BILL NO. 17

ORDINANCE NO. #14

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE ATTORNEY TO COMMENCE NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE ASSOCIATE CIRCUIT COURT OF WARREN COUNTY PERTAINING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VILLAGE OF INNSBROOK MUNICIPAL COURT

WHEREAS Section 479.040 R.S.Mo. authorizes villages such as the Village of Innsbrook to have cases involving alleged violations of municipal ordinances to be heard in and by the local Associate Circuit Court instead of establishing a separate Municipal Court for the Village of Innsbrook; and

Whereas the Board of Trustees of the City of Innsbrook, prior to authorizing any expenditure of funds related to the establishment of a separate Municipal Court for the Village of Innsbrook, is desirous of investigating the possibility of using the Warren County Associate Circuit Court to hear cases involving alleged violations of Village of Innsbrook ordinances;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF INNSBROOK AS FOLLOWS:

Section One.

The Village Attorney is hereby authorized and directed, on behalf of the Village, to contact and meet with the Associate Circuit Judge of Warren County, and any other appropriate Warren County officers or employees, to identify the Warren County Associate Circuit Court policies and procedures governing the use of said Associate Circuit Court for the hearing of cases involving the alleged violation of municipal ordinances.

Section Two.

The Village Attorney is hereby directed to compile, for the benefit of the Board of Trustees, on or before $\underline{q-23-}$, 1998, a written report communicating the Warren County Associate Circuit Court policies and procedures governing the use of said Associate Circuit Court for the hearing of cases involving the alleged violation of municipal ordinances.

Section Three.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect both from and after its passage and approval.

This Bill was passed and approved this <u>2</u> day of July, 1998, by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Innsbrook after having been read by title or in full two times prior to passage.

CHAIRMAN Juch

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