ORDINANCE NO. 114-19

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 84-19
CONCERNING COMPENSATION FOR MEMBERS OF THE
LANDMARKS PRESERVATION COMMISSION
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Administration has recommended review of Ordinance No. 84-19 dealing with meetings and compensation for members of the Landmarks Preservation Commission; and

WHEREAS, Council, upon the recommendation of the Administration, and taking into consideration the duties and responsibilities of the members of the Commission, deems to be in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the community to amend Ord. No. 84-19 to allow for annual adjustments in the compensation of members of the Landmarks Preservation Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AVON, LORAIN COUNTY, OHIO:

Section 1 - That subsection 1 of Ord. No. 84-19 which presently reads:

“That retroactive to the first pay period of 2019 and going forward, each of the members of the Landmarks Preservation Commission shall receive annual compensation in the amount of One Thousand, Forty Dollars ($1,040.00) with the exception of the Chairperson who shall receive the annual compensation in the amount of One Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty Dollars ($1,560.00). Said compensation shall be payable on a monthly basis.”

Shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 1 – Commencing with the year 2020, each member of the Landmarks Preservation Commission shall receive annual compensation in an amount to be established by City Council in its annual “Ordinance Establishing Compensation for Full and Part-time Administrative Positions Not Covered by Any Collective Bargaining Agreement,” payable on a monthly basis. The Chairperson of the Commission shall be compensated at one and one-half times the compensation paid to other members of the Commission, payable on a monthly basis.

Section 2 - All members of the Commission shall be paid pursuant to the directives of the Finance Director. The Finance Director is authorized to increase the annual appropriation to satisfy the additional wage and fringe benefits.

Section 3 - That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.
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Section 4 - That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Avon, the immediate emergency being the necessity to amend Ord. No. 84-19 to allow for annual pay adjustments for members of the Avon Landmarks Preservation Commission; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: ________________________         DATE SIGNED: ________________________

By: ______________________________
    Craig L. Witherspoon, Council President

DATE APPROVED BY THE MAYOR: ________________________

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    Bryan K. Jensen, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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John A. Gasior, Law Director
City of Avon, Ohio

ATTEST:

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Barbara Brooks, Clerk of Council

Posted: ____________________________
       In Five Places as
       Provided by Council

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