

**ORDINANCE NO. 815**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 6, FIRE PROTECTION, ARTICLE I, FIRE DEPARTMENT, SECTION 6-116, PAYMENT, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, KANSAS WITH RESPECT TO COMPENSATION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, KANSAS:

**Section 1.** That the Governing Body of the City of Washington, Kansas is desirous of amending compensation for the members of the fire department, the same to be effective as of the first payroll in January of 2022.

**Section 2.** That Section 6-116, Payment, of Chapter 6, Fire Protection, Article I, Fire Department, of the Code of the City of Washington, Kansas, shall be amended to read as follows:

6-116 PAYMENT. Each member of the fire department shall receive five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$5.25) for attending regular and special meetings, and shall receive five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$5.25) for each fire at which the member assists and remains until all equipment used at the fire has been readied for and returned to the firehouse. In addition to the foregoing payment, the fire chief shall receive ten dollars and fifty cents (\$10.50) per month. Payment of the above fees shall be made by the city at the same time as the first pay period for other city employees is made in the month of December in each year with each member being paid the entire amount he is entitled to for the preceding year at that time.

**Section 3.** This ordinance shall take effect from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

Passed and approved by the Governing Body this 29<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.

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Ryan W. Kern, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Denise M. Powell, City Clerk

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