ORDINANCE NO. 90-II

ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ENHANCED 911 SERVICE FOR THE CITIZENS WITHIN THE CORPORATE BOUNDARIES

OF THE COUNTY OF WABASH

WHEREAS, I.C. 36-8-16 recognizes that counties may establish enhanced emergency telephone systems utilizing the three digit number 9-1-1 to send automatic number identification and automatic location identification for reporting emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, I.C. 36-8-16-5 authorized counties, through their fiscal bodies to impose on all users of exchange telephone service in their jurisdictions, a uniform monthly fee which may be used for the installation and operation of an enhanced emergency telephone system; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of Wabash County hereby find that the establishment and funding of an enhanced emergency telephone system would be in the best interest of the residents of Wabash County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Wabash County:

Section 1: The Board of Commissioners of Wabash County does hereby adopt an enhanced 9-1-1 emergency telephone system to send automatic number identification and automatic location identification for reporting fire, medical and other emergency situations.

Section 2: The aforesaid 9-1-1 emergency system shall be adopted for the benefit of all incorporated or unincorporated areas with Wabash County being a county wide system.

Section 3: A monthly service fee per telephone access line will be collected by the service supplier to pay for the lease, purchase or maintenance of the 9-1-1 system, including necessary computer hardware, software and data base provisioning; and the rates associated with the service suppliers enhanced emergency telephone network service. Said fee is established at the rate of service cents per telephone access line per month and will be assessed against all access lines of the telephone subscribers in the service area covered by the 9-1-1 system.

Section 4: Each service supplier that collects the enhanced emergency telephone system fee on behalf of the County is entitled

to a three percent (3%) administrative fee as compensation for collecting fees. The remaining amount of the fee collected during the calendar quarter shall be remitted to the Wabash County Auditor within ten (10) days after the last day of the quarter. At the same time that the collected fees are remitted, the service supplier shall provide a fee collection report to the County Auditor on a form provided and approved by the Wabash County Auditor.

Section 5: The Wabash County Auditor shall deposit the remitted fees in a separate fund known as the E 9-1-1 fund. The County Auditor may invest money in the fund in the same manner as other monies are invested with the interest earned from such investment to be deposited to the E 9-1-1 fund.

Section 6: By January 31 of each year, each service supplier that is required to collect the fee for Wabash County shall provide a delinquent fee report to the Wabash County Auditor. The report shall list the name, address and amount due for each service user who is two (2) or more months delinquent in paying the E 9-1-1, fee.

Section 7: The effective date for the monthly service user fee for any service user to whom E 9-1-1 emergency service was available on or before _______, shall be that date, and said monthly user service shall be imposed and collected by the service supplier for any billings made subsequent to ______including retroactive billings, if necessary and appropriate. Effective date for the imposition of monthly user fee for any service user to whom E 9-1-1 service was not operationally available on ______ shall be the month in which said service became (or becomes) operationally available, and shall be imposed and collected by the service supplier in the monthly billing for the month in which said E 9-1-1 service did become available.

Section 8: A E 9-1-1 Committee/Board is hereby created for the purpose of providing the County Commissioners with data, advice and recommendations regarding the implementation of 9-1-1 service, its day to day operations, training of personnel, dispatch standards, review of rates and other matters which from time to time need the review of the Committee/Board in order to maintain an effective and efficient 9-1-1 emergency system.

Section 9: The composition of the E 9-1-1 Committee/Board is as follows:

- A. a County Commissioner
- B. Chief of Police of North Manchester
- C. Chief of Police of Wabash
- D. Sheriff of Wabash County
- E. a Fire/EMS representative

The Fire/EMS representative shall be appointed by the Board of County Commissioners.

Section 10: The Board of Commissioners shall be responsible for appointing a director/coordinator of the E 9-1-1 emergency telephone system.

Section 11: The ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage according to law.

PASSED by the Board of Commissioners of Wabash County, Indiana, this 23 day of _______, 1990.

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PASSED by the Wabash County Council this 27 day of Cugust, 1990.

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Wabash County E911 County Wide July 16, 1990

Monthly Charges (all exchanges in County) \$12,763

Estimated Subscribers 13,778

Monthly Surcharge \$0.926

Monthly Surcharge if surcharge (\$1.00) is collected for:

6 months	(\$13,778	per	month)	\$0.83
8 months	11 11	11	**	\$0.80
10 months	s " "	11	99	\$0.77
12 months	5 " "	11	11	\$0.73

Monthly Surcharge for 84 months if surcharge is collected 12 months in advance \$0.78

Estimated Implementation Schedule

Execute Contracts with GTE	August 31, 1990
Identify In/Out County	November 1, 1990
Surcharge Begins	February 1, 199
Addresses Verified	June 1, 199∳
Final PSAP Specifications	July 1, 199∳
Equipment Installed	October 15, 199
Database Installed	November 1, 199♠
Notification Mailed	November 1, 199
Testing Begins	December 1, 199
Special Information Complete	January 1, 199
Ribbon Cutting - Cutover	February 15, 199