

ORDINANCE NO. 1240

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, RELATING TO THE GIG HARBOR MUNICIPAL COURT; REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE NO. 781 REGARDING COMPENSATION FOR THE MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE; AND ESTABLISHING A RETROACTIVE EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, by way of Ordinance No. 447, the City established a municipal court as authorized under chapter 3.50 RCW; and

WHEREAS, RCW 3.50.080 requires that the salary of the municipal court judge shall be fixed by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2011 the City Council approved a contract with the municipal court judge which included a salary adjustment retroactive to January 1, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to adopt this ordinance for consistency with RCW 3.50.080; Now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Repeal. Ordinance No. 781 is hereby repealed.

Section 2. Municipal Court Judge Salary. The monthly base salary for the municipal court judge shall be \$4,316.80 for general administrative time, jury and non-jury trials and hearings, occasional in-custody arraignments, regular Tuesday and Wednesday court calendars, and related activities.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be in full force five (5) days after passage and publication of an approved summary consisting of the title and shall apply retroactively to January 1, 2011.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor of the City of Gig Harbor, this 14th day of May, 2012.

CITY OF GIG HARBOR

Mayor Charles L. Hunter

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Molly M. Towslee, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Office of the City Attorney

Angela S. Belbeck

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