

**RESOLUTION NO. 21-2007**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BENSON, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE PRELIMINARY STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO BECOME A PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER IN THE PUBLIC SAFETY PERSONNEL RETIREMENT SYSTEM ON BEHALF OF THE FULL-TIME, PAID MUNICIPAL FIRE FIGHTERS OF THE CITY OF BENSON, WHO ARE OR WERE REGULARLY ASSIGNED TO HAZARDOUS DUTY IN THE STATE OF ARIZONA.**

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System has been created by the State of Arizona in order to provide a uniform, consistent and equitable state-wide program for public safety personnel who are regularly assigned to hazardous public duty; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of said Public Safety Personnel Retirement System, it is optional for a political subdivision to include within said system its full time, forty (40) hours or more per week, paid municipal fire fighters; and,

WHEREAS, it is deemed in the best interest of the City of Benson to include full time, paid municipal fire fighters who are or were regularly assigned to hazardous duty under the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System as set forth in Title 38, Chapter 5, Article 4, Arizona Revised Statutes.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Benson, Arizona, as follows:

1. It is hereby authorized and requested that a preliminary actuarial survey be made to determine the estimated cost of participation, the benefits to be derived, and such other information as may be deemed appropriate, the cost of said survey to be paid by the City of Benson; and,

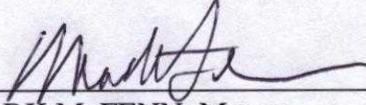
2. The City Clerk is hereby authorized to provide and turnover such records as are necessary to make the actuarial survey; and,

3. The Mayor and the City Clerk are authorized to take whatever steps are necessary to carry out the intent of this Resolution; and,

4. The City Clerk shall file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Fund Manager of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System.

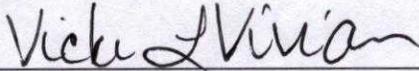
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PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council of Benson, Arizona,  
ARIZONA, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2007.



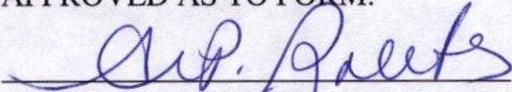
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MARK M. FENN, Mayor

ATTEST:



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VICKI L. VIVIAN, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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ANN P. ROBERTS, City Attorney