

**CITY OF BROKEN BOW
ORDINANCE NO. 1255**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BROKEN BOW, CUSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA, AMENDING SECTION 31.03: MERGER OF OFFICES; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND PROVIDING A TIME WHEN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BROKEN BOW, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. That Section 31.03 of the Municipal Code be amended to read as follows:

§ 31.03 MERGER OF OFFICES.

(A) The City Council may, at its discretion, by ordinance combine and merge any elective or appointive office or employment or any combination of duties of any offices or employments, except Mayor and Council member, with any other elective or appointive office or employment so that one or more of the offices or employments or any combination of duties of any offices or employments may be held by the same officer or employee at the same time.

(B) The offices or employments so merged and combined shall always be construed to be separate and the effect of the combination or merger shall be limited to a consolidation of official duties only.

(C) The salary or compensation of the officer or employee holding the merged and combined offices or employments or offices and employments shall not be in excess of the maximum amount provided by law for the salary or compensation of the office, offices, employment or employments so merged and combined.

(D) For the purposes of this section, volunteer firefighters and ambulance service drivers shall not be considered officers.

(E) ~~The statutory offices of the City Clerk and the City Treasurer are hereby merged and combined into one office which shall be entitled City Clerk-Treasurer. The appointee to said office shall fulfill all of the duties of the offices of the City Clerk and City Treasurer as provided by statute and shall be entitled to all the benefits derived therefrom.~~

(F) The offices of the Overseer of Streets and the Park Superintendent are hereby merged and combined into one office which shall be entitled Overseer of Streets and Parks. The appointee to said office shall fulfill all of the duties of the offices of the Overseer of Streets and Park Superintendent and shall be entitled to all the benefits derived therefrom.

(G) ~~The offices of the Deputy Clerk and the City Treasurer hereby merged and combined into one office which shall be entitled Deputy City Clerk-Treasurer. The appointee to said office shall fulfill all of the duties of the offices of the Deputy City Clerk and City Treasurer as provided by statute and shall be entitled to all the benefits derived therefrom.~~

(H) The offices of Deputy Clerk and City Treasurer are hereby separated. The appointee(s) to said offices shall fulfill all the duties of the offices of Deputy Clerk and/or City Treasurer as provided by statute and shall be entitled to all the benefits derived therefrom.

Section 1. That Section 31.15 be added to the Municipal Code and read as follows:

§ 31.15 UTILITY CLERK

(I) The Mayor may appoint a Utility Clerk, the appointee to said office shall fulfill all of the duties of the offices of the Utility Clerk as provided by statute and shall be entitled to all the benefits derived therefrom as set by statute, ordinance, and resolution.

(Neb. Rev. Stat. 17-604)

(2) This division (I) shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval as required by law and shall be published in pamphlet form.

Statutory reference:

Related provisions, see Neb. RS 17-108.02

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed and approved this 22 day of March 2022.



Rod Sonnichsen, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kandi K. Peters, City Clerk

