

## **ORDINANCE NUMBER 1436 - 11**

### **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 30-1 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MUSCLE SHOALS, ALABAMA ASSESSING THE COSTS OF COURT UPON CONVICTION IN MUNICIPAL COURT OF ANY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MUSCLE SHOALS, ALABAMA, OR WITHIN ITS POLICE JURISDICTION**

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**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Muscle Shoals, Alabama as follows:

I. Section 30-1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Muscle Shoals, Alabama heretofore adopted by the Council of the City of Muscle Shoals, Alabama by Ordinance Number 1174-97 on February 17, 1997 and by Ordinance Number 1379-06 on November 6, 2006 is hereby amended so that the said Section 30-1, shall read in its entirety as follows:

Upon each conviction in municipal court for a violation of any ordinances of the city, there shall be taxed against the defendant as court costs the costs and fees imposed by the statutes of the state and such costs and fees shall be remitted pursuant to the statutes.

In addition thereto, upon conviction of any traffic ordinance of the city, the defendant shall be taxed, levied and assessed, as additional court costs, the sum of \$34.50, same to be paid into the city treasury and a special municipal fund designated as the "Corrections Fund" shall be maintained for all such costs taxed, levied, assessed and collected hereunder.

In addition thereto, upon conviction of any ordinance of the city, other than traffic ordinances, the defendant shall be taxed, levied and assessed, as additional court costs, the sum of \$64.00, same to be paid into the city treasury and a special municipal fund designated as the "Corrections Fund" shall be maintained for all such costs taxed, levied, assessed and collected hereunder.

The City Council, upon allocation and appropriation of any sums from the "Corrections Fund", shall expend the funds exclusively for the operation and maintenance of the municipal jail or jails, other correctional facilities, if any, any juvenile detention center, or any court complex or as otherwise provided by law.

The costs or fees authorized herein and to be paid into the "Corrections Fund" shall not be waived by any court unless all other costs, fees, assessments, fines or charges associated with the case are waived. All costs taxed for the city hereunder shall be paid into the city treasury.

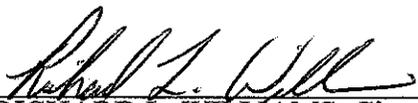
II. The Ordinance, and its provisions, shall become effective upon publication or posting pursuant to law or as otherwise provided for by law.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011.

**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUSCLE SHOALS,  
ALABAMA**

  
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JAMES E. HOLLAND, Its Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

  
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RICHARD L. WILLIAMS, City Clerk