

CODE ORDINANCE

Sponsored by: Assemblymember Fonov

Introduced: 03/18/25

Referred to the Commission on Salaries and

Emoluments: 03/18/25

Public Hearing:

Action:

**MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
ORDINANCE SERIAL NO. 25-047**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH ASSEMBLY AMENDING MSB 2.08.060 AND MSB 2.12.060, COMPENSATION FOR THE MAYOR AND ASSEMBLY.

WHEREAS, the intent, rationale, and calculations for the compensation for the Mayor and Assembly are contained in the accompanying Information Memorandum 25-083.

BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and shall become a part of the Borough Code.

Section 2. Amendment of section. MSB 2.08.060(A) and (B) are hereby amended to read as follows:

(A) The mayor shall receive a salary of [\$65,000] **\$75,700** per year. **The mayor's salary shall be adjusted annually on the pay period that includes July 1, in accordance with the US Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employee Cost Index (ECI) for Wages & Salaries (Not Seasonally Adjusted) Employment Cost Index for Wages & Salaries, for State & Local Government Workers by Occupational Group & Industry, All Workers as of December of the prior year.**

Reimbursement shall be provided for mileage and expenses

which are reasonable and necessary in connection with assembly meetings and regular borough functions. The mayor shall be included in the borough employee health insurance plan, life insurance plan, and, unless a waiver executed by the mayor is in effect, in the borough retirement plan.

[(B) THE DEPUTY MAYOR SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY OF \$15,100 PER YEAR.]

Section 3. Amendment of section. MSB 2.12.060(A) is hereby amended to read as follows:

(A) Assembly members shall receive a salary of [\$13,300] \$45,400 per year. Assembly members' salary shall be adjusted annually on the pay period that includes July 1, in accordance with the US Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employee Cost Index (ECI) for Wages & Salaries (Not Seasonally Adjusted) Employment Cost Index for Wages & Salaries, for State & Local Government Workers by Occupational Group & Industry, All Workers as of December of the prior year.

Reimbursement shall be provided for mileage and expenses which are reasonable and necessary in connection with assembly meetings and regular assembly functions. Assembly members shall be included in the borough employee health insurance plan, life insurance plan, and, unless a waiver executed by the assembly member is in effect, in the borough retirement plan.

Section 3. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED by the Matanuska-Susitna Borough Assembly this - day of -, 2025.

EDNA DeVRIES, Borough Mayor

ATTEST:

LONNIE R. McKECHNIE, CMC, Borough Clerk

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