

**CITY OF FORT MITCHELL
KENTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY**

ORDINANCE 2025-06

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING A PROVISION OF CHAPTER 35 OF THE FORT
MITCHELL CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATING TO FORT MITCHELL FIRE
DEPARTMENT VOLUNTEER STIPENDS**

WHEREAS, the Fort Mitchell City Council has heretofore adopted an official ordinance related to stipends within the City;

WHEREAS, these ordinances are periodically reviewed and updated as needed.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF FORT MITCHELL,
COUNTY OF KENTON, COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION I

The following section of Chapter 35 of the Fort Mitchell Code of Ordinances is amended to read as follows:

§ 35.27 STIPEND.

A stipend shall be paid to eligible volunteers who are not employees of the Fort Mitchell Fire Department in accordance with the following schedule:

(A) An amount of \$15 per person per run completed by that person. In addition to the foregoing, a training stipend of \$5 will be paid to each member who attends and remains for the duration of any approved in-house Fire Department drill training sessions. To be eligible for the stipend volunteer personnel must have a minimum of ~~12~~ **24** hours of training per ~~quarter~~ **six-month stipend period** and be actively making response runs and conduct a minimum of 24 hours of station time per month.

(B) Volunteer fire and EMS shifts at the firehouse will receive \$2 for each hour of station time, the minimum shift shall be ~~six~~ **four** hours.

(C) A stipend of \$500 per person, per year shall be paid to each of the volunteer Assistant Fire Chiefs of the Fort Mitchell Fire Department on a \$125 per quarter basis: provided, however, that this sum shall not be paid if the volunteer Assistant Fire Chief does not attend at least 50% of the

weekly drill/training sessions for the previous quarter as well as at least 25% of the fire/EMS calls that require a Chief or Assistant Chief for the previous quarter as determined by the Fire Chief. In the event that any volunteer Assistant Fire Chief is ineligible for the stipend as provided in this section, he or she shall also be ineligible to possess any take-home vehicle issued by the city during the period of such ineligibility.

SECTION II

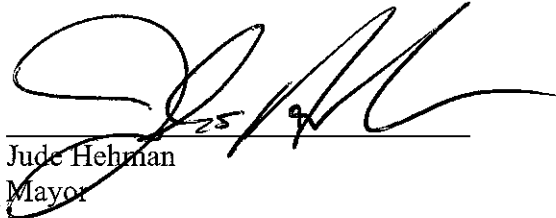
All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, if any, hereby repealed.

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.



Jude Hehman
Mayor

ATTEST:



Amy Guenther
City Clerk

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