

## ORDINANCE #20 RATE OF COMPENSATION FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS

### 20.01 SCOPE:

This ordinance shall pertain to the rate of compensation for all elected officials of the Village of Beech Bottom.

### 20.2 DEFINITIONS:

ELECTED OFFICIAL - any individual that currently holds the position (not including honorary or emeritus designation) of Mayor, Vice-Mayor, Recorder, or one of the five (5) at large members of the Common Council of the Village of Beech Bottom.

REGULAR MEETING - any regular scheduled meeting. The regular meeting schedule can be found in Appendix Number One (1) of this ordinance. Said schedule may be changed with a two-thirds majority vote of council and any change shall be duly noted in Appendix Number One (1)

SPECIAL MEETING - any properly held meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Beech Bottom other than those that would be considered a Regular Meeting

ATTENDANCE - to be compensated for attendance at a regular or special meeting of council, the Elected Official must be either physically present at the meeting for at least seventy five percent of the total meeting or attend by telephone. Attendance by telephone will only be permissible 3 times in a fiscal year and any more will result in the Elected Official not being compensated for attendance by telephone to meetings exceeding those

permitted 3 for the remainder of the fiscal year. Time an Elected Official spends in recusal when discussions and voting on a matter in which the Elected Official has a conflict does not count as time absent.

### 20.3 Rates of Compensation:

Each Elected Official shall be paid one hundred dollars (\$100) for attending a Regular Meeting or a Special Meeting.

The following is the pay rate per month, which is not affected by attendance, for each Elected Official:

- Mayor: seven hundred dollars (\$700)
- Vice-Mayor five hundred and seventy five dollars (\$575)
- Recorder: five hundred and seventy five dollars (\$575)
- Each of the at large common council: four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450)

### 20.4 Compensation Schedule:

Elected Officials shall be compensated once per month.

### 20.5 Effective Date:

The rates set forth herein shall become effective for the Elected Officials that take office in July 1, 2026.

### APPENDIX #1 Meeting Schedule

The Common Council of the Village of Beech Bottom has regularly scheduled meetings on the first and third Tuesday of each month starting at 7:00 p.m.

1st Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

3 rd Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR

\_\_\_\_\_  
RECORDER