

ORDINANCE #1260

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LANSING, MICHIGAN, TO AMEND THE LANSING CODIFIED ORDINANCES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 294 SECTION 294.02(d), TO ELIMINATE THE REQUIREMENT THAT THE CITY ATTORNEY SHALL BE THE LEGAL ADVISOR TO THE POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD.

THE CITY OF LANSING ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Chapter 294, Section 294.02(d), of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Lansing, Michigan be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

(d) *Officers.* The officers of the retirement system shall be as follows:

(1) The Director of Finance shall be the secretary to the Board of Trustees, and he or she shall serve as the administrative officer of the retirement system.

(2) The City Treasurer shall be treasurer of the retirement system, and he or she shall be the custodian of its funds.

(3) The City Attorney ~~shall~~ MAY be the legal advisor to the Board.

(4) The Board shall appoint an actuary who shall be the technical advisor to the Board on matters regarding the operation of the retirement system, and such actuary shall perform such other duties as are required of him or her under this chapter.

(5) The Board shall appoint as Medical Director to a physician who is not eligible to participate in the retirement system as a member, retiree or beneficiary. The Medical Director shall be directly responsible to and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board. He or she shall arrange for and pass upon all medical examinations required under this chapter, investigate all essential statements of a medical nature made by or on behalf of a member or retiree in connection with a claim for benefits and report in writing to the Board his or her conclusions and recommendations on medical matter referred to him or her by the Board.

(6) Nothing in this subsection shall prohibit the Board of Trustees from hiring professional services deemed necessary to fulfill its fiduciary responsibilities.

Section 2. All ordinances, resolutions or rules, parts of ordinances, resolutions or rules inconsistent with the provisions are repealed.

Section 3. Should any section, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect on the 30th day after enactment, unless given immediate effect by City Council, and shall expire May 21, 2029.