RESOLUTION NO 24-32

WHEREAS the Astoria City Charter of 1997 was adopted by qualified votes in the General Election held November 4, 1997.

WHEREAS Section 6.2 the Astoria City Charter of 1997 provides that the Mayor shall receive compensation of \$100.00 per month and each Councilor \$60.00 per month.

WHEREAS the City Council believes that the qualified voters of the City of Astoria should be able to determine whether it is in the City's best interest to provide periodic review of compensation for the City Council by the appointed members of the Astoria Budget Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF ASTORIA:

Section 1. Amendment of Charter.

The following question should be referred to the qualified electors of the City of Astoria:

"Should Section 6.2 of the Astoria City Charter of 1997 be amended to read as follows:

Section 6.2 Compensation

Compensation for City Council members shall be reviewed and set by the appointed members of the Astoria Budget Committee during the annual budget cycle. The Council shall set the amount of compensation for the City Manager, City Attorney, and Municipal Judge; and shall annually approve a compensation plan for City employees.

Section 2 Ballot Title

The City Attorney is directed to prepare a ballot title for this referral and deliver it to the City elections official for publication as required by law.

ADOPTED BY	THE CITY COUNCI	L THIS _	5	DAY OF	August, 2024
ADOPTED B	Y THE MAYOR THIS	5	_ DAY OF	August	2024.
			May	/or	
ATTEST: City Manager					
ROLL CALL C	N ADOPTION	YEA	NA	Y	ABSENT
Councilor	Davis Brownson Adams Hilton Mayor Fitzpatrick	× × × ×			