calendar year 2012 being made in 2013;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hudson, Summit County, State of Ohio, that:

Section 1: The City Manager is authorized to amend the Volunteer Fire Department Length of Service Award Program for contributions to qualifying members as set forth in the preamble to this Resolution with the increase in contributions to qualifying members being retroactive to January 1, 2012, and with the contribution for calendar year 2012 being made in 2013.

Section 2: This Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____

William A. Currin, Mayor

ATTEST:

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed by the Council of said Municipality on _____, 2013

Elizabeth Slagle, Clerk of Council