

**PRIVATE CHAPTER NO. 88**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 4243**

**By Representative Fincher**

**Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 4243**

**By Senator Burks**

AN ACT to amend Chapter 35 of the Private Acts of 1915; as amended by Chapter 109 of the Private Acts of 1989; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the charter of the Town of Baxter.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 35 of the Private Acts of 1915, as amended by Chapter 109 of the Private Acts of 1989, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting Article IX in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

ARTICLE IX. Salaries and Fees.

Section 1. Salary of mayor. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the mayor shall receive a salary of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) per year, one hundred dollars (\$100) for each regular meeting, and fifty dollars (\$50) for each special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Alderman that the mayor attends or such other amount to be determined by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Section 2. Salary of Aldermen. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Aldermen shall receive one hundred dollars (\$100) for each regular meeting and fifty dollars (\$50) for each special meeting of the Board of Mayor and Alderman that an alderman attends or such other amount to be determined by Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

Section 3. Salary of city recorder. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the City Recorder shall receive a salary of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000) or such other amount to be determined by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this act shall be construed as having the effect of altering the salary of any incumbent prior to the end of the term for which such public officer was elected.

SECTION 3. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Baxter. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of such legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 3.

**PASSED: April 24, 2008**

  
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JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
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RON RAMSEY, SPEAKER  
SENATE OF THE SENATE

**APPROVED this 6th day of May 2008**

  
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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR