

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Hattiesburg has, since 1990, sought to pay a "13th Check", or cost of living adjustment (COLA), as a benefit for the City's Police and Fire Disability and Relief Fund recipients, and

WHEREAS, the City has sought and secured local and private legislation authorizing payment of a COLA in an amount not to exceed thirty percent (30%) of the recipients' annual pension amounts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hattiesburg wishes to secure local and private legislation to increase payment of the COLA in an amount not to exceed thirty-two percent (32%).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, that the members of the Mississippi Legislature representing the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, be and they are hereby requested and memorialized to introduce, sponsor and procure the enactment of legislation to authorize the City of Hattiesburg to establish upon certification of actuarial soundness to increase payment of the COLA in an amount not to exceed thirty-two percent (32%) to be paid from the monies accumulated in the Hattiesburg Police and Fire Disability and Relief Fund to the retirees of the Police and Fire Departments eligible for said pension/disability payments.

The above and foregoing Resolution, after having been first reduced to writing was introduced by Councilperson _____, seconded by Councilperson _____, and was adopted by the following vote, to-wit:

YEAS:

NAYS:

The President thereby declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted and approved, this the 19th day of February, 2019.

ATTESTED:

ADOPTED:

CLERK OF COUNCIL

PRESIDENT

The above and foregoing Resolution having been submitted to and approved by the Mayor, this the 19th day of February, 2019.

(S E A L)

ATTESTED:

ADOPTED:

CITY CLERK

MAYOR