

TITLE 1 CHAPTER 5

CITY COUNCIL

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1-5-1: **MEMBERSHIP OF COUNCIL:** The Council of the City shall consist of four (4) members who shall be qualified electors of the City under the Constitution and laws of the State of Idaho.

1-5-2: **MEETINGS:**

(A) Regular Meetings: The Council shall meet regularly at seven o'clock (7:00) p.m. year round on the first Tuesday of each and every month, at the City Hall, Albion, Idaho.

(B) Special Meetings: The Mayor or any three (3) Councilpersons shall have power to call special meetings of the City Council, the object of which shall be submitted to the Council in writing, and the call, and object, as well as the disposition thereof shall be entered upon the minute record of the Council of the City Clerk.

1-5-3: **SALARY:** Commencing on and after January 1, 1994 the monthly salary to be paid by the City to each member of the City Council is the sum of \$35.00 per month.

1-5-4: **PUBLICATION OF REPORTS AND STATEMENTS:** For the purpose of causing the reports and statements of officers of the City, as required by law and ordinances of the City, to be published, the City Council shall make such provisions as may be necessary to carry into effect the requirements of the law of the State and the ordinances of the City as to publication of reports and statements.

1-5-5: **ORDINANCE PASSAGE PROCEDURE:**

(A) Presentment of Ordinances: All ordinances shall be written or printed and presented to the Council by a member at regular or special meeting.

(B) Manner of Passing: Every such ordinances shall be read at length in meetings of the Council on three (3) different days. At each reading of an ordinance it shall be open to discussion and amendment and may be referred to a committee, and shall be passed to the next reading, unless some other disposition is made of it by a vote of the Council. On final passage the disposition is made of it by a vote of the Council. On final passage the Ayeas@ and the Anays@ shall be called and recorded and a concurrence of a majority of all the members elected to the Council shall be required for its passage. Provided, that three (3) of the members of the full Council may dispense with the three (3) readings and pass the ordinance at any meeting.

(C) Endorsement After Passage: When such ordinances is passed it shall be signed by the Clerk, and the date of its passage by the Council shall be added thereto, and within three (3) days thereafter it shall be presented to the Mayor, or in case of the Mayor=s absence from the City, to the President of the Council for the President=s consideration. If the Mayor approves the same, they shall attach their signature thereto, together with the date of such approval.

(D) Veto by Mayor: Passage Over Mayor=s Veto; Certificate: Should the Mayor not approve the ordinance, he/she shall return the same to the Council with his/her objections to the same in writing on or before the date of the next regular meeting after the same was presented to him/her. When an ordinance is so returned by the Mayor, the Council shall proceed to reconsider the same. Any ordinance vetoed by the Mayor may be passed over his/her veto by a vote of one-half plus one (2 +1) of the members of the full Council.

When any ordinance has been passed over the Mayor=s veto, as provided in this subsection, the City Clerk shall annex a certificate to the ordinance stating that the same was vetoed by the Mayor, giving the date or such veto, and that on its reconsideration by the Council it received the required vote of the members of the full Council, together with the date of such action.

(E) Ordinance Becoming Law Without Mayor=s Signature; Certificate: Should the Mayor refuse or neglect to sign any such ordinance and return the same with his/her objections in writing on or before the date of the next regular meeting after the same was submitted to him/her, it shall become a law without his/her signature.

When any ordinance has become a law without the signature of the Mayor, as provided in this subsection, the City Clerk shall annex a certificate to the ordinance stating that the same became law on the date of the next regular meeting after such ordinance was presented to the Mayor as a result of the Mayor=s refusal or neglect to sign such ordinance or veto the same.

(F) When Ordinance Passed: An ordinance shall be considered passed on the date of its approval by the Mayor, and incase of the Mayor vetoing an ordinance, on the date of the passage of such ordinance over his/her veto, and in the case of the failure of the Mayor to sign or veto an ordinance, on the date of the next regular meeting after such ordinance was presented to him/her.

(G) Effective Date: All ordinances, unless otherwise provided in such ordinance, shall take effect and be in force from and after their passage, approval and publication. Publication shall be made by being inserted in one issue of the official newspaper of the City.

(H) Preserving and Recording of Ordinances: It shall be the duty of the City Clerk to safely preserve the original ordinances and when passed and approved to record the same in a book provided for that purpose, said book to be designated as, AORDINANCE BOOK, CITY OF ALBION@. The City Clerk shall attach a certificate to each ordinance, so recorded, to the effect that the same is a true and correct copy of the original ordinance as passed.