

ORDINANCE NO. 2007 - 108

**REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2006-95, APPOINTING KENNETH J. SCHNEIDER AS LAW DIRECTOR AND CONTRACTING WITH THE FIRM OF WOOD & LAMPING FOR LEGAL SERVICES**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, seven members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That Kenneth J. Schneider is hereby appointed as Law Director of the City of Mason effective July 1, 2007 at the rate of \$29,000.00 per annum payable monthly. Said services to be provided include preparation of all Ordinances and Resolutions, as well as attending City Council Meetings.

Section 2. That additional legal services, other than those services set out in Section 1 above are to be provided by the firm of Wood & Lamping, its partners, including Kenneth J. Schneider, its associates, paralegals and law clerks. Compensation for said additional legal services shall be at the rate of \$169.00 per hour. Further services rendered in connection with litigation and labor matters shall be performed at the rate of \$186.00 per hour. However, any services rendered for which the City is reimbursed shall be charged at the firm's standard hourly rates in effect at the time the services are rendered.

Section 3. That said annual compensation for the Law Director and the hourly rates for legal services shall be reviewed annually with an annual adjustment comparable to that provided for other administrative officials of the City.


Section 4. That the City of Mason hereby agrees to pay up to one half of the expenses for the Law Director or member of his firm, who regularly works on Mason matters, to attend semi-annual and annual meetings of the International Municipal Lawyers Association, in a total amount not to exceed \$750.00 annually.

Section 5. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period provided by law.

Passed this 16th day of July, 2007.

Attest:

  
Clerk of Council

  
Mayor