

ORDINANCE NO. 2018-1120

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MABTON, WASHINGTON
TEMPORARILY INCREASING THE STIPEND FOR MAYOR
COMPENSATION.**

WHEREAS, the Mayor initially received a monthly stipend of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) as compensation for performance of mayoral responsibilities and other statutory and Ordinance obligations. The initial stipend was established by Ordinance 2007-883; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor's monthly stipend was temporarily increased to One Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$1,460.00) commencing July 16, 2018 pursuant to Ordinance No. 2018-1119; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor will continue to perform additional and extraordinary service in furtherance of municipal functions and operations including but not limited to assistance at the wastewater facility and additional administrative responsibilities regarding municipal operations and services; and

WHEREAS, the additional assistance and work is required on a temporary and interim basis in order to address labor shortages and regulatory requirements;

WHEREAS, the City Council determines that it is appropriate to reduce the Mayor's increased monthly stipend to Nine Hundred and Eight Dollars (\$980.00) for the period commencing August 16, 2018 and ending on the earlier of (a) September 30, 2018, or (b) the hiring and commencement of work of a full time employee at the Wastewater treatment plant:

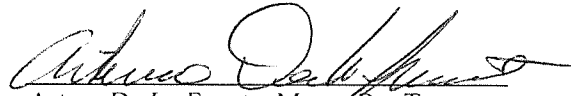
NOW , THEREFORE,

The City Council of the City of Mabton, Washington, does ordain as follows:

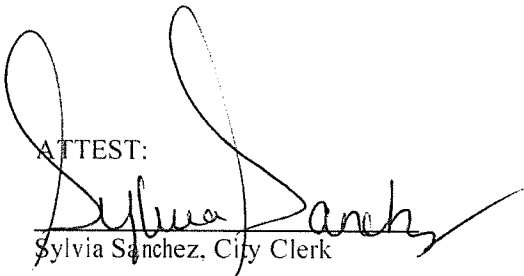
Section 1: Temporary Stipend Increase. The stipend payable to Mayor as compensation for services provided in such capacity is temporarily set at to Nine Hundred and eight Dollars (\$980.00) per month effective August 16, 2018 and terminated on the earlier of (1) September 30, 2018, or (2) the hiring and commencement of work by a full time employee at the City's wastewater treatment plant. The mayoral stipend shall revert back to Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) upon termination of the temporary payment.

Section 2: Review of Stipend. The City Council shall review the services provided by Mayor prior to September 30, 2018 and determine whether or not such stipend should continue on a temporary basis in order to address the needs and operations of the municipality.

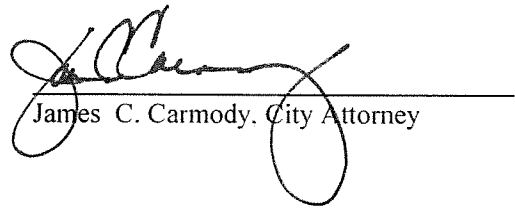
Section 3: Effective Date. The temporary stipend increase shall be effective August 16, 2018.
ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF CITY OF MABTON at regular meeting thereof on the 16th day of
August, 2018.


Arturo De La Fuente, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Sylvia Sanchez, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


James C. Carmody, City Attorney