ORDINANCE NO. 443

AN ORDINANCE ASSESSING A SURCHARGE OF \$2.00 (TWO DOLLARS) ON ALL MISDEMEANOR CASES, OTHER THAN OFFENSES RELATED TO VEHICULAR PARKING OR REGISTRATION, FOR THE SUPPORT OF A LOCAL CRIME STOPPERS PROGRAM

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF LUCEDALE, MISSISSIPPI, IN A REGULAR BOARD MEETING ON THIS 2ND DAY OF JANUARY, 2018, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Surcharge for Misdemeanor Cases.

The Lucedale Municipal Court shall collect a surcharge of \$2.00 on each person upon whom the Court imposes a fine or other penalty for any misdemeanor, other than offenses related to vehicular parking or registration, in accordance with Section 45-39-17 of the Mississippi State Code of 1972, Annotated, as amended, for the support of the Mississippi Coast Crime Stoppers Program.

SECTION 2: Payment to Department of Public Safety

All revenue generated from said surcharges shall be paid by the City of Lucedale to the Mississippi Department of Public Safety's Office of Public Safety Planning in accordance with Section 45-39-17 of the Mississippi State Code of 1972, Annotated, as amended, and distributed by it to the Mississippi Coast Crime Stoppers, to procure information regarding crimes committed in the City of Lucedale, Mississippi, and to assist appropriate authorities so that those who commit said crimes may be captured and convicted.

SECTION 3: Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect one month from and after its passage. This Ordinance shall be signed by the Mayor, certified by the City Clerk, recorded in the Ordinance Book, and published on time in the George County Times, a weekly newspaper published in this municipality.

THEREFORE, be it ordained, that the City of Lucedale assesses a surcharge of \$2.00 Dollars on each person upon whom the Court imposes a fine or other penalty for any misdemeanor, other than offenses related to vehicular parking or registration, in accordance with Section 45-39-17 of the Mississippi State Code of 1972, Annotated, as amended, for the support of the Mississippi Coast Crime Stoppers Program.

On January 2nd, 2018, the foregoing Ordinance was read, discussed, and considered section by section and as a whole; voted on section by section and as a whole; and passed section by section and as a whole; the vote in every instance being as follows:

Alderman Louis Valentine Alderman At-Large	Voted Yea
Alderman Carrie Moulds Alderman Ward One	Voted Yea
Alderman James Redd Alderman Ward Two	Voted Yea_
Alderman Jason L. Martin Alderman Ward Three	Voted Yea
Alderman Al Jones Alderman Ward Four	Voted Yea

The motion having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Governing Body present, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the Ordinance adopted on this the 2nd day of January A.D. 2018.

MAYOR

(SEAL)

Attest/

KATHY JOHNSON ANDERSON, MMC CITY CLERK