

ORDINANCE NO. 18-01
ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PROCESSING
FEE FOR MOBILE HOME TRANSFER
AND MOVING PERMITS
PREPARED BY THE PORTER
COUNTY TREASURER

WHEREAS, the policy of the State is to grant local governments all powers that they need for the effective operation of government as to local affairs, as stated in I.C. 36-1-3-2; and

WHEREAS, the County has all powers necessary or desirable in the conduct of its affairs even though not granted by statute; and

WHEREAS, many persons are requesting the Porter County Treasurer to issue permits for the moving or transfer of the title of mobile homes as required by IC 6-1.1-7-10; and

WHEREAS, each such request requires the expenditure of much time and labor by the Treasurer's Office and such requests have become an uncompensated burden upon the Treasurer's Office; and

WHEREAS, many counties charge a fee for similar services; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the residents of Porter County that a charge should be made for such services; and

WHEREAS, after study it has been determined that the fee should be \$10.00 for each mobile home moving permit or transfer of title permit issued by the Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance does not rescind or conflict with any previous ordinance, state statute or Federal law whereby any fee has been established for such service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, that effective as of 8:30 a.m. on January 1, 2018, a fee of \$10.00 shall be charged by the Porter County Treasurer for each mobile home moving permit or transfer of title permit issued by the Treasurer; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the Porter County Treasurer shall post the fee set forth in this Ordinance in a prominent place within the Treasurer's Office where the fee schedule is readily accessible to the public; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that such fee shall be paid at, or prior to, the time of the request made payable and delivered to the Treasurer of Porter County. The sum of \$10.00 of each such fee collected shall be deposited in the Porter County General Fund. If the request to issue a permit is made by check or credit/debit card, then a 10 days wait is required before permits can be provided. This ordinance shall be effective January 1, 2018.

Presented to the Porter County Council of Porter County, Indiana, November 28, 2017.

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