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**Statement by Trenton Mayor Eric E. Jackson on City Council's  
Approval of Modest Salary Increases for City Officials**

I want to clarify information concerning the salary increases for Trenton city officials. On October 20, 2016, City Council members passed **Resolution 16-591** that provides a three percent salary increase for the Mayor, Department Directors, Business Administrator and Municipal Court Judges. The salary increase will compensate employees by providing a **1.5 percent** salary increase for **Fiscal Year 2015** and a **1.5 percent** for **Fiscal Year 2016**. The salary ranges that are set by **Ordinance 16-50 will not grant salary increases totaling more than 15 percent over a three-year period**. The City Council only authorized a **one-time** three percent increase for 2016. Salary increases for Fiscal Years 2017 and 2018 must be presented via resolution to City Council for its approval.