

TITLE	DATE	ORIGINATING DEPT./DIV.
<b>AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2022 GENERAL FUND BUDGET AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.</b>	12/23/21	City Council/Legislative <b>SPONSOR OR COUNCIL MEMBER</b> Councilmen Nickelson & Boucher

**PURPOSE**

To move funds from the GF Operating Reserves to Police (\$3,757,100) and Fire (\$3,619,700) Personal Service for a thirteen percent increase.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

**THIS ORDINANCE**

Due to the inability to retain police officers/firemen, it is necessary to increase salaries to retain those employees.

**TIMETABLE**

Introduction: **December 28, 2021**

Final  
Passage: **January 11, 2022**

**SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

None.

**FINANCES**

\$7,376,800

**SOURCE OF FUNDS**

General Government: Operating Reserves

**CONCLUSION**

**FACT SHEET PREPARED**

**BY:**

**ORDINANCE NO. 224 OF 2021**

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**BY: COUNCILMAN: JOHN NICKELSON AND GRAYSON BOUCHER**

**WHEREAS** the City Council finds it necessary to amend the 2021 General Fund Budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, regular and legal session convened, that:

Ordinance Number 154 of 2021, the 2022 General Fund Budget, is hereby amended as follows:

In Section 2. (Appropriations):

**General Government**

Decrease Operating Reserves by \$7,376,800

**Fire**

Increase Personal Services by \$3,619,700

**Police**

Increase Personal Services by \$3,757,100

Adjust totals and subtotals accordingly.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the remainder of Ordinance 154 of 2021 as amended, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications; and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**THUS DONE AND ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

**APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:**

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**City Attorney's Office**