

BOROUGH OF BELLEVUE

COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 17-05

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BELLEVUE TO SUPPLEMENT THE **FIREFIIGHTERS PENSION PLAN FOR FULL-TIME FIREFIGHTER EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF BELLEVUE.**

The Firefighter Pension Plan of the Borough of Bellevue, which was established pursuant to and in accordance with the Act of February 1st, 1966, P. L. 1656, No. 581, as amended, and then separately set forth in Ordinance No. 12-22, for the benefit of the Borough's full-time firefighter employees, shall be, and hereby is, amended and supplemented in the following respects.

WHEREAS, the Borough of Bellevue maintains a Firefighters Pension Plan pursuant to an in accordance with Ordinance No. 12-22; and

WHEREAS, the Act 111 Interest Arbitration Award issued by Arbitrator William J. Miller, Jr., Esq., on August 11, 2016 required that a pre-retirement death benefit shall be provided to a surviving spouse upon the death of a Participant who is fully vested in the Firefighter Pension Plan.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Town Council of the Borough of Bellevue, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, and it is HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED with the Authority of Town Council as follows:

Section 4.5, "Death Benefit" in Article IV of the Firefighters Pension Plan is repealed and replaced with a new Section 4.5 that states:

4.5 Death Benefit

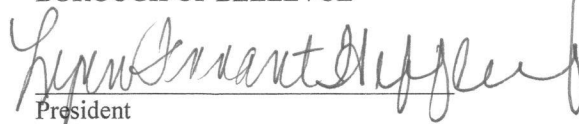
Upon the death of a Participant who is fully vested with a deferred vested retirement benefit payable, a benefit in the amount of one-half (1/2) of the member's Accrued Benefit as of the date of the member's death shall be provided to the surviving spouse. Death benefits under this section shall be payable and commence on the first day of the month coincident or next following the date that would have been the Participant's Normal Retirement Date or, if the Participant was eligible for Normal Retirement at the date of death, whichever is later. Benefits shall cease with the last payment due immediately preceding the spouse's death or remarriage, whichever occurs first. A Participant's eligible spouse is the person married to and living with the Participant at the time of his death. If benefits are paid under this section, no other benefits shall be paid from the Plan on account of the death of the Participant, including, but not limited to a return of contributions.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED this 25th day of April, 2017.

ATTEST:



BOROUGH OF BELLEVUE



President

Bellevue Borough Town Council