

City of Corry

Ordinance

Ordinance No. 1618

Council Bill No. 21-09

Presented by: Mr. Roche

An ordinance amending Ordinance Number 770, as amended, to provide for the payment of pension benefits for Firefighters after twelve (12) years, or more of service; establishing a minimum age requirement and contribution rates for Firefighters.

BE IT ORDANINED by the Council of the City of Corry, Erie County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same.

Section 1: Ordinance Number 770 is amended, in part, to include the following:

- A. A member who shall have served for twelve (12) years, or more, and shall have attained retirement age and whose office or employment shall be terminated with or without his or her voluntary action before the expiration of twenty (20) years of service, he/she shall, in such event, during the remainder of his or her life, be entitled to receive such portion of the annual pension benefit as the period of his or her service up to date of termination bears to the full twenty (20) year period of service.
- B. A member who shall have served for twelve (12) years, or more, and shall not have attained retirement age and whose office or employment shall be terminated with or without his or her voluntary action before the expiration of twenty (20) years of service, he/she shall, in such event, during the remainder of his or her life, after attaining retirement age, be entitled to receive such portion of the annual pension benefit as the period of his or her service up to the date of termination bears to the full twenty (20) year period of service.

If a member has served for twelve (12) years, or more of service, but less than twenty (20) years of service, and his or her employment is terminated for any reason, then and in that event, he or she will have the option of having the total amount of the contributions paid into the pension fund by such employee refunded to him or her in full, without interest, or receiving the portion of the annual pension set forth above.

Section 2: The minimum age requirement for a Firefighter hired after January 01, 2012 shall be fifty (50) years of age.

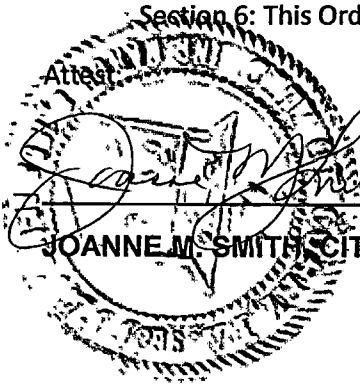
Section 3: The member base contribution to the pension fund for firefighters hired after January 01, 2018 shall be four (4%) percent annually of the pay of the member and an additional amount of one (1%) percent to provide sufficient funds for payments to surviving spouses of members retired on pension, killed or who die in service for a total contribution of five (5%) percent.

Section 4: For Firefighters hired after January 01, 2018 and who subsequently retire and receive pension benefits, such member shall receive an annual cost-of-living adjustment added to the monthly

retirement allowance paid by the Pension Fund capped so that the pension allowance of such retired individual, including the cost-of-living adjustment, shall not at any time exceed five (5%) percent.

Section 5: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 6: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its final passage.

The seal of the City of St. Louis is circular, featuring a central figure holding a torch and a scroll, surrounded by the text "CITY OF ST. LOUIS" and "1804".
Joanne M. Smith

JOANNE M. SMITH, CITY CLERK

David E. Mitchell

DAVID E. MITCHELL, MAYOR