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ORDINANCE NO. 12602

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AN INTERIM BUDGET AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE USUAL AND ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT FOR THE MONTHS OF JULY, AUGUST, AND, SEPTEMBER 2012, PENDING THE ADOPTION OF THE 2012-2013 ANNUAL BUDGET.

WHEREAS, The City Council, for reasons beyond its control, may not be able to enact an annual budget prior to July 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, In order that the City may provide for the operation of the various departments, agencies, commissions, boards and divisions of the City government until such time as the annual Budget Ordinance is passed and tax rate fixed, it is necessary that an Interim Budget be adopted for the months of July, August, and September, 2012.

NOW, THEREFORE,

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, That there be and is hereby appropriated to the various departments, agencies, commissions, boards and divisions of the City government for the months of July, August, and September, 2012, to be used for the payment of salaries, wages, and the usual ordinary expenses of the City government, including interest on and principal of all Bonds maturing between the beginning of the fiscal year 2012-2013 and the adoption of the annual Budget and appropriation Ordinance, an amount not to exceed one-twelfth (1/12), for each of said months, of the amount appropriated to the various departments, agencies, commissions, boards and divisions of the City government in the annual Budget and appropriation Ordinance No. 12523 of 2011-2012. The amount expended from the above appropriation shall be charged

against the appropriation to the various departments, agencies, commissions, boards and divisions in the annual Budget Ordinance for the fiscal year 2012-2013.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That the provisions of Section 4 of Ordinance No. 12523 (being the 2011-2012 Budget Ordinance) be and is hereby adopted by reference to the extent now in force and effect under statutes of the State of Tennessee. Further, the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated § 67-4-701 as amended, to the extent applicable to municipalities, be and are hereby adopted by reference; and all of the aforesaid are made a part of this Interim Budget Ordinance.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That if any section, sentence or word of this Ordinance should be declared invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the remaining sentences, sections or words of this Ordinance, but the same shall remain in full force and effect.

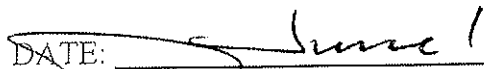
SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately after final passage.

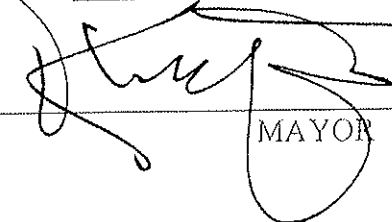
PASSED on Second and Final Reading

May 29, 2012.

S/ 
CHAIRPERSON

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