



AN ORDINANCE

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BY CLAIR MULLER *Clete Hanson*

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE GENERAL EMPLOYEE PENSION LAWS OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA (GEORGIA LAWS 1927, P. 265, PARTICULARLY AS AMENDED BY GEORGIA LAWS 1978, P.4546) SO AS TO RESTORE PENSION RIGHTS TO FORMER CITY OF ATLANTA WATER DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES WHO WERE SEPARATED FROM THE CITY IN GOOD STANDING DUE TO CONTRACT MANAGEMENT; TO GRANT TO SAID EMPLOYEES CREDIT FOR YEARS OF SERVICE OR FRACTIONS THEREOF WITH UNITED WATER SERVICES ATLANTA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

SECTION 1: Georgia Laws 1927, p.265, particularly as amended by Georgia Laws 1978, p. 4546 (and as has been further amended) and codified at Section 6-37, Related Laws Section of Volume I, City Charter and Code (General Employees Pension Fund) is hereby amended by creating a new section which shall provide as follows:

- (a) Any former City of Atlanta Water Department employee who was separated from the City in good standing due to contract management as of December 31, 1998 and who is re-employed by the City and who is a member of the General Employees Pension Fund, and who has not withdrawn his/her employee contribution, shall be allowed to return as a member and contributor of the General Employees Pension Fund, (1) provided however, that if such officer or employee has withdrawn his/her employee contribution, he/she shall be required to repay said contribution within a period of five (5)



years of the date of his/her re-employment plus interest at a rate of seven (7) percent per annum from the date of withdrawal of his/her contribution, to the date of re-employment; (2) provided further, that if such officer or employee retired from the City, he/she may within a period of five (5) years, repay the total of all retirement benefits received during said period of retirement plus interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from the date of retirement to the date of re-employment. As of the date of re-employment, the monthly pension benefit of any such retired employee shall cease and he/she shall be restored to the pension plan, shall receive previous service credit for all previous employment with the City, and shall be required to make the appropriate employee contributions to the pension fund.

(b) **Credit for prior service with United Water Services Atlanta.** Any former City of Atlanta Water Department employee who was separated from the City in good standing due to contract management as of December 31, 1998 and who immediately began employment with United Water Services Atlanta and who is re-employed by the City shall be eligible immediately to receive credit for all prior service rendered by such person as an employee of United Water Services Atlanta upon the following terms and conditions:

(a) Such person shall make application for such credit and provide satisfactory proof of such service and earnings within sixty (60) days of the enactment of this amendment.

(b) Such person must pay into the pension fund, an amount equal to the amount they would have paid had they been an employee of the City



during this period, plus seven percent per annum simple interest on that amount beginning January 1, 1999.

- (c) Such payments for prior service credit may be paid upon filing an application for such credit or the person shall have a period of up to 60 months from the date of filing such application. Payments may be deducted from the employee's salary or from his /her pension benefits. Provided that the total amount due shall include interest at the rate of seven (7) percent per annum on the unpaid balance.
- (d) The City shall pay all of the required employer contribution for the prior service credit of each eligible employee.

Section 2: Any officer or employee subject to the provisions of this ordinance shall, within 60 days of the enactment hereof, elect to restore his/her rights under the General Employees Pension Plan (i.e., the Defined Benefit Plan), or may elect to participate in the City's Defined Contribution Plan.

Section 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

A true copy,

Rhonda Daughin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council
APPROVED by the Mayor

APR 21, 2003
APR 28, 2003

RCS# 4616
4/21/03
2:23 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I Pgs. 1-19; Except 03-O-0441; 03-O-0391

Adopt

YEAS: 15
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 0
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	B Woolard

CONSENT I

4/21/03 FULL COUNCIL MEETING

Items Adopted on the Consent Agenda**Items Adversed on
the Consent Agenda**

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2. 03-O-0350	37. 03-R-0571	73. 03-R-0499	81. 03-R-0507
3. 03-O-0401	38. 03-R-0549	74. 03-R-0500	82. 03-R-0508
4. 03-O-0442	39. 03-R-0555	75. 03-R-0501	83. 03-R-0509
5. 03-O-0438	40. 03-R-0556	76. 03-R-0502	84. 03-R-0510
6. 03-O-0445	41. 03-R-0558	77. 03-R-0503	85. 03-R-0511
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17. 03-O-0360	52. 03-R-0448		96. 03-R-0522
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33. 03-R-0546	68. 03-R-0565		
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35. 03-R-0390	70. 03-R-0497		

Consent I Vote: 15Yeas; 0 Nays: (See RCS #4616)

Items Removed from the Consent Agenda: 03-O-0441 & 03-O-0391

03-0-0193

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APR 21 2003

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred 2/3/03

Referred To: Finance / Executive

Date Referred

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First Reading

Committee _____
Date _____
Chair _____
Referred to _____

Committee *F.I.N. / Exec*
Date *2/12/03*
Chair _____
Action: _____
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Other: _____
Members _____
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Date *4/2/03*
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Members _____
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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION
 2nd
 1st & 2nd Readings
 3rd
 Consent
 V Vote
 RC Vote

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 APR 21 2003
Clara A. Moore
 COUNCIL PRESIDENT PROTEM

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 APR 21 2003
Rachel Daughlin Johnson
 MUNICIPAL CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION

Amberly Franklin
 APR 28 2003