ORDINANCE NO. 2023-15

AN ORDINANCE FIXING SALARIES, COMPENSATION AND BENEFIT PROGRAMS FOR 2024 OF ALL APPOINTED OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE TOWN OF GENEVA AND ESTABLISHING CLOTHING ALLOWANCES FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, POLICE RESERVES AND FIRE DEPARTMENT

BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the Town of Geneva, Indiana that the following named officers, employees and other persons employed by the Town of Geneva, Indiana, shall receive the following salaries for the year 2024:

SECTION I - BASE SALARIES

That from and after January 1, 2024, the following appointed officers and employees of the Town of Geneva, Indiana, shall receive the following maximum base salaries per year.

WORKFORCE MANAGER

| Workforce Manager: | Part Time |
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| Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$32,960.00 |
| Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$32,661.00 |
| Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$32,368.00 |
| Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$32,074.00 |
| Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$31,781.00 |
| Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$31,487.00 |
| Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$31,194.00 |
| Entry Level | \$30,900.00 |

The Workforce Manager is a part-time position for up to 1,500 hours worked during the calendar year. The position does not include either insurance benefits or retirement benefits. The position receives the Clothing Allowance as set forth in Section IV(E) for part-time employees, and Holidays, Vacations, Personal Time and Sick Leave as set forth in Section VII for part-time employees.

The Workforce Manager will be provided a Town vehicle to take home within a five (5) mile radius of the Town limits of the Town of Geneva.

WORKFORCE SUPERVISOR

Workforce Supervisor: \$7,426.00

The Workforce Supervisor is a part-time position for up to 500 hours worked during the calendar year. The Supervisor will provide various services to the street, water and wastewater departments as well as grant writing. The Supervisor shall have the authority to work with the employees of the various departments, and shall determine what departmental projects are to be undertaken as well as the order in which they are to be completed. The purpose of this position is

to provide efficient workflow by well-planned prioritization of work and successful supervising of the employees. The position does not include either insurance benefits or retirement benefits. The position receives the Clothing Allowance as set forth in Section IV(E) for part-time employees, and Holidays, Vacations, Personal Time and Sick Leave as set forth in Section VII for part-time employees.

STREET DEPARTMENT

Street Department Personnel:

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| Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | 24.40 - \$26.52 Per Hour |
| Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$23.59 Per Hour |
| Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$23.07 Per Hour |
| Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$22.53 Per Hour |
| Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$22.01 Per Hour |
| Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$21.47 Per Hour |
| Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$20.95 Per Hour |
| Entry Level | \$20.15 Per Hour |
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The Department Head of the Street Department will be provided a Town vehicle to take home within a five (5) mile radius of the Town limits of the Town of Geneva.

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Water Works Department Personnel:

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| | | Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$26.52 Per Hour |
| | | Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$25.71 Per Hour |
| | DSM and WT3 Certs. | Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$25.19 Per Hour |
| | | Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$23.59 Per Hour |
| | DSM Certification | Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$23.07 Per Hour |
| | | Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$21.47 Per Hour |
| | | Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$20.95 Per Hour |
| | | Entry Level | \$20.15 Per Hour |
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If an employee's certification is not completed prior to the three (3) or five (5) year certification dates set forth above, then pay for said employee shall be calculated on the year of experience prior to the date of the required certification rather than the years of total experience.

Water Works Department Head / Workforce Manager (Salaried):

A Water Works Department Head who also serves as Workforce Manager (with job responsibilities as set forth by the Town) shall be paid a salary in the sum of \$69,525.00. The Department Head of the Water Works Department will be provided a Town vehicle to take home within a five (5) mile radius of the Town limits of the Town of Geneva.

Water Works Department Certifications:

DSM Certification - Greater than Three (3) Years Experience

(To be certified within one (1) year after first attempt)
WT3 Certification - Greater than Five (5) Years Experience
(To be certified within one (1) year after first attempt)

The Town of Geneva will pay for the first certification attempt. If an employee is not certified after three (3) attempts, the Town will need to decide whether to retain or replace the employee.

The Town of Geneva will pay for the books, classes, and testing fee for the first attempt, and the wages and vehicle for each testing day.

The Operator who is listed on the IDEM permit will be responsible for the signing of all paperwork filed with the Department.

WASTE WATER (SEWAGE) DEPARTMENT

| Waste | Water | Department Personnel: | |
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| | Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$26.52 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$25.71 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$25.19 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$23.59 Per Hour |
| CL1 Certification | Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$23.07 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$21.47 Per Hour |
| | Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$20.95 Per Hour |
| | Entry Level | \$20.15 Per Hour |
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If an employee's certification is not completed prior to the three (3) year certification date set forth above, then pay for said employee shall be calculated on the year of experience prior to the date of the required certification rather than the years of total experience.

The Department Head of the Waste Water (Sewage) Department will be provided a Town vehicle to take home within a five (5) mile radius of the Town limits of the Town of Geneva.

