

ORDINANCE NO. 99-1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CREATION OF A MUNICIPAL COURT BUILDING SECURITY FUND.

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 349 authorized a city to create a municipal court building security fund wherein defendants convicted in a trial for a municipal offense shall pay a \$3.00 security fee as a cost of court; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 182 amends Vernon's Ann. Code of Criminal Procedure article 102.017 to provide that the \$3.00 fee for municipal court building security is due on all misdemeanor convictions, not just convictions in a trial; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Jamaica Beach deems it in the best interest of the City to create a municipal court security fund; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS:

Section 1: That the facts and opinion in the preamble of this ordinance are true.

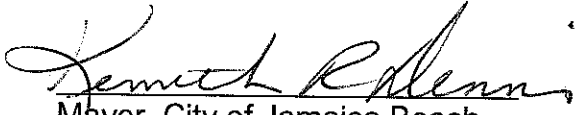
Section 2: There is herein created a special revenue municipal court building security fund to be used for the purpose of providing security services for buildings housing a municipal court. Senate Bill 182 expands the qualified uses of the money in Article 102.017 as amended to include continuing education on security issues for court and security personnel.

Section 3: All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent or are in conflict with this ordinance, are hereby repealed insofar as, and only to the extent, such ordinances are inconsistent or are in conflict with this ordinance.

Section 4: In the event any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phase, provision, sentence, or part of the ordinance or the application of the same to any person or circumstance shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this ordinance as a whole or any part or provisions hereof other than

the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional and the City Council of the City of Jamaica Beach, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission or any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, or whether there be one or more parts.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 18 day of JANUARY, 1999.


Mayor, City of Jamaica Beach

ATTEST

T. White
Jamaica Beach City Secretary