E911 INFORMATION

OHIO COUNTY COMMISSION

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF OHIO COUNTY AMENDING THE COUNTYWIDE ENHANCED EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM BY INCREASING THE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE FEE

WHEREAS the Ohio County Commission established the countywide enhanced emergency telephone system, by ordinance duly adopted December 3, 1986, in order to promote the public health, safety and welfare by allowing the request for emergency police, fire, ambulance and rescue services by dialing 911 from any telephone in the County; and

WHEREAS the present exchange service fee of \$1.12 per month is insufficient to fund needed improvements to the communication system infrastructure.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF OHIO COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA:

Section 1. The countywide enhanced emergency telephone system is hereby amended to permit an increase of the monthly local exchange service line to the amount of \$1.97 per month per local exchange service line.

Section 2. Prior to the adoption of this ordinance, and in compliance with the provisions of West Virginia Code §24-6-6, the County Commission caused notice of this proposed amendment to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the county notifying the public of this intent and on the 3rd day of October, 2006, said Commission did hold a public meeting in the office of the Ohio County Commission on the second floor of the City-County Building, 1500 Chapline Street, Wheeling, West Virginia, where the amendment was explaimed and comments received.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be effective from and after the date of its passage.

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Passed on the 3rd day of October

David J. Sims, President

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