

# WELLS COUNTY COUNCIL ORDINANCE NO. 2007-06

## An Ordinance Amending Wells County Council Ordinance Number 93-4, As Amended by Wells County Council Ordinance Number 2002-7 By Increasing the Enhanced Emergency Telephone System Fee

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 36-8-16 authorizes counties in the State of Indiana to adopt an ordinance to establish a telephone system that utilizes the three digit "911" to send automatic number identification and automatic location identification for reporting emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 36-8-16-5 specifically authorizes the county fiscal body to impose a monthly enhanced emergency telephone system fee for each exchange access facility used in the County; and

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 36-8-16-5 mandates that any fees established must be sufficient to pay the cost of installation and operation of the enhanced emergency telephone system for all participating agencies;

WHEREAS, the Wells County Council hereby finds that increasing the fee for the enhanced emergency telephone system would be in the best interest of the residents and citizens of Wells County, Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the original ordinance was enacted in 1993 and was amended to increase the fee in 2002.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Wells County Council of Wells County, Indiana, as follows:

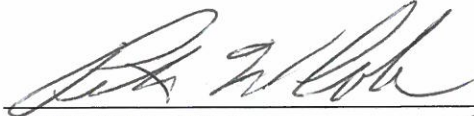
1. Section 3 of Wells County Council Ordinance 93-4 as amended by Wells County Council Ordinance 2002-7, be amended to provide as follows:


Section 3. Monthly Fee. A monthly fee of \$2.27 per telephone access line or other exchange access facility shall be collected by the service supplier for each month or part of a month an exchange access facility is in service as a part of its normal billing process.

2. That all other Sections of Wells County Council Ordinance 93-4 as amended by Wells County Council Ordinance 2002-7 shall remain in force and effect.
3. This ordinance shall become effective January 1, 2008.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE WELLS COUNTY COUNCIL ON THE 7<sup>th</sup> day  
of AUG 7, 2007.

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