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3 **ORDINANCE NO.**
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5 **AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS IN**
6 **THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT; CREATING**
7 **CERTAIN POSITIONS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 20171012-030**
8 **RELATING TO FIRE DEPARTMENT CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS.**
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10 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**
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12 **PART 1.** The Council makes the following findings:

13 (A) The City adopted Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil*
14 *Service*), which applies to members of the classified service in the Fire
15 Department.

16 (B) Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil Service*) provides that the City Council shall
17 establish the classifications for the Fire Department and the number of positions in
18 each classification.

19 (C) The Fire Department recommends the creation of certain classified positions to
20 improve delivery of fire services and to increase efficiency.

21 **PART 2.** The civil service classifications of the Fire Department and the number of
22 positions in each classification are established as follows:

23 (A) Assistant Chief 5

24 (B) Division Chief 8

25 (C) Battalion Chief 37

26 (D) Captain 71

27 (E) Lieutenant 201

28 (F) Fire Specialist 214

29 (G) Firefighter 661
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31 **PART 3.** The number of positions in the civil service classification of Battalion Chief
32 in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of one (1) from the number in existence
33 immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 4. The number of positions in the civil service classification of Lieutenant in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of three (3) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 5. The number of positions in the civil service classification of Fire Specialist in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of three (3) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 6. The number of positions in the civil service classification of Firefighter in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of nine (9) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 7. This Ordinance does not affect or amend the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Austin and the Austin Firefighters Association, Local 975 of the International Association of Firefighters, effective on October 1, 2017, which shall continue to apply to all civil service classifications except as specified in that Agreement.

PART 8. The Base Salary Schedules attached to the Collective Bargaining Agreement ratified on September 28, 2017 are adopted for each civil service classification except Assistant Chief.

PART 9. Ordinance 20171012-030 is repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED

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Mayor

APPROVED: _____
Anne L. Morgan
City Attorney

ATTEST: _____
Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk