



NORWOOD, OHIO

Ordinance No. 2 20 16

**ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 137.01 ASSISTANT LAW DIRECTOR, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

**WHEREAS**, Norwood City Council desires to amend Section 137.01, Assistant Law Director, by confirming that the position of Assistant Law Director remains a full-time position but by eliminating the prohibition of the Assistant from engaging in any private practice of law during his or her tenure; and

**WHEREAS**, Norwood City Council recognizes that it would be unfair to prohibit an Assistant Law Director from engaging in any private practice of law, including pro bono publico representations of clients, such as non-profit and charitable organizations, when there is no similar prohibition against any other full-time employee of the City of Norwood from what vocation any other full-time employee may pursue during his or her off-duty hours; now therefore,

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Norwood, State of Ohio, that:

**SECTION 1.** Section 137.01 of the Norwood Codified Ordinances is hereby amended to state, in its entirety:

“The position of Assistant Law Director is hereby declared a full-time position.”

**SECTION 2.** Subsection (b) of Section 137.01 of the Norwood Codified Ordinances, and each portion of Ordinance 12-1984, passed March 27, 1984, which is inconsistent with Section 1 above, is hereby repealed.


**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance is hereby declared an emergency. The reason for said emergency is the need to proceed forthwith.

PASSED 1/12/16  
Date


  
Donna M. Laake  
President of Council

**ATTEST:**

Joseph S. Geers, the duly appointed Clerk of Council, attests that this ordinance was passed at a regular/special meeting of Norwood City Council on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016 in compliance with the rules of Norwood City Council and the laws of the State of Ohio. The foregoing ordinance was submitted to the Mayor of the City of Norwood, Ohio for his signature on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

  
Joseph S. Geers  
Clerk of Council

APPROVED 1/12/16  
Date

  
Thomas F. Williams  
Mayor

**CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION:**

Joseph S. Geers, the duly appointed Clerk of Council, attests that this ordinance was published in the Evansville on 1/24/16 and 1/29/16.  
(Name of Newspaper) (date) (date)

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Joseph S. Geers  
Clerk of Council

1<sup>st</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

3<sup>rd</sup> Reading \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

All 3 Readings 1/12/16  
Date

Tabled \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Vetoed \_\_\_\_\_  
Date