

The following ordinance was offered by Bob Robinson
and seconded by S. T. Evans.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3 OF THE CHARTER
OF THE TOWN OF HOMER, LOUISIANA, TO INCREASE
THE COMPENSATION OF THE MAYOR AND SELECTMEN.

SECTION I. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Selectmen of the
Town of Homer, Louisiana, in Special Session convened on the 23rd
day of January, 1989, that the charter of the Town of Homer,
Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, be amended, pursuant to the provisions of
Louisiana Revised Statute 33:1181, as follows:

SECTION II. Section 3 of the municipal charter of the Town
of Homer, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, is amended to read as follows:

SECTION. 3. TERM OF OFFICE OF MAYOR AND SELECTMEN; NUMBER;
COMPENSATION.

"There shall be one Mayor and five Selectmen for the Town
of Homer, Louisiana, who shall serve a term of office of four years.
The compensation of the Mayor, commencing February 1, 1989,
and thereafter, shall be SEVEN THOUSAND AND TWO HUNDRED (\$7,200.00)
DOLLARS per year, payable monthly. The compensation of each Selectmen,
commencing February 1, 1989, and thereafter, shall be
FOUR THOUSAND AND EIGHT HUNDRED (\$4,800.00) DOLLARS per year, and pay-
able monthly."

The above ordinance was read and discussed by Section and as
a whole, and vote was taken thereon as follows:

YEAS:	Bob Robinson
	S. T. Evans
	Ethel White
NAYS:	None
ABSENT:	Mayor Joe Michael (Selectman Clarence Martin acting as Mayor Pro tem)
ABSTAINED:	Robert Glenn

and the ordinance was declared passed and adopted on the 23rd
day of January, 1989.

Clarence Martin
Clarence Martin, Mayor Pro tem, Town of Homer

Linda Dean
Linda Dean, Clerk, Town of Homer

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Ms. Linda Dean
Clerk
Town of Homer
Homer, Louisiana 71040

RE: Amendment to the Town of Homer
Charter to increase the compensation
of the Mayor and Selectmen

Dear Ms. Dean:

I am pleased to enclose herewith a copy of Opinion No. 89-205 dated April 17, 1989 issued by the office of William J. Guste, Jr., Attorney General.

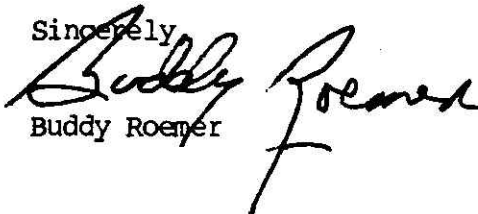
You will note in that opinion that the Attorney General's office has examined all documents submitted to him and has approved the proposed amendment to the Charter of the Town of Homer as to form and legality and has indicated that the Governor is mandated to approve same as required by R.S. 33:1181.

Also the opinion states that the protest petition submitted by 223 qualified electors of the Town of Homer in opposition to said approval was invalid since said 223 signatures represented only 9.69% of the electors of said municipality which is less than the required one-tenth needed to submit same for ratification by a majority of the electors in that municipality.

The certification by Patricia Brunson Sanders, Registrar of Voters, Parish of Caliborne, dated April 10, 1989, indicating that as of March 3, 1989 there were 2299 registered voters in the Town of Homer is enclosed.

Therefore, in accord with R.S. 33:1181 and pursuant to Attorney General Opinion No. 89-205 I hereby approve the proposed amendment to the Charter of the Town of Homer bearing Ordinance No. 762 passed and adopted on January 23, 1989.

Sincerely,


Buddy Roemer

BR:gmo
Enclosure

cc: Mr. William F. M. Meadors, Jr.
Attorney for the Town of Homer