

ORDINANCE NO. 2874

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY APPROVING A BUDGET AMENDMENT OF THE FY2024 GENERAL FUND BUDGET TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS REQUIRED FOR LEGAL SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury is requiring services of a special counsel for labor training and negotiations; and

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury has determined an additional \$125,000 will be required for these services; and

WHEREAS, the appropriations necessary to execute the appropriation of \$125,000 as provided hereinabove, must be made upon the recommendation of the Mayor and the approval of four-fifths of the Council of the City of Salisbury.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND, as follows:

Section 1. Mayor Randolph J. Taylor is hereby authorized to appropriate funds for special counsel services in the amount of \$125,000.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND, as follows:

Section 2. The City of Salisbury’s FY24 General Fund Budget be and hereby is amended as follows:

Increase (decrease)	Account Type	Account	Description	Amount
Increase	Revenue	01000-469810	Current Year Surplus	\$125,000
Increase	Expenditure	17000-513302	Other City Attorney	\$125,000

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND, as follows:

Section 3. It is the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury that each provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed independent of all other provisions herein.

Section 4. It is further the intention of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury that if any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable under applicable Maryland or federal law, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision so adjudged and all other provisions of this Ordinance shall remain and shall be deemed valid and enforceable.

Section 5. The recitals set forth hereinabove are incorporated into this section of the Ordinance as if such recitals were specifically set forth at length in this Section 5.


Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its final passage.

THIS ORDINANCE was introduced and read at a Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 20th day of May, 2024 and thereafter, a statement of the substance of the Ordinance having been published as required by law, in the meantime, was finally passed by the Council of the City of Salisbury on the 3rd day of June, 2024.

ATTEST:

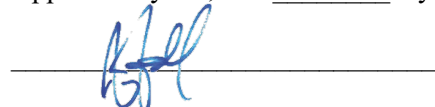


Kimberly R. Nichols, City Clerk



D'Shawn M. Doughty, City Council President

Approved by me, this 12 day of June, 2024.



Randolph J. Taylor, Mayor



City of Salisbury

TO: City Council
FROM: Andy Kitzrow
DEPT: Mayor's Office
DATE: 5/1/24
SUBJECT: Budget Amendment – Special Counsel for Labor Relations

Saul Ewing (Daniel Altcheck) was selected to represent the City of Salisbury negotiations with the three bargaining units. The City Council approved an initial allocation of \$50,000 for these services via Budget Amendment Ordinance 2823.

Now that we have finalized our agreements and concluded negotiations, the projected total cost for these services is \$175,000. We are seeking an additional \$125,000 for account 17000-513302 (Other Attorney) to fulfill our obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.