

ORDINANCE NUMBER O- 20498 (NEW SERIES)

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JUN 02 2015

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
SAN DIEGO REGARDING THE COMPENSATION OF THE
CITY AUDITOR.

WHEREAS, on April 14, 2009, in accordance with San Diego Charter (Charter) section 39.2, the San Diego City Council (Council) confirmed the appointment of Eduardo Luna as the City Auditor; and

WHEREAS, under Charter section 39.1, the Audit Committee recommends the annual compensation of the City Auditor to the Council; and

WHEREAS, under Charter section 70, the Council has the power to fix the salaries of "officers under its jurisdiction," including the City Auditor; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Charter section 11.1, the Council annually adopts an ordinance establishing salaries for all City employees; and

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2015, the Council adopted the City's Salary Ordinance for Fiscal Year 2016, by San Diego Ordinance O-20484, and this Ordinance includes ranges of compensation for officers and employees in the classification of Executive IV of the Unclassified Service, which includes the City Auditor; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting on April 29, 2015, in accordance with Council Policy 300-04, the Personnel Director provided the Audit Committee with a report on salary data relating to the position of City Auditor, including salary information for comparable positions in other agencies; and

WHEREAS, as described in Council Policy 300-04, the Council must consider efficiency, responsibility, merit, salaries paid by other agencies, and the City's financial situation, when setting the salary for the City Auditor; and

WHEREAS, on April 29, 2015, based on the information presented by the Personnel Director, the City Auditor's increased responsibilities, the expansion of auditing staff, the complexity of audits performed, and the City's improved financial position, the Audit Committee recommended that the Council increase the City Auditor's salary to \$180,000 plus fringe benefits; and

WHEREAS, under Charter section 280(a)(1), this Ordinance, setting the City Auditor's salary, is not subject to veto by the Mayor because this matter is exclusively within the purview of the Council and not affecting the administrative service of the City under the control of the Mayor; NOW, THEREFORE,

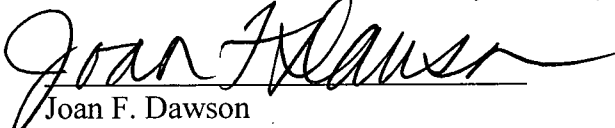
BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. Upon the effective date of this Ordinance, the annual salary of the City Auditor is set at \$180,000 plus fringe benefits, consistent with those benefits received by officers and employees in the Executive IV classification of the Unclassified Service, as established by the Council, by adopting San Diego Ordinance O-20484, on April 21, 2015.

Section 2. That a full reading of this Ordinance is dispensed with prior to passage, a written copy having been made available to the Council and the public prior to the day of its passage.

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth day from
and after its final passage.


APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By 
Joan F. Dawson
Deputy City Attorney

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May 14, 2015 CORR. COPY
May 5, 2015
Or.Dept: Audit Committee
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I certify that this Ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting
of JUN 02 2015.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUN 02 2015, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Sherri Lightner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lorie Zapf	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Gloria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Myrtle Cole	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Kersey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chris Cate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scott Sherman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
David Alvarez	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marti Emerald	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage JUN 02 2015

AUTHENTICATED BY:

KEVIN L. FAULCONER
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By Mary Hernandez, Deputy

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was not finally passed until twelve calendar days had elapsed between the day of its introduction and the day of its final passage, to wit, on

MAY 19 2015

, and on

JUN 02 2015

I FURTHER CERTIFY that said ordinance was read in full prior to passage or that such reading was dispensed with by a vote of five members of the Council, and that a written copy of the ordinance was made available to each member of the Council and the public prior to the day of its passage.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

By Mary Hernandez, Deputy

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