# Historical Mayor and Councillor Compensation Differentials

Additional Information

### Recommendation:

That the June 25, 2012, Corporate Services report 2012COH017, be received for information.

## **Report Summary**

This report provides historical compensation percentage differentials between Mayor and Councillors for Edmonton and Calgary.

#### **Previous Council/Committee Action**

At the June 11, 2012, Independent Council Compensation Committee meeting, the following motion was passed:

That the June 11, 2012, Corporate Services report 2012COC078 be received for information.

#### Report

Complementary to the June 11, 2012, Corporate Services report 2012COC078, percentage differential charts are attached, using data and information from a variety of sources.

#### Edmonton

As of 2012, there is an 81% differential between the Mayor and Councillor annual salary, as outlined in attachment 1, i.e. the Mayor's annual salary is 81%

greater than the Councillor's annual salary.

## <u>Calgary</u>

As of 2012, there is an 88% differential between the Mayor and Alderman annual salary, as outlined in attachment 2, i.e. the Mayor's annual salary is 88% greater than the Alderman's annual salary.

#### **Attachments**

- Historical Compensation Differentials
  Edmonton
- 2. Historical Compensation Differentials– Calgary

# **Historical Compensation Differentials - Edmonton**

| Year | Councillor | Mayor     | Percentage<br>Difference Btw Mayor<br>& Councillor | Amount<br>Difference |
|------|------------|-----------|--|----------------------|
| 1975 | \$12,000   | \$35,000  | 192%   | \$23,000             |
| 1976 | \$12,000   | \$35,000  | 192%   | \$23,000             |
| 1977 | \$12,000   | \$35,000  | 192%   | \$23,000             |
| 1978 | \$17,125   | \$43,000  | 151%   | \$25,875             |
| 1979 | \$17,125   | \$43,000  | 151%   | \$25,875             |
| 1980 | \$19,750   | \$46,200  | 134%   | \$26,450             |
| 1981 | \$21,500   | \$48,200  | 124%   | \$26,700             |
| 1982 | \$23,500   | \$53,000  | 126%   | \$29,500             |
| 1983 | \$23,500   | \$53,000  | 126%   | \$29,500             |
| 1984 | \$23,500   | \$53,000  | 126%   | \$29,500             |
| 1985 | \$23,500   | \$53,000  | 126%   | \$29,500             |
| 1986 | \$23,500   | \$53,000  | 126%   | \$29,500             |
| 1987 | \$27,173   | \$60,000  | 121%   | \$32,827             |
| 1988 | \$29,124   | \$62,100  | 113%   | \$32,976             |
| 1989 | \$34,274   | \$68,548  | 100%   | \$34,274             |
| 1990 | \$39,298   | \$78,596  | 100%   | \$39,298             |
| 1991 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1992 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1993 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1994 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1995 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1996 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1997 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1998 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 1999 | \$44,322   | \$88,644  | 100%   | \$44,322             |
| 2000 | \$52,500   | \$100,500 | 91%  | \$48,000             |
| 2001 | \$54,391   | \$104,118 | 91%  | \$49,727             |
| 2002 | \$56,132   | \$107,450 | 91%  | \$51,318             |
| 2003 | \$57,142   | \$109,385 | 91%  | \$52,243             |
| 2004 | \$58,405   | \$111,803 | 91%  | \$53,398             |
| 2005 | \$60,172   | \$115,185 | 91%  | \$55,013             |
| 2006 | \$63,638   | \$121,820 | 91%  | \$58,182             |
| 2007 | \$72,000   | \$130,000 | 81%  | \$58,000             |
| 2008 | \$75,154   | \$135,694 | 81%  | \$60,540             |
| 2009 | \$79,287   | \$143,158 | 81%  | \$63,871             |
| 2010 | \$79,787   | \$144,061 | 81%  | \$64,274             |
| 2011 | \$83,488   | \$150,748 | 81%  | \$67,260             |
| 2012 | \$87,955   | \$158,813 | 81%  | \$70,858             |

# **Historical Compensation Differentials – Calgary**

| Year | Alderman  | Mayor     | Percentage<br>Difference Btw Mayor<br>& Alderman | Amount<br>Difference |
|------|-----------|-----------|--|----------------------|
| 1976 | \$9,900   | \$33,000  | 233%   | \$23,100             |
| 1977 | \$10,800  | \$36,300  | 236%   | \$25,500             |
| 1978 | \$13,400  | \$40,650  | 203%   | \$27,250             |
| 1979 | \$16,000  | \$45,000  | 181%   | \$29,000             |
| 1980 | \$17,500  | \$49,000  | 180%   | \$31,500             |
| 1981 | \$19,390  | \$54,292  | 180%   | \$34,902             |
| 1982 | \$21,969  | \$61,513  | 180%   | \$39,544             |
| 1983 | \$22,628  | \$63,358  | 180%   | \$40,730             |
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| 1985 | \$23,171  | \$64,879  | 180%   | \$41,708             |
| 1986 | \$23,843  | \$66,760  | 180%   | \$42,917             |
| 1987 | \$24,678  | \$69,097  | 180%   | \$44,419             |
| 1988 | \$27,420  | \$71,722  | 162%   | \$44,302             |
| 1989 | \$30,163  | \$73,659  | 144%   | \$43,496             |
| 1990 | \$44,322  | \$88,664  | 100%   | \$44,342             |
| 1991 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1992 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1993 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1994 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1995 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1996 | \$45,873  | \$91,746  | 100%   | \$45,873             |
| 1997 | \$46,790  | \$93,581  | 100%   | \$46,791             |
| 1998 | \$47,726  | \$95,453  | 100%   | \$47,727             |
| 1999 | \$48,681  | \$97,353  | 100%   | \$48,672             |
| 2000 | \$50,142  | \$100,283 | 100%   | \$50,142             |
| 2001 | \$51,896  | \$103,793 | 100%   | \$51,896             |
| 2002 | \$53,713  | \$107,426 | 100%   | \$53,713             |
| 2003 | \$60,000  | \$120,000 | 100%   | \$60,000             |
| 2004 | \$61,326  | \$122,652 | 100%   | \$61,326             |
| 2005 | \$62,939  | \$125,878 | 100%   | \$62,939             |
| 2006 | \$79,250  | \$158,246 | 100%   | \$78,996             |
| 2007 | \$88,031  | \$165,225 | 88%  | \$77,194             |
| 2008 | \$91,186  | \$171,145 | 88%  | \$79,960             |
| 2009 | \$96,569  | \$181,250 | 88%  | \$84,681             |
| 2010 | \$97,170  | \$182,400 | 88%  | \$85,231             |
| 2011 | \$102,078 | \$191,589 | 88%  | \$89,511             |
| 2012 | \$107,127 | \$201,066 | 88%  | \$93,939             |