

**SAMPLE RESOLUTION TO FIX JAILER'S FEE**

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION TO FIX THE JAILER'S FEE OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY

WHEREAS, *Tennessee Code Annotated*, Section 8-26-105, authorizes county legislative bodies to pass a resolution fixing the amount of jailer's fees that may be applied to misdemeanor prisoners for each 24-hour period the prisoner is confined to the local facility (jail or workhouse) and,

WHEREAS, the county legislative body of \_\_\_\_\_ County is desirous that it be fully compensated for the housing of misdemeanor prisoners.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the county legislative body of \_\_\_\_\_ County, meeting this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_, that:

SECTION 1. The jailer's fee for \_\_\_\_\_ County is hereby fixed at \_\_\_\_\_ dollars (\$\_\_\_\_) per misdemeanor prisoner per 24-hour period of confinement in the county jail or county workhouse.

SECTION 2. The jailer's fee herein fixed shall be collected by the clerk of the appropriate court as a part of the fines and costs imposed in each misdemeanor case upon a finding of guilt.

SECTION 3. A copy of this Resolution shall be transmitted to each clerk of court hearing criminal matters in \_\_\_\_\_ County and shall be spread upon the minutes of this meeting by the county clerk.

SECTION 4. This resolution shall take effect upon adoption, the general welfare requiring it.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

APPROVED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk