ORDINANCE NO. 1217

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING SECTION 2.04.040 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE TO INCREASE THE SALARIES OF CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 36516 provides that the City Council may enact an ordinance providing that each member of the City Council shall receive a salary not to exceed Four Hundred Dollars ($400) per month; and

WHEREAS, the current Councilmembers’ salary of Two Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Fifty Cents ($217.50) per month has not been increased since 1974; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that an increase in the salaries paid to Councilmembers is justified based upon the increased size and population of the City since 1974, the City’s increased concern with and involvement in regional issues, the correspondingly increased responsibilities and time commitments of City Councilmembers to City business, and inflation;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Section 2.04.040 of the Code of the City of San Clemente, entitled "Compensation of City Councilmembers," is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

Pursuant to Government Code Section 36516, each member of the City Council shall receive, as salary, the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400) per month. The salary herein provided shall be payable at the same time and in the same manner as salaries are paid to other officers and employees of the City.

SECTION 2: Pursuant to Government Code Section 36516.5, the change in compensation enacted by this Ordinance does not apply to a Councilmember during his or her current term of office at the time this Ordinance is enacted.

SECTION 3: The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and the same shall be published as required by law and the same shall take effect as provided by law.
APPROVED, ADOPTED and SIGNED this 18th day of November, 1998.

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK of the City of San Clemente, California

MAYOR of the City of San Clemente, California

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ORANGE
CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE

I, MYRNA ERWAY, City Clerk of the City of San Clemente, California, hereby certify that Ordinance No. 1217, having been regularly introduced at the meeting of November 4, 1998, the reading in full thereof unanimously waived, and duly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 18th day of November, 1998, and said Ordinance was passed and adopted by the following stated vote, to wit:

AYES:  AHLE, ANDERSON, APODACA, BERG, MAYOR DAHL

NOES:  NONE

ABSENT:  NONE

and was thereafter on said day signed and approved by the Mayor of said City.

CITY CLERK of the City of San Clemente, California

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney