

**ORDINANCE NO. 2021-33,CM**  
**AMENDING COUNTY CODE 94.17**  
**REGISTRATION OF ALARM BUSINESS**

**WHEREAS**, County Code section 94.17 requires that an alarm system business pay an annual registration fee; and

**WHEREAS**, said fees are currently deposited in County Fund 2574 User Fee/Sheriff False Alarm (hereinafter "Fund"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners wish to formalize the requirement that said fees be deposited in the Fund and clarify the permissible uses of the Fund;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, that the Tippecanoe County Code Section 94.17 should be amended as follows:

94.17 REGISTRATION OF ALARM BUSINESS.

(A) Prior to doing business within the county, an alarm system business shall register with the Sheriff's office on a form designated by the county for that purpose. On such form the business shall set forth:

- (1) The full name and address of the alarm system business;
- (2) The full name, business address and home address of the manager;
- (3) A telephone number at which the Sheriff's Department can notify personnel of the business of a need for assistance at any time;
- (4) The name, address and date of birth of all alarm agents employed by the alarm system business.

(B) An alarm system business doing business at the time this subchapter becomes effective shall have 30 days to register as required above, with a fee of \$100.

(C) An alarm system business shall promptly notify the Sheriff in writing of any change in the information contained in the registration form.

**(D) The fee paid to the Sheriff shall be deposited in the Sheriff False Alarm fund in the Office of the Tippecanoe County Auditor.**

**(E) Money in the False Alarm Fund may be used to support the Sheriff's responsibilities with respect to alarm business registration, alarm monitoring, and responding to alarms. Thereafter, remaining funds may be used in support of operational and capital expenses of the Sheriff's Department.**

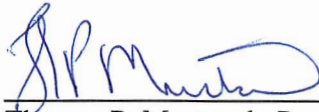
This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and signing and publication as required by law.

Presented to the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, and approved on first reading this 1st day of November, 2021, by the following vote:

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TIPPECANOE COUNTY

VOTE


Yes

  
Thomas P. Murtaugh, President

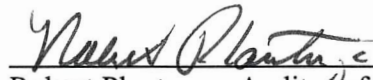
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David S. Byers, Vice President

Yes

  
Tracy A. Brown, Member

ATTEST:

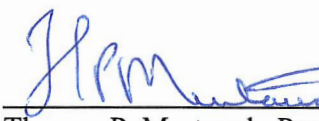
  
Robert Plantenga, Auditor of Tippecanoe County

Presented to the Board of Commissioners of Tippecanoe County, Indiana, and approved on second reading this 15th day of November, 2021, by the following vote:

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TIPPECANOE COUNTY

VOTE

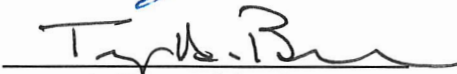
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