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ORDINANCE NO. 3822

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER IX OF THE OSAWATOMIE
MUNICIPAL CODE TO LIMIT FEES CHARGED BY COURT APPOINTED
ATTORNEYS IN THE CITY OF OSAWATOMIE, KANSAS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF
OSAWATOMIE, KANSAS:**

SECTION ONE: The Code of the City of Osawatomie, Chapter IX. Municipal Court is hereby amended to add Article 9-112 which shall read as follows:

“9-112. Court Appointed Attorneys; Limitations on Fees.

(a) For attorneys appointed to represent indigent defendants charged in the Municipal Court of Osawatomie, Kansas, as adults, the City shall pay fees at the rate of eighty-five (\$85) dollars per hour.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection (a) above, the maximum fee to be paid an appointed attorney for any one indigent representation shall be eight hundred fifty (\$850) dollars.

(c) Upon completion of representation of an indigent defendant in the Osawatomie Municipal Court, the appointed attorney shall present claim for payment to the City Clerk.

(d) For services rendered to an indigent defendant for appeal and trial in the District Court of Miami County, Kansas, the fees to be paid to the attorney representing the indigent defendant shall be as set out in Sections 1 and 2 hereof.”

SECTION FOUR: Any ordinance or part(s) of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION FIVE: This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Osawatomie, Kansas, a majority being in favor thereof, this 26th day of January, 2023.

APPROVED and signed by the Mayor.

(SEAL)

Nick Hampson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tammy Seamands, City Clerk