

ORDINANCE 2016-024

PASSED: AUGUST 22, 2016

**AMENDING CHAPTER 28 "FIRE PREVENTION REGULATIONS", SECTION 28.06 "FEES" OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE AS IT PERTAINS TO ANNUAL REVIEW OF FEES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of DeKalb, DeKalb County, Illinois is a home rule community with those powers granted under the provisions of the Illinois Constitution and the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1, *et. seq.*; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of DeKalb currently maintains Chapter 28 of the City Code, which relates to the ambulance fees imposed by the City; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds that certain updates to Chapter 28 are required to properly promote the public health, safety, welfare and morals;

**THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Mayor and City Council of the City of DeKalb, DeKalb County, Illinois, as follows:

**Section 1.** Section 28.06 c) shall be amended as follows:

c) ~~Commencing on July 1, 2001, t~~ **On or before July 1 of each year**, the City shall **positively** adjust the fees ~~on or before July 1 of each year~~ in accordance with the most recent **increase in the** Consumer Price Index (CPI) – All Urban Consumers for the Chicago, Gary, Kenosha Region, **if any**.

**Said increase shall be based upon either the most recent annual to annual comparison, or most recent available monthly comparison, at the discretion of the Finance Director.** The adjusted fees shall be rounded up to the nearest whole dollar.

**Section 2.** All ordinances or portions thereof in conflict with this ordinance, including the prior versions of the ordinances included above, are hereby repealed.

**Section 3.** Should any provision of this Ordinance be declared invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions will remain in full force and affect the same as if the invalid provision had not been a part of this Ordinance.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after passage and publication pursuant to law. Publication date: August 23, 2016. Effective date: September 1, 2016.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL** of the City of DeKalb, Illinois, at a Regular meeting thereof held on the day of August 22, 2016, and approved by me as Mayor on the same day. Passed by a roll call vote of 8-0. Aye: Jacobson, Finucane, Marquardt, Snow, Noreiko, Baker, Faivre, Rey.

**ATTEST:**

  
JENNIFER JEEP JOHNSON, City Clerk

  
JOHN A. REY, Mayor

