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**AN ORDINANCE  
of the  
CITY OF  
MINNEAPOLIS**

**By B. Johnson and Glidden**

**Amending Title 2, Chapter 16 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Administration: Finance.**

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That Section 16.220 of the above-entitled ordinance be amended to read as follows:

**16.220. Authorized.** ~~Pursuant to section 20, chapter 4, city charter,~~ ¶The city finance officer shall pay all claims for goods, wares and merchandise, from any available money, as the same may be presented from day to day without awaiting formal approval of the city council or any of the boards of the city, upon lists of said claims prepared and approved by the finance officer, provided, however, that all claims against the city or any of its boards must first be approved by the proper city officers.

Section 2. That Section 16.235 of the above-entitled ordinance be amended to read as follows:

**16.235. Payment of certain claims and judgments.** ~~Pursuant to chapter 4, section 20, of the Minneapolis City charter,~~ ¶The city finance officer shall, without awaiting the formal approval of the city council, pay settlements of tort claims against the city and its employees in amounts under one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), upon the written authorization of the city attorney. The finance officer shall also, without the formal approval of the city council, pay judgments of the Hennepin County Conciliation Court against the city immediately upon the expiration of the period for appealing said judgments, unless an appeal has been taken. The city attorney's office shall notify the finance officer of the entry of conciliation court judgments from which no appeal has been taken.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2015.