

### ORDINANCE NO. 2015-R-9

#### DEKALB COUNTY CODE SECTION 11-4-4

#### DEKALB COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

## AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AN ANNUAL SEX OR VIOLENT OFFENDER

# REGISTRATION FEE, A SEX OR VIOLENT OFFENDER ADDRESS CHANGE

# FEE AND ESTABLISHING THE DEKALB COUNTY

### SEX OR VIOLENT OFFENDER ADMINISTRATION FUND

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana, ("Commissioners") is the executive and legislative body for DeKalb County; and,

WHEREAS, subject to the provisions of I.C. 36-2-13-5.6, the Commissioners may require the DeKalb County Sheriff (as defined in I.C. 11-8-8-2) to collect an annual sex or violent offender registration fee and a sex or violent offender address change fee; and,

WHEREAS, the Commissioners desire to establish the DeKalb County Sex or Violent Offender Administration Fund to fund the administration of the sex or violent offender registration system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE DEKALB COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF DEKALB COUNTY, INDIANA THAT: the sex or violent offender registration fee, the sex or violent offender address change fee and the DeKalb County Sex or Violent Offender Administration Fund are hereby established, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Establishment of Sex and Violent Offender Administration Fund</u>. The DeKalb Sex and Violent Offender Administration Fund is hereby established. The purpose of this fund is to defray the expense of administering or ensuring compliance with the laws concerning the Indiana sex and violent offender registry. The DeKalb County Council may appropriate money from the fund for this purpose.

#### Section 2. Fees.

(A) <u>Registration Fee</u>. The annual fee for sex or violent offenders registering in DeKalb County shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00). Payment of the fee shall be made upon the offender's initial registration in DeKalb County and subsequently on or before each annual registration date.

- (B) Change of Address Fee. A fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be charged and collected each time a sex or violent offender registers an address change with the DeKalb County Sheriff's Department.
- Section 3. <u>Payment of Fees</u>. All fees collected under this Ordinance shall be collected by the DeKalb County Sheriff's Department when a sex or violent offender registers with the DeKalb County Sheriff's Department.
- Section 4. Procedures. All fees collected under this Ordinance by the DeKalb County Sheriff's Department shall be transferred to the DeKalb County Auditor. On a monthly basis, the DeKalb County Auditor shall: (a) deposit ninety percent (90%) of any fees collected under this Ordinance in the DeKalb County Sex and Violent Offender Administration Fund; and, (b) transfer ten percent (10%) of any fees collected under this Ordinance to the State of Indiana for deposit in the state sex and violent offender administration fund under I.C. 11-8-8-21.

Section 5: Effective Date: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon passage, approval, and publication.

Ordinance Codified: This DeKalb County Ordinance Number 2015-R- $\underline{9}$  is passed and adopted on all three readings and shall be codified in the DeKalb County Code as DeKalb County Code  $\underline{11-4-4}$  and properly indexed in the Code.

READ AND PASSED ON FIRST RADING: Monday, April 13, 2015.

READ AND PASSED ON SECOND READING: Monday, April 13th, 2015.

READ AND PASSED ON THIRD READING: Monday, April 13th, 2015.

This Ordinance No. 2015-R- 9 codified as DeKalb County Code Section 11-4-4 is signed, approved and adopted after all three readings by the Commissioners of DeKalb County, Indiana.

COMMISSIONERS:

BY:

Donald D. Grogg, President

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Randall J. Deetz, Vice President

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Attested By:

Jan Bauman, Auditor of DeKalb County, Indiana