MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ORDINANCE 2016-21

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE LAW ENFORCEMENT RECORDING FEE FUND

WHEREAS, the County has an ordinance that governs the fees to be paid for certain copying of public records;

AND WHEREAS, this ordinance was recently amended to include fees for copying law enforcement recordings;

AND WHEREAS, Indiana Code § 5-14-3-8 authorizes a public agency to retain fees collected for copying of law enforcement recordings and also designates the uses allowed for those fees;

AND WHEREAS, the Commissioners find it in the County's best interest to create a new fund to capture and retain these fees for the County's use and benefit;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Montgomery County Board of Commissioners, that a new section, Section 35.45, is hereby added to the Montgomery County Code in order to establish the Law Enforcement Recording Fee Fund, and this section reads as follows:

"§35.45 LAW ENFORCEMENT RECORDING FEE FUND

- (A) Source of Funds. The Board of Commissioners hereby establishes the Law Enforcement Recording Fee Fund. The fund shall consist of fees received by the Sheriff for provisions of copies of law enforcement recordings.
- (B) Use of Funds. All money deposited into the Law Enforcement Recording Fee Fund will be used, without appropriation, to purchase cameras and other equipment for use in connection with the Sheriff's law enforcement recording program, for training concerning law enforcement recordings, and to defray the expenses of storing, producing, and copying law enforcement recordings.
- (C) Non Reverting Fund. This is a non-reverting fund."

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

All of which is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Montgomery County this 22 day of August, 2016.

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