# WABASH COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. IV-2003

# ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WABASH COUNTY ESTABLISHING A COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PROGRAM FUND

WHEREAS, I.C. 36-1-3 entitled Home Rule grants local government units all powers necessary for effective operation of local government affairs; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Wabash County, Indiana, desire to establish a Community Corrections Program, and

WHEREAS, the Wabash County Community Corrections Program may provide preventative services, services to offenders, services to persons charged with a crime or act of delinquency, services to persons diverted from the criminal or delinquency process and will be operated under a Community Corrections Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Wabash County Community Corrections Program may additionally provide employment, education, mental health, drug or alcohol abuse counseling services, or transition services and may include housing or supervision, and

WHEREAS, I.C. 11-12-2-12 entitled "Community Corrections Fund Established", requires each county desiring to participate in a Community Corrections Program establish a Community Corrections Fund with said fund to be administered by the Community Corrections Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, the Wabash County Community Corrections Fund shall receive funding from State subsidy, local funding, grant and donation; and

WHEREAS, within the Wabash County Community Correction Fund there shall be received monies for the Work Release Program, Home Detention Program, and Transition Services; and

WHEREAS, the Wabash County Community Corrections Fund shall be authorized to receive deposits of funds from the Indiana Department of Corrections computed pursuant to I.C. 11-12-6-13 entitled County Misdemeanant Fund Deposits; computation.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of Commissioners of Wabash County as follows:

#### SECTION I

Pursuant to I.C. 11-12-2-12 the Board of Commissioners of Wabash County hereby elects to establish a Community Corrections Program Fund on behalf of the Wabash County Community Corrections Program.

### SECTION II

All funds shall be collected by the Wabash County Community Corrections, received and accounted for by the Wabash County Auditor's Office on a monthly basis and deposited with the Wabash County Treasurer's Office.

# SECTION III

The Wabash County Community Corrections Program Fund will be administered by the Community Corrections Advisory Board.

# SECTION IV

Monies in said fund may be received and used for any Community Corrections Programs including but not limited to, Work Release, Home Detention, and Transition Services.

#### **SECTION V**

The fund shall receive monies from State subsidy, grant, user fees, and donation.

#### SECTION VI

The Wabash County Community Corrections Fund shall be authorized to receive deposits of funds from the Indiana Department of Corrections computed pursuant to I.C. 11-12-6-13 entitled "County Misdemeanants Fund Deposits; computation."

#### **SECTION VII**

Expenditures may be made from the fund for any purpose necessary in operation and administration of the Wabash County Community Corrections Program.

#### SECTION VIII

Expenditures may be made from the fund at the direction of the Wabash County Community Corrections Program Advisory Board.

# **SECTION IX**

All monies received by the county for the Community Corrections Program and related services shall immediately be placed in the fund.

# SECTION X

The aforementioned funds shall be perpetual and nonreverting at year end and shall only terminate by subsequent ordinance.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of Wabash County, Indiana, this 14 day of October, 2003, on one reading with the rules being suspended by unanimous consent of all Wabash County Commissioners as indicated by their signatures below.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WABASH COUNTY

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Carol Stefanatos, Auditor 10-14-03