Waste Water Department Certification:

Greater than Three (3) Years Experience CL1 Certification -(To be certified within one (1) year after first attempt)

The Town of Geneva will pay for the first certification attempt. If an employee is not certified after three (3) attempts, the Town will need to decide whether to retain or replace the employee.

The Town of Geneva will pay for the books, classes, and testing fee for the first attempt, and the wages and vehicle for each testing day.

The Operator who is listed on the IDEM permit will be responsible for the signing of all paperwork filed with the Department.

MARSHAL OFFICE (SALARIED)

| Town Marshal (Based on Experience): | \$57,522.00 to \$61,387.00 |
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| Chief Deputy Marshal (Based on Experience): | \$53,321.00 to \$57,746.00 |
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| Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$54,732.00 |
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| Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$53,944.00 |
| Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$53,149.00 |
| Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$52,353.00 |
| Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$51,549.00 |
| Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$50,793.00 |
| Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$49,733.00 |
| Entry Level with ILEA | \$48,422.00 |
| Entry Level without ILEA | \$47,112.00 |
| Part Time with ILEA (No Benefits) | \$30.00 Per Hour |

Instructor:

\$30.00 Per Hour with a Maximum of 15 Hours Per Year (No Benefits)

The Marshal, as well as the deputy marshals, will be provided a police vehicle to take home within a five (5) mile radius of the Town limits of the Town of Geneva.

Upon being hired by the Town, a Marshal or Deputy Marshal shall hold a probationary position for a period of one (1) year.

The Board of Trustees of the Town may, in its sole discretion, with approval prior to such certification, approve a stipend in the sum of \$1,000.00 for additional law enforcement certifications.

Any Active Reserve officer who is subpoened to testify in court and must miss employment in order to do so shall be paid \$19.93 per hour for the time that said officer is fulfilling the subpoena.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Town Attorney:

\$14,420.00

In addition to the regular salary of the Town Attorney, it is hereby established that the town attorney shall be paid Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) per hour for representation of the Town of Geneva, its agencies, boards, officers and employees in all matters of litigation and bond proceedings and before or involving State and Federal agencies. The budget for the Department of Law shall also include an expense account not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for reimbursement of recording costs, court costs and other miscellaneous expenses.

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

Deputy Clerk-Treasurer:

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| Up to 1,500 Hours | Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$19.88 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$19.62 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$19.35 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$19.09 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$18.82 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$18.56 Per Hour |
| | Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$18.29 Per Hour |
| | Entry Level | \$18.03 Per Hour |

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Volunteer Fire Department of the Town of Geneva shall receive the following total compensation of \$19,158.00 for practices, fire fighting and trainings, with said compensation being divided as follows:

Fire Chief

24%

Assistant Fire Chief (2)

6.5%

Divided Equally Between Other Active Firefighters

63%

Compliance with Fair Labor Standards Act. Payment for Firefighters employed full time by the Town. Notwithstanding any other terms for payment for practices, fire fighting and training, and in compliance with the Fair Labor Standards Act, the compensation will be calculated and paid to those volunteer firemen who are full time employees of the Town at the time of such performance of work pursuant to 29 CFR ¶778.415 through ¶778.421. and to the following provisions.

- 1. Where a full time employee in a single workweek works at two or more different types of work for which different non-overtime rates of pay (of not less than the applicable minimum wage) have been established, his regular rate for that week shall be the weighted average of such rates. The employee's total earnings (except statutory exclusions) shall be computed to include his compensation during the workweek from all such rates, and shall be then divided by the total number of hours worked at all jobs.
- 2. An hourly rate will be regarded as a bona fide rate for a particular kind of work it is equal to or greater than the applicable minimum rate therefore and if it is the rate actually paid for such work when performed during non-overtime hours.

<u>Payment.</u> By November 1 of each calendar year, the Geneva Volunteer Fire Department shall report to the Town the roster of Firefighters and how many months in the calendar year that each Firefighter has been active. The Clerk Treasurer shall then pay each firefighter compensation on or before November 30th of such calendar year. The Geneva Volunteer Fire Department shall be responsible to provide to the Clerk Treasurer with documentation, as requested, verifying requests for payment and certifying the firefighter's successful completion of training events.

