ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT; CREATING CERTAIN POSITIONS; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 20180911-004 RELATING TO FIRE DEPARTMENT CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

PART 1. The Council makes the following findings:

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

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

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

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

(A) Assistant Chief	5
(B) Division Chief	8
(C) Battalion Chief	37
(D) Captain	71
(E) Lieutenant	202
(F) Fire Specialist	214
(G) Firefighter	661

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PART 3. The number of positions in the civil service classification of Lieutenant in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of one (1) from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 4. 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 5. 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 6. Ordinance 20180911-004 is repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED

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_____, 2018 § _____
Steve Adler
Mayor

APPROVED: _____ **ATTEST:** _____
Anne L. Morgan
City Attorney

Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk

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