

Amendment to Enhanced 911 Ordinance
for
Upshur County, West Virginia

The County Commission of Upshur County, West Virginia does hereby amend the Enhanced 911 Ordinance as follows:

Replacement of Section 3(b) with the following:

There shall be one county answering point in a location authorized and approved by the County Commission of Upshur County.

Replacement of Section 6(a) with the following:

Pursuant to the Code of West Virginia, in particular chapter seven, article one section three cc (§7-1-3cc) as amended, the County Commission of Upshur County hereby imposes a fee of two dollars and sixty-five cents (\$2.65) per month per local exchange service line to finance the actual and/or projected costs of the enhanced emergency telephone system. Such fee shall become effective on the 1st day of July, 2005.

For any and all accounts serviced by Centrex lines, the first eight (8) Centrex lines would be charged a fee of two dollars and sixty-five cents (\$2.65) per line with each line in excess of eight (8) being charged thirty-three cents (\$0.33) which would represent approximately one-eighth (1/8) of the fee. Such fee shall become effective on the 1st day of July, 2005.

These fees will be utilized to cover the following cost areas associated with the enhanced 911 system:

1. Payment of wages, related payroll costs and benefits for all employees whose employment is directly associated and connected to the enhanced 911 system, including the premium cost of medical and other insurance coverage for employees.
2. All telephone company charges associated to and connected to the providing of services for the enhanced 911 system.
3. Costs associated with the providing of training for personnel employed to operate the enhanced 911 system.
4. Costs associated with the purchase, replacement, enhancement, repair and/or maintenance of enhanced 911 telecommunications equipment, including computer and other electronic equipment associated with the enhanced 911 database and/or other direct operational aspects of the enhanced 911 system.
5. Radio equipment, including spare equipment, used in the dispatching of emergency service providers pursuant to calls to 911 and/or transferring or relaying 911 calls or information related to such calls.
6. Costs associated with emergency power generation, transmission and control equipment.

7. Costs associated with the conversion of rural routes to city-type addressing including any cost to maintain and/or update the master street address file or information.

8. Any other reasonable cost(s) associated with the establishing, equipping, furnishing, operating or maintaining a county answering point.

Replacement of Section 6(b) with the following:

As of the effective date of this amendment, the County Commission of Upshur County does adopt established procedure(s) as provided for by the statute and/or regulation by the State of West Virginia, including any agency or political subdivision thereof, for billing and collection of the E911 fee with all vendors that provide such telephone service to and in Upshur County.

Replacement of Section 6(c) with the following:

The costs associated with the establishing, equipping, furnishing, operating and/or maintaining a county answering point may be paid for from the fees imposed per this Ordinance and/or any other funding source as authorized by the statutes of West Virginia and/or so ordered and approved by the County Commission of Upshur County.

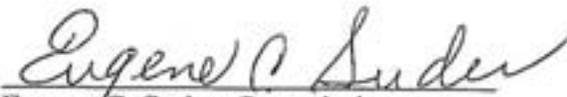
On a motion properly moved and seconded, the County Commission of Upshur County, West Virginia does hereby declare that the above amendment was approved on the 17th day of March, 2005 and shall become effective on the 1st day of July, 2005.



Donnie R. Tenney, President



Stephen P. Abel, Commissioner



Eugene C. Suder, Commissioner