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| Part Time Hourly (S | easonal): |
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| First Year | \$14.85 Per Hour |
| Second Year | \$15.91 Per Hour |
| Third Year | \$16.97 Per Hour |
| Fourth Year (or more) | \$18.03 Per Hour |

Town Hall Custodian:

| Four (4) Week Month | \$128.75 Per Month |
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| Five (5) Week Month | \$180.25 Per Month |

Other Part Time Hourly (Not Seasonal):

| Up to 1,500 Hours | Greater than Seven (7) Years Experience | \$19.88 Per Hour |
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| 130 | Greater than Six (6) Years Experience | \$19.62 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Five (5) Years Experience | \$19.35 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Four (4) Years Experience | \$19.09 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Three (3) Years Experience | \$18.82 Per Hour |
| | Greater than Two (2) Years Experience | \$18.56 Per Hour |
| | Greater than One (1) Year Experience | \$18.29 Per Hour |
| | Entry Level | \$18.03 Per Hour |

SECTION II - ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR EMPLOYEE CERTIFICATION AND SPECIALIZED TRAINING

Employees who hold an optional water or wastewater certification or licensing as of January 1, 2024, shall receive \$0.70 per hour additional compensation for each of said licenses and/or certifications. Employees who hold pesticide licensing as of January 1, 2024, shall receive \$0.45 per hour additional compensation for said licensing. No employee of the Town shall take any such optional certification or licensing without prior approval of the Board of Trustees of the Town.

SECTION III - ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR LONGEVITY

Town of Geneva employees averaging over 1,000 work hours per year shall receive an additional \$50.00 longevity compensation for each continuous year of service rendered to the Town, said longevity compensation commencing upon completion of the employee's seventh (7th) year of service to the Town. Said longevity compensation shall be paid the third (3rd) week of December of each year.

SECTION IV - CLOTHING ALLOWANCES

A. Marshal Office Clothing Allowance:

A full time Town Marshal, Chief Deputy, and Deputies with or without Indiana Law Enforcement Academy training shall be granted a clothing allowance of \$95.48 each per month up to \$1,145.77 per calendar year.

B. Fire Department Clothing and Car Allowances:

The Fire Department shall be entitled to a clothing / vehicle allowance of \$9,240 for the calendar year of 2024. This sum shall be divided equally between all active members of the Fire Department.

- C. <u>Police Reserve Clothing Allowance</u>: Police reserves shall be granted a clothing allowance of \$115.84 each per month of active service up to a total of \$1,391.00 per calendar year.
- D. <u>Full Time Workforce Manager and Full Time Utility Clothing Allowance</u>: A full-time Workforce Manager and a full-time utility employee shall be granted a clothing allowance of \$125.00 each per quarter up to \$500.00 per calendar year.
- E. <u>Part Time Utility Clothing Allowance</u>: A part-time utility employee and a part-time Workforce Manager shall be granted a clothing allowance of \$125.00 each per quarter up to \$500.00 per calendar year.
- F. <u>Seasonal Clothing Allowance</u>: Seasonal employees shall receive three (3) shirts and a safety vest.

Greater than Two (2) Years of Employment 10 Days or 80 Hours Greater than Seven (7) Years of Employment 15 Days or 120 Hours Greater than Fifteen (15) Years of Employment 20 Days or 160 Hours

Part Time Employees:

Greater than One (1) Year of Employment 3 Days or 24 Hours Greater than Two (2) Years of Employment 6 Days or 48 Hours Greater than Seven (7) Years of Employment 9 Days or 72 Hours Greater than Fifteen (15) Years of Employment 12 Days or 96 Hours

Personal Time Off:

Full Time Employees: Part Time Employees:

24 Hours Per Year 12 Hours Per Year

Sick Leave:

Full Time Employees: Four (4) Hours Per Month up to Six (6) Days Per Year. Up to Thirty (30) Days (240 Hours) of unused sick leave may be accumulated and carried over to succeeding years.

Part Time Employees:

Two (2) Hours Per Month up to Twenty-Four (24) Hours Per Year. Up to Fifteen (15) Days (120 Hours) of unused sick leave may be accumulated and carried over to succeeding years.

SECTION VIII - INSURANCE BENEFITS

Full time employees of the Town shall contribute \$1.00 per year, and the Town shall pay for all additional premiums for the medical, dental, vision, short-term disability, life (\$25,000 coverage), accidental death and dismemberment (\$25,000.00 coverage), and employee assistance insurance premiums with the insurance carrier or carriers approved by the Town covering all full time employees. The employees shall pay for any additional family coverage.

^{*} Unused vacation days will be lost upon the employee's anniversary date or shall be paid out at the time of termination of employment before such anniversary date.

^{*} Unused personal time off will be lost at the end of each year and shall not be paid out at the time of termination of employment.

^{*} Unused sick leave days shall be lost and not be paid out at the time of termination of employment.

SECTION IX - INDIANA PUBLIC RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Eligible full-time employees who work in covered positions with the Town will be covered by the Indiana Public Retirement System (INPRS). The benefits, costs, and administration are determined by current INPRS directives.

SECTION X - EFFECTIVE DATE

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Duly passed, adopted and resolved by the Common Council of the Town of Geneva, State of Indiana, on December 12, 2023.

| Agnes A. Schoch, President Andrew J. Briggs Gary L. Flendershot Arlen R. Mitchell Marvin R. Schwartz |
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| ATTEST: |
| Morgan R. Schwartz, Clerk-Treasurer |