Spencer County, Kentucky Ordinance No. 2 Fiscal Year 2019 Series

An Ordinance Creating the Spencer County Drug Intervention Fund

Whereas, the Fiscal Court of Spencer County, Kentucky is aware of the increasing problems in Spencer County relative to substance abuse, and;

Whereas, the Fiscal Court of Spencer County has determined that substance abuse is detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Spencer County, and;

Whereas, the Fiscal Court of Spencer County has determined that it is in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Spencer County, Kentucky to establish a commission to assist in community efforts to address substance abuse and prevent the effects of substance abuse in Spencer County.

Now Therefore, Be It Ordained by the Fiscal Court of the County of Spencer, Commonwealth of Kentucky, by virtue of authority vested in said Fiscal Court by KRS 67.083, after passage, approval and publication of this ordinance, as follows:

SECTION (1): Creation of the Spencer County Drug Intervention Fund

The Fiscal Court of Spencer County, Kentucky hereby creates and establishes the **Spencer County Drug Intervention Fund** for the purpose of promoting the prevention of illegal drug use and apprehension of those promoting illegal drug usage and drug trafficking in Spencer County, as well as, promoting education in the harmful effects of substance abuse. The Spencer County Drug Intervention Fund shall be governed by all provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes as they now exist and as they may hereafter be amended or added to.

SECTION (2): Funding

Funding may be received by donations, fund-raising and restitution payments.

SECTION (3): Oversight Committee

The following persons shall serve on a committee to oversee the fund: the Spencer County Judge Executive, the Spencer County Sheriff, the Spencer County Attorney, the Mayor of the City of Taylorsville, the Chief of the Taylorsville City Police Department, one citizen member appointed by the Spencer County Judge Executive, and one citizen member appointed by the Mayor of the City of Taylorsville.

SECTION (4): Responsibilities of Oversight Committee

The committee members shall be responsible for coordinating efforts among local law enforcement agencies to prevent substance abuse in Spencer County, to promote cooperation among

agencies, to improve the ability of agencies to respond to substance abuse and its effects, and to improve the technological ability of agencies to counteract and prevent illegal drug use and drug trafficking to and from Spencer County.

SECTION (5): Accounting of Funds.

All monies collected pursuant to this section shall be maintained in an account separate and unique from all other funds and revenues collected and shall be designated for use in drug prevention efforts, including, but not limited to, technology, education, and payment for the cost of an annual audit of the funds/account.

SECTION (6): Other Provisions.

- 1) The committee shall elect from its membership a chairperson, a secretary, and a treasurer, and may make contracts necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance. The contract may include, but shall not be limited to, the procurement of promotional services and other services and materials relating to the promotion of drug prevention and apprehension.
- 2) The bank statements of the fund/account shall be audited annually by an independent auditor who shall make a report to the committee, to the Spencer County Fiscal Court and the City Council of the City of Taylorsville. A copy of the audit report shall be made available by the committee to members of the public upon request.
- 3) All prior ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Introduced, and given first reading at a duly convened meeting of the Spencer County Fiscal Court, Spencer County, Kentucky, held on the $\underline{15^{th}}$ day of $\underline{\text{October}}$, 2018.

Given second reading, passed, adopted and approved by the Fiscal Court of Spencer County, Kentucky, upon motion of Esq. <u>Bayevs</u>, seconded by Esq. <u>Judd</u> at a duly convened meeting held on the <u>5th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2018.

John Riley

Spencer County Judge Executive

Attest:

Lynn Hesselbrock

Spencer Fiscal Court Clerk