

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 4489**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
PERRIS, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF  
CALIFORNIA, SETTING FORTH AN HOURLY RATE FOR  
ELECTION SERVICES PERFORMED BY THE ELECTED  
CITY CLERK**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to government Code Section 36517 the City Council of the City of Perris (“City Council”) has the authority to establish the compensation of the Elected City Clerk (“Clerk”) by resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution Number 4137, adopted by the City Council on July 8, 2008, the City Council has the authority to set an hourly rate for duties performed by the Clerk as set forth in the Elections Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is experiencing an economic downturn and in light of this the City has enacted a hiring freeze, so is currently unable to recruit and fill the now vacant position of the Deputy City Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council recognizes that the Clerk has received the designation of Certified Municipal Clerk and is qualified to perform the duties that would have otherwise been performed by the Deputy City Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council wishes to set such hourly rate as compensation for the performance of Election Services by the Clerk;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Perris, California that the hourly rate set for the performance of Election Services shall be as follows:

**Section 1.** The Clerk shall receive the following compensation:

**A. Hourly Rate.** The hourly rate shall be \$50.00 for election services, in addition to the monthly stipend received by the Clerk, which is currently \$1400.00 per month for performance of the statutory duties set forth in Perris Municipal Code Chapter 2.09.

**B. Temporary Compensation.** The hourly compensation set forth herein for performing Election Services is temporary and necessary during this time of economic downturn and in the absence of a qualified Deputy City Clerk. The hourly compensation shall commence on July 1, 2012 and terminate on December 11, 2012 unless a recount is requested. If a recount is requested then the hourly rate shall continue until such time as the recount is finalized. In the alternative the hourly rate shall terminate automatically 30 Days after the City hires a qualified

Deputy City Clerk or at such time as the Clerk no longer possesses the necessary certifications and/or qualifications to perform such duties, without further action by the City Council. The temporary compensation provided for herein is intended only to compensate the Clerk for performing duties that would otherwise be performed by a qualified Deputy City Clerk, and shall not be construed to have any effect on the Clerk's status as an elected official, or to expand or limit the Clerk's duties set forth in Perris Municipal code Chapter 2.09.

The Mayor shall sign this Resolution and the City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this Resolution.

**ADOPTED, SIGNED** and **APPROVED** this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012

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Mayor, Daryl R. Busch

ATTEST:

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City Clerk, Judy L. Haughney, CMC

STATE OF CALIFORNIA    )  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE    ) §  
CITY OF PERRIS            )

I, Judy L. Haughney, CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution Number 4489 was duly and regularly adopted by the City Council of the City of Perris at a regular meeting thereof held the 10th day of April, 2012 and that it was so adopted by the following called vote:

AYES:            YARBROUGH, LANDERS, EVANS, ROGERS, BUSCH  
NOES:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

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City Clerk, Judy L. Haughney, CMC