

**CITY OF INDIAN HILLS
ORDINANCE NO. 8, Series 2018**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING INDIAN HILLS CODIFIED ORDINANCE CHAPTER 2.40
(ORDINANCE NO. 99-11) PROVIDING FOR CHANGES TO THE OFFICE OF CITY POLICE CHIEF**

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Indian Hills City Council, and in the best interest of the City of Indian Hills, Kentucky, to utilize the authority granted in KRS 83A.060(3) to amend city ordinances and further to ensure compliance with ordinances in force within the City of Indian Hills, and

WHEREAS, City of Indian Hills Codified Ordinance Chapter 2.40 (Ord. No. 99-11) should be amended to reflect changes made to the office of the City Police Chief of Indian Hills and those specific sections amended are to be herewith set out in full.

~~[WHEREAS, the Indian Hills Police Department for the City of Indian Hills-Country Club has existed for many years, and]~~

~~[WHEREAS, it is the desire of Indian Hills to continue said police department, retaining all seniority, pensions, appointments, and structure as existed in the department of Indian Hills-Country Club, and]~~

~~[WHEREAS, this ordinance will ratify and confirm the existence and uninterrupted continuity of the police department, now therefore,]~~

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF INDIAN HILLS:

SECTION 1. City of Indian Hills Codified Ordinance Chapter 2.40 (Ord. No. 99-11) is hereby amended to reflect changes made to the office of the City Police Chief of Indian Hills. The specific sections amended are herewith set out in full.

1. There is hereby continued the already established Police Department which heretofore served Indian Hills-Country Club, which shall be responsible for enforcement and maintenance of law and order within the newly established corporate boundaries of the City in accordance with policies and guidelines established by the City Council.
2. There is hereby created and confirmed the office of Chief of Police of the City.
 - a. The powers and duties of the Chief of Police are hereby established as follows:
 - (1) Plans, organizes, directs, coordinates, and evaluates the activities and programs of the Police Department.
 - (2) Formulates department policies and procedures, rules and regulations following consultation with higher authority and subordinate officers.
 - (3) Develops organizational structure of the department in accordance with professional standards and City policy.
 - (4) Prepares and authorizes work schedules.
 - (5) Furnishes technical advice on police problems.

- (6) Maintains constant surveillance of criminal and traffic reports in addition to activity reports.
 - (7) Initiates corrective action when and where necessarily indicated.
 - (8) Supervises and evaluates the use of police equipment.
 - (9) Instructs, disciplines, and evaluates department personnel.
 - (10) Reviews and recommends acceptable standards and procedures for the recruitment, selection, promotion, and training of department personnel.
 - (11) Authorizes purchases, requisitions of supplies and equipment for the Department.
 - (12) Confers with representatives of Federal, State and local agencies on various police problems.
 - (13) Prepares memoranda and reports on activities of the department, orally and in writing, and supervises others in the preparation of reports.
 - (14) Attends all Council meetings.
 - (15) Receives complaints from the general public.
 - (16) Studies and reviews all laws, official opinions, and guidelines.
 - (17) Maintains a proper record system pertaining to citations, arrest, and investigations.
 - (18) Participates in approved law enforcement courses and schedules subordinates for such training.
 - (19) Represents the department as needed.
 - (20) Develops and conducts an effective public relations program.
- b. The c[G]ompensation for this office shall be paid in an amount [no less than \$40,000 nor more than \$60,000 as set] as established by the City Council pursuant to KRS 83A.080. Bonuses and extra compensation may be paid to the Police Chief for services rendered. Such a determination to pay bonuses and extra compensation to the Police Chief for services rendered shall be made by the City Council and shall become part of the fixed compensation of the Police Chief subject to the decision of the City Council to appropriate the funds set forth in the annual budget ordinance of the City of Indian Hills.
 - c. The Chief of Police shall report to the Mayor and City Council.
 - d. The Chief of Police shall, before entering upon his duties, take the oath of office as provided in Kentucky Constitution, Section 228.
- 3. There is hereby created the office of police officer of the City of Indian Hills.
 - a. Qualifications for members of the Police Department shall be such as are set forth in the Kentucky Revised Statutes.

- b. All police officers shall be subject to removal from office at the pleasure of the Mayor or City Council, subject to rights guaranteed to such officers by law.
- c. A police officer shall, before entering upon his/her duties, take the oath of office as provided in Kentucky Constitution, Section 228.

4. The City may procure or provide security or police services deemed necessary through any lawful means, such as interlocal government contacting or contracted services of qualified police. Qualifications for police shall be those as are set forth in Kentucky Revised Statutes.

~~[5. This Ordinance shall take effect on December 20, 1999].~~

~~[6. An emergency is hereby found to exist by reason of the necessity to establish offices for the merged city to conduct business, and the City Council hereby suspends the requirements of a second reading and publication, provided this ordinance shall be published by summary or in full within ten (10) days of its enactment.]~~

~~[Enacted this 20th day of December, 1999, by vote of two thirds or more of the City Council.]~~

SECTION 2. Severability. The provisions of this ordinance shall be considered severable. If any provisions of this ordinance is found to be invalid, that finding shall not necessarily invalidate the entire ordinance.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective after passage, approval and publication as required by law.

First Reading: 8/16/2018

Second Reading: 9/20/2018

Passed and Approved: 9/20/2018

ENTERED THIS 20th DAY OF September 2018.

Introduced by:

Attest:

Chip Hancock, Mayor

Donna M. Sinkhorn, City Clerk

<u>Council</u>	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	
<u>Ms. Carroll</u>	___	___	Absent
<u>Mr. Doheny</u>	<u>X</u>	___	
<u>Ms. Dunbar</u>	<u>X</u>	___	
<u>Mr. Garlove</u>	___	___	Absent
<u>Mr. Giesel</u>	<u>X</u>	___	
<u>Mr. Gries</u>	<u>X</u>	___	
<u>Mr. Gruebbel</u>	<u>X</u>	___	
<u>Mr. Kron</u>	___	___	Absent
<u>Ms. Zinniel</u>	<u>X</u>	___	