

Sponsor: Scott Rakos
6th District Councilman

ORDINANCE NO. 9546

22-13

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 8620, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR HAMMOND EMPLOYEES, PERTAINING TO THE ELIMINATION OF THE AFORESAID REQUIREMENT FOR HAMMOND POLICE AND FIRE

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Hammond passed Ordinance No. 8620 on November 15, 2004, in part requiring sworn members of the City of Hammond Police and Fire Departments to reside within the City for one (1) year after being hired; and

WHEREAS, due to the competitive salary and benefits of police and fire departments in nearby communities, the City of Hammond must make changes in order to maintain a strong and diverse police and fire workforce; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Hammond now wishes to amend Ordinance No. 8620 to eliminate the one (1) year residency requirement for sworn Hammond Police and Fire; and


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana that section 7 be stricken from Ordinance No. 8620 hereby eliminating the one (1) year residency requirement for City of Hammond police officers and firefighters.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Common Council, that the remaining provisions (Sections 1-6) of Ordinance No. 8620 remain unchanged and enforceable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Common Council, that this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon signing by the President of the Common Council and approval by the Mayor, and Publication as provided by law.

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POLICE AND FIRE**

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana this
28th day of March, 2022

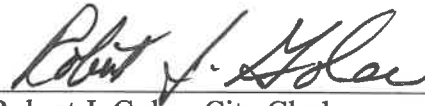


Dave Woerpel, President
Hammond Common Council

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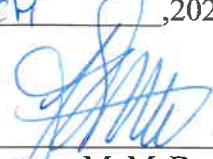

Robert J. Golec, City Clerk

PRESENTED BY ME, the undersigned City Clerk of the City of Hammond to the Mayor
of said City for his approval on the 30th day of March, 2022.




Robert J. Golec, City Clerk
City of Hammond, Indiana

The foregoing Ordinance No. 9546 consisting of two (2) typewritten pages, including
this page and Exhibit A, was APPROVED AND SIGNED BY ME, the undersigned Mayor of
the City of Hammond, Indiana on this 31st day of MARCH, 2022.



Thomas M. McDermott, Jr., Mayor
City of Hammond, Indiana

PASSED by the Common Council on the 28th day of March, 2022 and
APPROVED by the Mayor on the 31st day of MARCH, 2022.



Robert J. Golec, City Clerk
City of Hammond, Indiana