

CITY OF JEANNETTE
WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

BILL NO. 04-09

ORDINANCE NO. 04-10

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA SUPPLEMENTING THE CITY OF JEANNETTE POLICE PENSION PLAN, AS AMENDED AND RESTATED EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2000, TO PROVIDE AN INCREASED SERVICE INCREMENT BENEFIT PURSUANT TO 53 P.S. §39303 (b) (6) OF THE THIRD CLASS CITY CODE, BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 4, 2004 AND TERMINATING JANUARY 2, 2005.

WHEREAS, the City of Jeannette previously enacted Ordinance No. 59-22, effective December 27, 1959, establishing the City of Jeannette Police Pension Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Plan was totally amended and restated effective January 1, 2000 by the adoption of City of Jeannette Ordinance No. 00-10 by the Council of the City of Jeannette, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania on December 27, 2000; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid Amended and Restated Plan provides a Service Increment Benefit of a maximum of \$100.00 per month to eligible officers pursuant to §39303 (b) (1) and (b) (2) of the Third Class City Code (See 53 P.S. §39303 (b) (1) and (b) (2)); and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Jeannette desires to increase the Service Increment available to eligible City of Jeannette Police Officers pursuant to §39303 (b) (6) of the Third Class City Code (See 53 P.S. §39303 (b) (6)), from a maximum benefit of \$100.00 per month to a maximum benefit of \$500.00 per month for that time period referenced herein; and

provided therein, and multiplying the said number of years so computed by an amount equal to 1/40th of the retirement allowance which has become payable to such contributor in accordance with the provisions of this Plan and the provisions of the Third Class City Code establishing the availability of this benefit. In computing the Service Increment, no employment after the contributor has reached the age of 65 shall be included and no Service Increment shall be paid in excess of \$500.00 per month.

3. The eligibility for the aforesaid increase in Service Increment provided herein shall be limited to those individuals who are:

a. eligible for consideration for such Service Increment under the City of Jeannette Police Pension Plan referenced above; and

b. who are in good standing and in active service with the City of Jeannette Police Department or off work due to sickness or disability; and

c. who have submitted an *Application* Form requesting retirement on or before January 2, 2005, such form being filed with the City Clerk of the City of Jeannette on or before 3:00 p.m. on October 13, 2004.

4. No police officer who is on involuntary suspension or is subject to disciplinary proceedings shall be eligible for this benefit.

5. In adopting this supplement to the City of Jeannette Police Pension Ordinance, the Council of the City of Jeannette intends to create a “window” during which such *enhanced* retirement benefit may be *elected*. Accordingly, this Ordinance shall only be effective from its effective date set forth below to January 2, 2005, when it shall expire

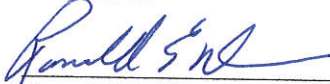
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by its own terms and without any further action of Jeannette City Council. Any police officer requesting the retirement benefit provided herein, must terminate his active duty from the City of Jeannette Police force during the effective date of this Ordinance.

THIS ORDINANCE IS DULY ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE AT A PUBLIC MEETING HELD THE 13th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2004, SHALL TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY AND SHALL EXPIRE, WITHOUT FURTHER ACTION OF COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, BY ITS OWN TERMS, ON JANUARY 2, 2005.

ATTEST:



Ronald E. Dinsmore, City Clerk

THE CITY OF JEANNETTE:



John J. Kistic, Mayor/President of Council