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# TOWN OF JEROME, ARIZONA

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## ORDINANCE NO. #348

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF JEROME AMENDING SECTION 5-4-2, COURT ENHANCEMENT FEE, SUBSECTION B, WITHIN THE MAGISTRATE COURT FOR THE TOWN OF JEROME.

WHEREAS, the Town of Jerome enacted a Court Enhancement Fee of Ten Dollars on December 14, 2006, and;

WHEREAS, the surcharges imposed by the State of Arizona are increasing from Eighty Percent (80%) to Eighty-Four Percent (84%), and;

WHEREAS, the Administrative Office of the Courts cannot impose surcharges on fees assessed per case, and;

WHEREAS, the change as to the form and an increase as to fee will benefit both the Court and Defendants by imposing a fee based on the case and not on the charge(s), and allowing for the total funds to be used by the Court.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF JEROME

that Subsection B of Section 5-4-2 be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. B. The Court Enhancement Fund shall be funded by an enhancement fee in the amount of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) on each case in which fines, sanctions, penalties, and assessments are imposed by the Jerome Municipal Court. The enhancement fee may

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also apply to administrative fees collected for court authorized diversion programs.

Section 2. This Amended Ordinance shall become effective on Nov 8<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance or any part of the code adopted herein by reference are hereby repealed, effective as of 8 day of NOVEMBER, 2007.

Section 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any



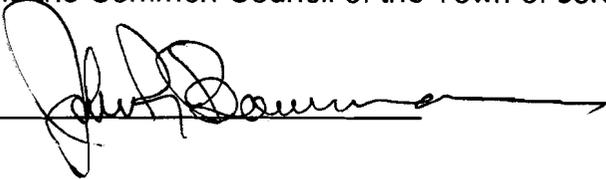
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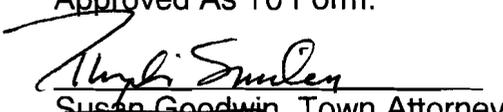
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court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Passed and adopted by the Mayor and the Common Council of the Town of Jerome this 9 day of October, 2007.

  
John R. Bouwman, MAYOR

Attest:  
  
Al Palmieri, Town Clerk Designate

Approved As To Form:  
  
~~Susan Goodwin~~, Town Attorney  
Phyllis Smiley

