



46 in conjunction, as a mayor, chief, common council, commission or otherwise, is  
47 or are vested by law at and prior to the taking effect of this law, with power and  
48 authority to select, appoint or employ any person coming within the purview of  
49 this chapter, and nothing herein contained shall infringe upon the power and  
50 authority of any such person or group of persons, or appointing power, to fix the  
51 salaries and compensation of all employees employed hereunder;(former I.C. §19-  
52 1-37.5-11(Acts 1972, P.L. 4, SEC.1)):

53 and

54 WHEREAS, the combined effect of the foregoing statutory provisions vests the authority  
55 to prescribe the compensation of members of the City Fire Department among the various ranks,  
56 and the authorized number of firefighters in each classification of service and in each rank within  
57 such classifications in the Common Council exercising its legislative power; and

58 WHEREAS, the Council previously enacted Ordinance No. 2013-05 on February 6, 2013  
59 which established authorized limits for the number of fire fighters of the City occupying certain  
60 ranks; and

61 WHEREAS, the Fire Administration of the City has now had an opportunity to operate  
62 under the terms of said Ordinance and has determined that the level of Lieutenants authorized in  
63 said Ordinance is not sufficient to provide for adequate and efficient management of the  
64 Department and has requested the Council to amend the Ordinance to increase the number of  
65 authorized Lieutenants from three (3) to six (6); and

66 WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed the request and finds that the number of  
67 Lieutenants authorized should be increased and desires to accomplish and authorize said increase  
68 through this Ordinance.

69 THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the COMMON COUNCIL of the CITY OF  
70 HOBART as follows:

71 *SECTION ONE.* Section One of Ordinance No. 2013-05 is hereby  
72 amended by striking out all of the language thereof and inserting in lieu thereof  
73 the following language:

74 Authorized Staffing Levels—Fire Suppression Service. The  
75 Council hereby reaffirms and restates that the Hobart Fire  
76 Department, Fire Suppression Service, consists of the following  
77 ranks in descending order below the position of Assistant Fire  
78 Chief, and above the base rank of Private Firefighter and specifies  
79 the authorized maximum number of places or positions within each  
80 such rank:

	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Number</i>
82	1. Battalion Chief	3
83	2. Captain	3
84	3. Lieutenant	6.

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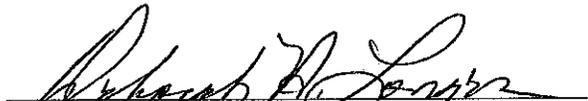
*SECTION TWO:* All other sections of Ordinance No. 2013-05 are affirmed.

*SECTION THREE:* This Ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption in the manner required by law.

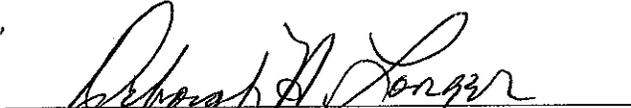
*SECTION FOUR:* All ordinances or portions thereof in effect prior to the effective date and in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

ALL OF WHICH is PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Hobart, Indiana on this 5th day of November, 2014.

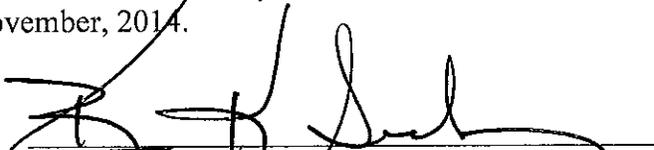
  
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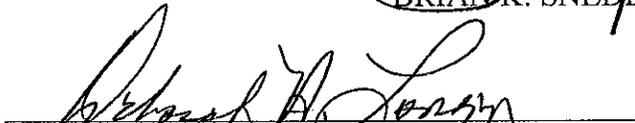
ATTEST:   
DEBORAH A. LONGER, Clerk-Treasurer

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Hobart on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014 at the hour of 7:00 pm.

  
DEBORAH A. LONGER, Clerk-Treasurer

APPROVED, EXECUTED and RETURNED by me to the Common Council of the City of Hobart on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

  
BRIAN K. SNEDECOR, Mayor

ATTEST:   
DEBORAH A. LONGER, Clerk-Treasurer