

## **Resolution #20-001**

### AGREEMENT TO COLLECT FEE DUE PARISHES OR MUNICIPALITIES ON SERVICES OR TRANSACTIONS OF MOTOR VEHICLES

This document evidences that the Secretary, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, and the Town of Homer have agreed, under authority of R.S. 32:429, and under authority of ordinance adopted by the said governing body on the 10th day of February, to levy a fee for services rendered by local field offices of the Office of Motor Vehicles of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, which local field office is not fully funded by the state, to provide that the avails of such fee shall be remitted to the governing body of that parish to be used solely to defray local costs of the operation of that local field office, specifically including but not limited to rent or debt services for new construction, repairs and maintenance, janitorial, disposal and pest control cost, building and property insurance coverage, electricity and water costs. If a surplus exists, the Office of Motor Vehicles will have the option to purchase furniture, equipment, fixtures, supplies, etc. and convert said surplus to recover costs of OMV operations. In the event that any legislation is passed that affects this agreement, such legislation will prevail.

It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that the Secretary, Department of Public Safety and Corrections, shall collect the fee of \$4.50 (\$4.50 maximum) per service or transaction carried out as an operation of the local field office of the Office of Motor Vehicles of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections. This fee shall not apply to the procurement or renewal of a motor vehicle registration license.

In the event that public funding for the State becomes inadequate to continue operation of the Homer Motor Vehicle Field Office, the State may terminate this agreement by giving sixty (60) days written notice to the Town of Homer.

Any fee levied shall be considered non-state funds and shall be collected by the Motor Vehicle Commissioner on behalf of the Town of Homer pursuant to this agreement executed by and between the Motor Vehicle Commissioner and the Town of Homer. Any such fees collected by Motor Vehicle Commissioner shall be deposited in the state treasury in the Escrow Fund and held for the account of the Town of Homer. The Office of Motor Vehicle Commissioner shall distribute any such fees to the Town of Homer at least monthly.

In witness hereof, this agreement has been signed by Lt. Colonel Jason Starnes, Deputy Superintendent-Chief Administrative Officer, and by the said, Dr. Xanthe Y. Seals, Mayor, duly authorized representative of the Town of Homer, at the place and on the date set opposite their names.


Motion was made by Councilwoman Patricia Jenkins  
Seconded by Councilman Johnny West

Checks Made Payable To:

Implementation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name    Town of Homer  
Address: 400 East Main Street  
          Homer, LA 71040

Signed at Homer, Louisiana  
on 2/11/20, 2020

  
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Dr. Xanthe Y. Seals, Mayor  
Town of Homer

Signed at Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
on \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

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Lt. Colonel Jason Starnes  
Deputy Superintendent-Chief Administrative Officer  
Dept. of Public Safety & Corrections,  
Public Safety Services

**\*This agreement increases the transaction fee amount to \$4.50 in accordance with Act 765 of the 2014 Regular Legislative Session.**