

ORDINANCE 2017-01

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 32.16 OF THE CITY OF FORT MITCHELL CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE FOR REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS TO BE SET BY ANNUAL ORDINANCE.

Whereas, KRS 83A.130(11) requires the City Council to set regular meeting dates by ordinance; and

Whereas, Section 32.16 of the City of Fort Mitchell Code of Ordinances sets a regular meeting schedule for the City Council; and

Whereas, the City Council's desired meeting schedule for 2017 does not comply with the existing schedule under Section 32.16, and the City Council has determined that it will be more efficient to set regular City Council meetings by annual ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF FORT MITCHELL, KENTUCKY:

SECTION I

Section 32.16(A) of the City of Fort Mitchell Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows. All other subsections remain unchanged:

§ 32.16 MEETINGS.

(A) The City Council shall hold regular meetings as set by ordinance. [~~a regular meeting on the first Monday of each and every month, and on the third Monday of the months of March, June, September and December. The regular meetings held in the months of March, June, September and December shall be Caucus Meetings, the purpose of which shall be to conduct more in-depth discussions and information-gathering relative to important issues facing the city and those issues that warrant special treatment. Ordinances may receive their first reading at Caucus Meetings, but voting on ordinances, municipal orders, resolutions and/or motions shall not be taken at Caucus Meetings unless that issue has been placed on the agenda of that meeting in advance. Should any of the meeting nights fall on a Federal, state, or city holiday, then that particular meeting shall not be held. Provided that if any regular meeting held on the first Monday of any month shall fall on a Federal, state or city holiday, then the City Council shall hold a regular meeting on the third Monday of that particular month. Notwithstanding any other provision herein, such meeting shall be a regular meeting of the City Council with the standard agenda rather than a Caucus meeting. The meetings shall be held at the City building which is located at Dixie Highway and Highland Avenue, Fort Mitchell, Kentucky 41017 commencing at 7:00 p.m., prevailing time.~~]

SECTION II

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, if any, hereby repealed.

SECTION III

The Provisions of this Ordinance are severable and the invalidity of any provision of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other provisions hereof, and such other provisions shall remain in full force and effect as long as they remain valid in the absence of that provision determined to be invalid.

SECTION IV

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law, and said publication may be in summary form.

CITY OF FORT MITCHELL, KENTUCKY

BY: 

Jude S. Hehman, Mayor

ATTEST:



Linda Carter Bartels, City Clerk

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