

ORDINANCE # 01-08-01

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR PARTICIPATION OF THE CITY IN THE SUPPLEMENTAL DEATH BENEFITS FUND OF THE TEXAS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM, TO PROVIDE CERTAIN IN-SERVICE DEATH BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES, AND DEATH BENEFITS FOR ANNUITANTS WHOSE LAST EMPLOYMENT BEFORE RETIREMENT WAS WITH THE CITY OF JEWETT, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, the City of Jewett is a municipality participating on a full-salary basis in the several programs presently operated by the Texas Municipal Retirement System; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is of opinion that it is to the best interest of the City that employees and annuitants whose last covered employment under the System was as an employee of the City shall participate in the Supplemental Death Benefits Fund operated by said System; now therefore;

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

Section 1. That the City of Jewett hereby elects to participate in the Supplemental Death Benefits Fund of the Texas Municipal Retirement System for the purpose of providing in-service death benefits for each of the City's employees who are members of said System, and for the purpose of providing post-retirement death benefits for annuitants whose last covered employment was as an employee of the City, in the amounts and on the terms provided for in Sections 852.004, 854.601 through 854.605, 855.313, 855.314, 855.408, and 855.502 of Title 8 Subtitle G, Texas Government Code, as amended.

Section 2. The City of Jewett is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Director of the System of adoption of this ordinance, and of the participation of the City in said Fund.

Section 3. Participation of the above mentioned employees and annuitants in the Supplemental Death Benefits Fund shall be effective on the 1st day of *October*, 2001.

Passed and approved this the 13th day of August, 2001.

APPROVED:


JUDI KIRKPATRICK
Mayor, City of Jewett



ATTEST:


VIRGINIA S. SITTON
Secretary, City of Jewett