

**ORDINANCE NO. 50-2019**

**INTRODUCED BY: MAYOR JAMES P. GRAVEN**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE RATE OF  
COMPENSATION FOR THE FIRE CHIEF OF THE CITY OF  
OLMSTED FALLS, OHIO AND REPEALING ALL LEGISLATION  
INCONSISTENT HEREWITH**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLMSTED FALLS,  
CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** Effective April 29, 2019, the compensation for the Fire Chief of the City of Olmsted Falls shall be as follows:

A. The annual base salary based upon a work week of forty (40) hours or 2,080 hours per year, shall be at the rate of Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000.00) per annum.

B. The City will withhold all payroll taxes consistent with local, state, federal and OPERS regulations.

C. The Chief of Fire shall be entitled to the following employee benefits consistent with the current employment contract entered into by the City and the International Association of Firefighters Local 2373 for the firefighters. The Chief of Fire shall also receive fifteen (15) days of vacation for the first ten (10) years, which shall be accumulative for only 365 days, unless provided otherwise by express written approval of the Mayor.

D. With the approval of the Safety Director, any hours worked by the Fire Chief in excess of forty (40) hours per week shall be accrued as compensatory time at the rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) hours compensatory time for each one (1) hour of overtime worked consistent with the current Collective Bargaining Agreement identified herein above.

**SECTION 2.** All prior legislation inconsistent with this legislation in whole or in part are hereby repealed to the extent necessary to avoid conflict with this legislation.

**SECTION 3.** The Council finds and determines that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Ordinance have been taken at open meetings of this Council and that deliberations of this Council and of its committees, resulting in such formal action, took place in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all statutory requirements including the requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Olmsted Falls for the reason that the Fire Chief has been on the job for the past eight weeks and, therefore, this Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon the affirmative vote of not less than five (5) members elected to Council and approval by the Mayor or otherwise at the

earliest time allowed by law.

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*Paul Stibich, Council President*

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
*James P. Graven, Mayor* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

APPROVED AS TO FORM: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Andrew D. Bemer, Director of Law*

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Angela Mancini, Clerk of Council*

First Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

Second Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

Third Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

	Yea	Nay
Stibich	____	____
Jones	____	____
Munteanu	____	____
Gorski	____	____
Nicolay	____	____
Duncan	____	____
Fenrich	____	____