

TOWNSHIP OF SCIO
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-04

COMPENSATION COMMISSION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE TOWNSHIP CODE TO ADD ARTICLE II. OF CHAPTER 2, COMPENSATION COMMISSION, OF THE SCIO TOWNSHIP CODE

THE TOWNSHIP OF SCIO, WASHTENAW COUNTY, HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1.

That Article II, Township Board, of Chapter 2, is added to read as follows:

Sec. 2-19. A local officials compensation commission is created. The commission shall determine the salary of each township elected official. The commission shall consist of 5 members who are registered electors of the township, appointed by the supervisor subject to confirmation by a majority of the members elected and serving on the township board. The terms of office shall be 5 years, except that of the members first appointed, 1 each shall be appointed for terms of 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 years. The first members shall be appointed within 30 days after the effective date of the ordinance. Subsequent members shall be appointed within 30 days after a term expires or a vacancy occurs. Vacancies shall be filled for the remainder of an unexpired term. An officer or employee of a government agency or unit or member of the immediate family of an officer or employee shall not be appointed to the commission.

Sec. 2-20. The commission shall determine the salary of each member of the township board, which shall be effective at the beginning of the next fiscal year. The determination of the commission shall be the salary unless the township board by resolution adopted by 2/3 of the members elected to and serving on the board rejects the determination. The determination of the commission shall be effective 30 days following filing of the determination with the township clerk unless rejected by the township board. If the determination is rejected, the existing salary shall prevail. An expense allowance or reimbursement paid to elected officials in addition to salary shall be for expenses incurred in the course of township business and accounted for to the township. The commission shall meet for not more than 15 session days in each odd numbered year and shall make its determination within 45 calendar days of its first meeting. A majority of the members of the commission constitutes a quorum for conducting the business of the commission. The business that the commission may perform shall be conducted at a public meeting of the commission held in compliance with the open meetings act, Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976, being sections 15.261 to 15.275 of the Michigan Compiled Laws. Public notice of the time, date, and place of the meeting shall be given in the manner required by Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976. The commission shall not take action or make a determination without a concurrence of a majority of the members appointed and serving on the commission. The commission shall elect a chairperson from among its members. As used in this section, "session days" means calendar days on which the commission meets and a quorum is present. The members of the commission shall not receive

compensation, but shall be entitled to actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of official duties.

SECTION 2. INCONSISTENCIES REPEALED.

All other ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions of the Board of Trustees in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. SAVING CLAUSE.

Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in Section 2 of this Ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. AVAILABILITY

The Code, including Chapter 2 and the official Township zoning map are available for inspection in the Township Hall, 827 N. Zeeb Rd., Ann Arbor, MI during regular business hours.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby ordered to take effect the day following its publication in newspapers of general circulation within the Township of Scio.

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Township of Scio in a meeting duly called and held on the 22 day of June 2021.

TOWNSHIP OF SCIO
WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN



Jessica M. Flintoft, Township Clerk

ADOPTED: June 22, 2021
PUBLISHED: July 7, 2021 (SunTimes paper date)
EFFECTIVE: July 8, 2021

CERTIFICATION


I, Jessica M Flintoft, Clerk of the Township of Scio, County of Washtenaw, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of Township Ordinance number 2021-04, an amendment to Code of Ordinances of the Township of Scio, and was adopted by the Scio Township Board of Trustees on the 22 day June 2021, and given publication in the SunTimes and Washtenaw Legal News, newspapers of general circulation. The following members of the Scio Township Board of Trustees voted as follows in connection with this resolution to adopt the above amendatory ordinance.

AYES: Palmer, Flintoft, Knol, Hathaway, Jerome, Courteau.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Vogel.

In witness hereof, I have hereunto affixed my official seal this 2nd July 2021.



Jessica M. Flintoft, Clerk
Township of Scio