

MUNICIPALITY OF MONROEVILLE
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 1901

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONROEVILLE, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, REQUESTING THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO PLACE ON THE NOVEMBER 8, 1994 BALLOT AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 305 OF THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONROEVILLE ELIMINATING THE MANDATORY PAYMENT OF A SALARY TO THE POSITION OF COUNCIL PERSON FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF MONROEVILLE.

WHEREAS, Article XXI, Section 2111 of the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville provides for the amendment of the Home Rule Charter in accordance with Act 62 of 1972, the Home Rule Charter and Option Plans Law, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Monroeville's Home Rule Charter adopted by the voters of Monroeville on May 21, 1974 and subsequently amended on November 4, 1980 and May 17, 1983 established and provided that a Council person shall receive a salary for the performance of the duties and obligations of a Council person as set forth in Article III of the aforesaid Home Rule Charter; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Municipality of Monroeville has proposed a revision to the Home Rule Charter which would permit a Council person to accept or not accept a form of compensation

other than a mandatory salary as set forth in Section 305 of the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Municipality of Monroeville, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. The Allegheny County Department of Elections is hereby requested in accordance with the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville, Article XXI, Section 2111 and the Home Rule Charter and Option Plans Law (1972 P.L. 184, No. 62 of 1972) as amended, to place on the November 8, 1994 General Ballot for consideration by the voters of the Municipality of Monroeville the following amendment to Section 305 of the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville.

SECTION 2. The proposed ballot question is as follows:

"Shall the language of Article III, Section 305 of the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 305. Compensation

Each Member of Council may receive the same compensation as received by Council Members of the Borough of Monroeville on the day before the effective date of this Charter, or such other sum as set by Council by

Ordinance from time to time. Such compensation shall not be increased or decreased during the term for which any Member of Council was elected or appointed. No such increase or decrease shall be accomplished by Ordinance adopted less than six (6) months prior to election of any Member of Council affected thereby.

Members of Council shall receive no other compensation, direct or indirect, for the performance of their duties; they shall receive no pensions, insurance or other forms of fringe benefits. When, however, Council shall, in a public meeting, direct certain activities to be performed, Members of Council shall be entitled to actual and necessary documented expenses incurred in the performance of these functions and activities, except that that shall not be construed to allow Council to exceed any budget appropriation.

SECTION 3. The Municipal Manager is directed to prepare sufficient copies of this Ordinance describing the proposed amendment to the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville and to coordinate publication of the ballot question once a week for three consecutive weeks during the thirty (30) day period prior to the November 8, 1994 election.

SECTION 4. Any cost for printing the ballot, advertisement or incidentals to this ballot question as required by the County of Allegheny Board of Elections shall be paid by the Municipality of Monroeville.

SECTION 5.

The Municipal Manager shall immediately transmit this Ordinance describing the proposed amendment to the Home Rule Charter of the Municipality of Monroeville to the Allegheny County Board of Elections, County Office Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, upon its enactment.

ENACTED this 9th day of August, 1994.

ATTEST:

MUNICIPALITY OF MONROEVILLE

Jennifer Neville

By: Mary Ann Nau
Mary Ann Nau
Municipal Manager

EXAMINED AND APPROVED by me this 9th day of August, 1994.

Thomas R. Schuenger
Thomas R. Schuenger
Mayor

Date: August 19, 1994