

BILL NO. 72-23

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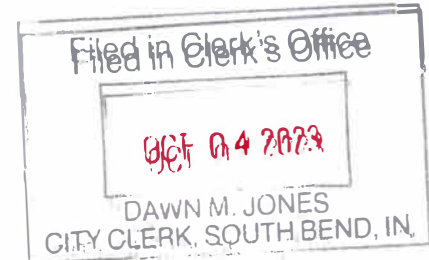
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October 4, 2023

South Bend Common Council
4th Floor, County-City Building
South Bend, IN 46601



**Re: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA SETTING THE ANNUAL
SALARY FOR THE COMMON COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR
CALENDAR YEAR 2024**

Dear Council Members:

I am attaching the proposed Common Council Salary Ordinance for filing. As you know, this ordinance is a part of the City budget which must be approved before November 1, 2023.

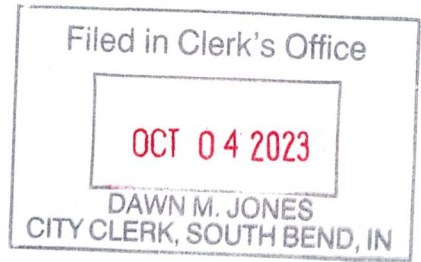
This ordinance proposes a 3% increase in Council members' salary from \$21,320 to \$21,960. This increase is in line with proposed increases for many other City employees.

In order to comply with the necessary three readings and public hearing, I ask that this be scheduled for first reading on October 9, 2023, and assigned to the Personnel and Finance Committee for second reading, followed by third reading and public hearing at the full Council meeting on October 23, 2023.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Sharon McBride, President,
South Bend Common Council



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ORDINANCE NO. 10986-23

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND,
INDIANA, SETTING THE ANNUAL SALARY FOR THE COMMON COUNCIL
MEMBERS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024**

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE AND INTENT

Pursuant to Indiana Code § 36-4-7-2, the City's legislative body is required to fix the annual compensation of all elected officers. Such compensation may "not be changed in the year for which it is fixed, nor may it be reduced below the amount fixed for the previous year."

The following Ordinance establishes the annual compensation for each member of the nine-member South Bend Common Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, as follows:

Section I. The annual compensation for each member of the Common Council of the City of South Bend in calendar year 2024 shall be and hereby is established as follows:

<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
\$21,320	\$21,960

Section II. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council, approval by the Mayor and any publication required by law.

Sharon McBride, Council President
South Bend Common Council

Attest:

Dawn M. Jones, City Clerk
Office of the City Clerk

Presented by me, the undersigned Clerk of the City of South Bend, to the Mayor of the City of South Bend, Indiana on the _____ day of _____, 2023, at _____ o'clock ____ . m.

Dawn M. Jones, City Clerk
Office of the City Clerk

Approved and signed by me on the _____ day of _____, 2023, at ____ o'clock ____ .m.

James Mueller, Mayor
City of South Bend, Indiana

