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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF Owen
ORDINANCE NUMBER 66

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH 911 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE
SERVICE FOR THE COUNTY OF Owen

WHEREAS, the Owen County Fiscal court has determined that the health, safety and welfare of the people of County will be improved by the establishment of an Enhanced 911 Emergency Telephone Service (E911); and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to levy a fee to fund the establishment and operation of the E911 service; and

WHEREAS, the most economical means of providing E911 service is to enter into a cooperative agreement with the Kentucky State Police (KSP) for the establishment and operation of the Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) which is an integral part of an E911 service; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to KRS 65.760, the County of Owen may by duly enacted local ordinance establish 911 emergency telephone service, adopt regulations concerning the provision of the service, enter into cooperative agreements for the operation of the service, and levy a fee to fund the establishment and operation of the service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED by the County Fiscal Court of the Commonwealth of Kentucky as follows:

1. The County of Owen, by and through its Judge Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into an agreement with the telephone company to establish and operate an Enhanced 911 Emergency Telephone (E911).

2. Pursuant to KRS 65.760(3), in order to fund the establishment and operation of the E911 service, an E911 Service Charge is hereby levied in the sum of \$1.00 per telephone subscriber per month, on an individual exchange line basis in accordance with the terms of the agreement herein above authorized.

3. The South Central Bell telephone company is hereby authorized to collect the E911 Service Charge from the telephone subscribers and shall be entitled to a fee for billing and collecting the E911 Service Charge in an amount not to exceed three percent of the total amount collected. The Kentucky State Police is authorized to act as an agent of the city in procuring 911 services.

4. The County of Owen, by and through its Judge, is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the Kentucky State Police (KSP) for the establishment and operation of a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) at the Kentucky State Police Post at Lagrange.

5. The provisions of this ordinance are severable, and if any provision is found to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

6. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage and publication.

On Motion by G. L. Shryock, Seconded
by Casper Vannarsdall, approved
at the first reading by the Owen Co. Fiscal Court County
of Owen the 14th day of January, 1992

Horace West
Judge, County of Owen

ATTEST:

Casper Vannarsdall
Owen COUNTY CLERK

Second reading and adoption of ordinance approved on Motion
of G. L. Shryock, Seconded
by Casper Vannarsdall, and adopted at a
regular meeting of the OWEN County Fiscal
Court on Feb. 11, 1992.

Horace West
JUDGE, COUNTY OF

ATTEST:

Casper Vannarsdall
Owen COUNTY CLERK