

RESOLUTION NO. 326

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADMINISTRATIVE/EXECUTIVE
SUPPLEMENTAL COMPENSATION FOR ADDITIONAL WORKLOAD DURING
BUDGET YEAR 2013-2014

WHEREAS, the Town Council as part of its annual budgetary resolution determines, in accordance with MCA 7-4-4201, the monthly honorariums for the Mayor and Town Council members; and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Mayor as chief executive officer of the Town to execute the town budget adopted by the council; and

WHEREAS, it is also the duty of the Mayor to administer the affairs of the town government and to execute all bonds, notes, contracts, and written obligations of the town, in accordance with MCA 7-3-203; and

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 town budget includes executing contracts for several million dollars' worth of capital improvement projects – specifically \$2.7 million in water Improvements and \$800,000 in sewer improvements – in addition to the planning work for a \$2.3 million upgrade to the wastewater treatment plan; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor's honorarium of \$400 per month is inadequate, considering the Mayor's responsibilities for the aforementioned budgeted projects; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the current Mayor spends in excess of 60 additional hours each month supervising and administering these projects and contracts, over and above the normal duties of a municipal mayor; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor's direct supervision of these major projects, protects the town's interest and saves the town the cost of hiring outside project management.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Stevensville Town Council that the Mayor be provided, in addition to the honorarium, supplemental compensation for the current 2013-2014 budget year in the amount of \$1,200 per month for the additional workload referenced herein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this supplemental compensation is not intended to permanently increase the \$400 monthly honorarium for the Mayor, but will be reviewed on an annual basis based upon the projected workload involving major spending projects and programs of the town.

Passed and adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Stevensville, Montana, this 12th day of December, 2013.

Approved:



Bill Perrin, Council President

Attest:



Stacy Bartlett, Town Clerk