

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF KANE

RESOLUTION NO. 16 - 72

AMENDING THE SURCHARGE ON COURT CASES (INCREASING CHILDREN'S WAITING ROOM FEE)

WHEREAS, 705 ILCS 105/27.7 allows the Kane County Board to require the Clerk of the Circuit Court to charge and collect a Children's Waiting Room fee of not more than ~~Five Dollars (\$5)~~ Ten Dollars (\$10), which is to be paid at the time of filing the first pleading, paper, or other appearance filed by each party in all civil cases; and

WHEREAS, the Children's Waiting Room fee collected by the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall be remitted monthly by the Clerk to the County Treasurer and retained by the Treasurer in a special fund designated as the Children's Waiting Room fund; and

WHEREAS, for those persons who have business in the Judicial Center, the Children's Waiting Room provides free, short-term, drop-off supervised and secure care for infants through twelve year olds; and

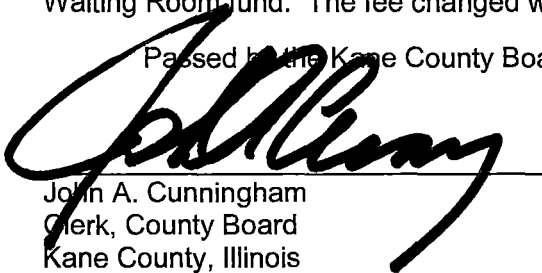
WHEREAS, having free, on-site supervised care for children eases the financial burden of those parents having court business, protects children from possible inappropriate environs and situations, and generally expedites court proceedings; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the County as a whole to have such services available; and

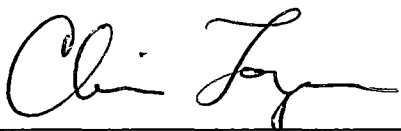
WHEREAS, the Children's Waiting Room fee has not increased since its inception in 2002 (Res. No. 02-257).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Kane County Board that the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall charge and collect a Children's Waiting Room fee of ~~Five Dollars (\$5)~~ Ten Dollars (\$10) which is to be paid at the time of filing the first pleading, paper or other appearance filed by each party in all civil cases and all fees so collected shall be remitted monthly by the Clerk to the County Treasurer and retained by the Treasurer in a special fund designated as the Children's Waiting Room fund. The fee changed will be effective April 11, 2016.

Passed by the Kane County Board on March 8, 2016.



John A. Cunningham
Clerk, County Board
Kane County, Illinois



Christopher J. Lauzen
Chairman, County Board
Kane County, Illinois

Vote:
[Unanimous]

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