

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-52
Increase in Kootenai County Sheriff's Office Bond Fee

WHEREAS, *Idaho Code* §31-3203 vests the Board of County Commissioners with the power and authority to set, by resolution, Sheriff's bonding fees to be charged by the Kootenai County Sheriff's Office for bonding services provided by the Sheriff's Office within Kootenai County; and,

WHEREAS, *Idaho Code* §31-3203 states that the Sheriff's bonding fees established shall be reasonably related to but not exceed the actual costs of the bonding services provided; and,

WHEREAS, *Idaho Code* §63-1311A allows for fee increases not to exceed 5% after a properly noticed public hearing has been held; and,

WHEREAS, in March 2021, the Kootenai County Auditor's Office conducted a fee analysis and found that the Sheriff's Office costs of providing the Sheriff's bonding services had significantly increased from the prior adoption of fees;

WHEREAS, after discussing the results of the fee analysis, and after reviewing the nature and extent of the Sheriff's Bonding services being provided and considering the demand for such services and the manpower necessary to provide such services, it has been determined that an adjustment of these fees is necessary due to the changes in the expenses incurred by the Kootenai County Sheriff's Office in providing the Sheriff's bonding services in Kootenai County.

WHEREAS, legal notice of the proposed Sheriff's bond fee increase was published in the Coeur d'Alene Press, and a public hearing was held on May 11, 2021, as required under *Idaho Code* §63-1311A.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the fee increase from \$10 per case being bonded to \$15 per case being bonded; and incorporated herein by reference shall apply to Sheriff's bond services provided by the Kootenai County Sheriff's Office effective May 21, 2021.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Sheriff's Bonding Fee shall continue in effect for succeeding years, unless changed or modified by formal resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Resolution 2021-52 shall supersede prior Board of County Commissioner Resolutions related to Sheriff's Bonding Fees.

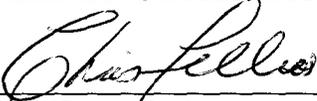
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Upon a motion to adopt the text of the foregoing Resolution made by Commissioner Duncan, seconded by Commissioner Brooks, the following vote was recorded:

Commissioner Brooks: Aye
Commissioner Duncan: Aye
Chairman Fillios: Aye

Upon said roll call, the text of the foregoing was duly enacted as a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of Kootenai County, Idaho, on the 11th day of May, 2021

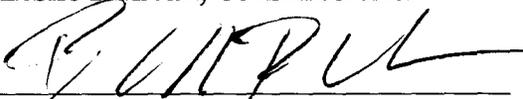
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Chris Fillios, Chairman



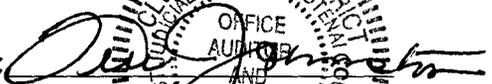
Leslie Duncan, Commissioner



Bill Brooks, Commissioner

ATTEST:

JIM BRANNON, CLERK

By: 

Deputy Clerk

