

# Town Hall - Ordinances

## GENERAL

### Ordinance 2004-10 REGARDING INSUFFICIENT FUNDS CHECKS

Repealing and Replacing Ordinance #98-4 and Resolution #2000A

This Ordinance repeals and replaces Ordinance #98-4 and Resolution #2000A.

WHEREAS, The Town Council of Camden, Indiana, deems it necessary to establish rules and regulations for the economic and efficient administration of the collection of checks which are dishonored by a financial institution (hereinafter called "bad checks" when said checks have been given to the Town of Camden as payment for any services provided by said Town, now therefore,

The following rules and regulations with reference to said bad checks are hereby adopted by the Town Council of Camden, Indiana.

- (1) Notice of and collection of said bad checks will be governed by the statutes in effect in the State of Indiana, and at this time, more particularly Indiana Code 35-43-5-5 and Indiana Code 26-2-7-3, copies of which are attached to this resolution and made part hereof.
- (2) If said checks are not paid within ten (10) days after due notice as provided in the above statutes in effect in the State of Indiana, then said check will be forward to the State if Indiana via its Prosecutor for prosecution thereof.
- (3) A person giving a bad check for payment of any services of the Town of Camden shall be required to pay future payments for services either in cash or by certified or cashier's check.
- (4) The Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Camden shall not accept partial payments of said bad checks.
- (5) In the event that the above-stated statutes are superseded by future statues, then said future statute shall be in lieu of the statutes above stated.

It is FURTHER ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

Any check payable to the Town of Camden, Indiana, or to any official thereof in his/her official capacity which is dishonored or returned for any reason shall be subject to the following fees: The greater of \$27.50 or 5% (but not more than \$250.00).

This Ordinance will take effect after publication as required by law.

Dated: The 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2004.

TOWN OF CAMDEN, INDIANA

Ralph Rohrabough, President

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ATTEST:

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