

ORDINANCE NO. 0-81-27

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AN ADDITIONAL COURT COST OF THREE DOLLARS (\$3.00) ON EACH MISDEMEANOR AND TRAFFIC VIOLATION OFFENSE IN THE CONWAY MUNICIPAL COURT TO BE USED TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR THE CITY OF CONWAY TO REIMBURSE COUNTIES FOR INCARCERATING CITY PRISONERS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Act 942 of 1981 authorizes municipalities to levy an additional court cost not to exceed Three Dollars (\$3.00) on each felony, misdemeanor and traffic violation offense in their Municipal Court to provide revenue to reimburse the County for incarcerating city prisoners,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. In addition to all other costs now or as may hereafter be provided by law, there is levied from each defendant upon a plea of guilty, nolo contendere, forfeiture of bond, or determination of guilt for misdemeanors or traffic violations in the Conway Municipal Court the sum of \$ 3.00 Dollars.

Section 2. Said moneys shall be assessed by the Municipal Court and collected by the Clerk of the Municipal Court and be deposited in a fund to be known as the "Criminal Justice Fund" and such moneys shall be used solely for reimbursing the Countys for expenses incurred in incarcerating prisoners of the City of Conway.

Section 3. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance being necessary for the immediate protection of the public peace, health, and safety shall take effect immediately on its passage and approval.

PASSED: 6-9-81

APPROVED:

Bill Wright
Mayor

ATTEST:

Adrian D. Dunn
City Clerk