

# Council Salary Commission

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*Monday, August 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.*

~~*Tuesday, August 20, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.*~~

*City Council Chambers*

1. Call to Order
2. Approve Minutes of September 4, 2018
3. Recess Meeting to Conduct a Public Hearing to receive citizen comment regarding the compensation of the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem, and Council Members.
4. Re-convene Meeting
5. Review Comparables and Wage Information
6. Determine Wage Schedule for the positions of Mayor, Mayor Pro-Tem, and Council Members
7. Adjournment

# Wage Schedule for Elected Officials

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## **Mayor**

\$700 per month.

## **Mayor Pro-Tem**

Regular Council Compensation in addition to \$25 per month.

## **Council Member**

\$310 per month.

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## Call To Order

Commission Member Marvin Ward called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

## Roll Call

Committee Members Bob Stevens and Brian Newhouse were present. Finance Director Yost was also present.

## Minutes

Motion by Commission Member Stevens to approve the minutes of the April 10, 2018 meeting, seconded by Commission Member Newhouse. Motion carried unanimously.

## Public Hearing

Commission Member Ward recessed the regular meeting at 10:03 a.m. to conduct a public hearing to receive citizen comment regarding the wages of the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem and Council Members.

No comments were received.

The meeting was called back to order at 10:03 a.m.

## Wage information and Recommendation

Finance Director Yost presented a summary of the current wage schedule and compensation rates from other agencies for the committee's review. The recommendations included the following wage schedule for elected officials:

City Council - \$310.00 a month

Mayor Pro Tem – Regular Council Compensation in addition to \$25 per month

Mayor - \$700 per month

Motion by Commission Member Stevens, seconded by Commission Member Newhouse to approve the listed wage schedule effective immediately.

Adjournment

There be no additional items to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 10:17 a.m.

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Finance Director

# Mayor

Current Wage Schedule	monthly annual	\$ \$	700 8,400
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	# of Cities	Average Monthly Wage				
AWC Average (pop 7500-14999)	35	\$	2,120	\$	1,374.69	AWC Study Difference
AWC Average (pop 2500-7499)	45		934.38			\$ 8,096.30 annually \$ 674.69 monthly
						Union Comps Difference
						\$ 22,274.00 annually \$ 1,856.17 monthly

Union Comps	Population	General Fund Budget	Monthly Wage
<b>Prosser</b>	<b>6125</b>	<b>\$ 5,934,125</b>	<b>\$ 700</b>
Toppenish	9085	\$ 5,661,597	\$ 450
Ephrata	8190	\$ 4,232,580	\$ 500
College Place	9358	\$ 8,579,053	\$ 1,500
Clarkston	7407	\$ 4,118,905	\$ 600
Selah	8024	\$ 4,670,945	\$ 620
Othello	8099	\$ 6,439,003	\$ 11,667

**Union Comps Average** \$ 2,556  
excludes Othello in Average \$ 734

