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7 **ORDINANCE**
8 **NUMBER 2022-14**
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10 **AN ORDINANCE OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE**
11 **OF ORDINANCES OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA RELATING TO FEES,**
12 **RATES AND CHARGES; BY ADDING LIBRARY SYSTEM FEES TO**
13 **APPENDIX B TITLED “SCHEDULE OF FEES, RATES AND CHARGES”;**
14 **PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A REPEALING**
15 **CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE AND**
16 **PROVIDING DIRECTIONS TO THE CLERK AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**
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19 **WHEREAS**, Florida law authorizes counties to adopt reasonable fees, rates and
20 charges for various county services and functions that are requested by and of benefit to
21 private persons/entities; and
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23 **WHEREAS**, it has been the practice of Levy County to adopt such fees, rates and
24 charges by various resolutions; and
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26 **WHEREAS**, by adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-7 on March 8, 2022, the Board of
27 County Commissioners of Levy County determined it would be easier to budget and
28 manage and it would be more user friendly to the public to adopt its fees, rates and
29 charges by ordinances that are codified in a new Appendix B to the Code of Ordinances
30 that is readily available for viewing in the online code library at
31 https://library.municode.com/fl/levy_county/codes/code_of_ordinances ; and
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33 **WHEREAS**, this Ordinance adds the Library System Fees to Appendix B; and
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35 **WHEREAS**, in accordance with State law, the fees proposed in this ordinance are
36 recommended by County staff as reasonable and reflective of the cost of providing the
37 services and functions for which the fees are charged; and
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39 **WHEREAS**, at least ten (10) days' notice has been given once by publication in a
40 newspaper of general circulation notifying the public of this proposed ordinance and of a
41 public hearing in the Levy County Government Center in Bronson, Florida; and
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43 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of County Commissioners
44 of Levy County, Florida, that:

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2 **SECTION 1.** The following County Library System Fees are added to Appendix B
3 titled "Schedule of Fees, Rates and Charges":
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<u>APPENDIX B – SCHEDULE OF FEES, RATES AND CHARGES</u> <u>COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM</u>	
<u>1. Daily fines all items</u>	<u>\$.10 cents</u>
<u>2. Maximum fine per item</u>	<u>\$5.00</u>
<u>3. Processing fee for each lost item</u>	<u>\$3.00</u>
<u>4. Card replacement charge</u>	<u>\$1.00</u>
<u>5. Photocopies and pages printed from a computer</u>	<u>Black and white copies: \$.10 cents for one-sided, \$.25 cents for two-sided</u> <u>Color copies: \$.25 cents for one sided</u>
<u>6. Replacement of lost cd/video case</u>	<u>Actual cost or \$1.00, whichever is greater</u>
<u>7. Facsimiles, sending or receiving (per page)</u>	<u>\$1.00</u>
<u>8. Lost items – book, cd/video, audio tape</u>	<u>If item is available, current list price plus all related costs (e.g., shipping, taxes)</u> <u>If item is no longer available - original list price</u>
<u>9. Damaged item</u>	<u>Determined by Library Director, may be up to price of damaged item plus all related costs (e.g., shipping, taxes)</u>

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7 **SECTION 2. Severability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase,
8 portion or provision of this ordinance is for any reason declared or held invalid or
9 unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such section, subsection,
10 sentence, clause, phrase, portion or provision shall be deemed a separate, distinct and
11 independent provision, and the remainder of this ordinance shall be not affected by such
12 declaration or holding.
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1 **SECTION 3. Repeal.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances and all resolutions or
2 parts of resolutions of Levy County that are in conflict with this ordinance are, to the extent
3 of the conflict, hereby repealed.

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5 **SECTION 4. Inclusion in the Code.** The provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance
6 shall become and be made a part of the Levy County Code, and the sections of this
7 ordinance may be renumbered or relettered and the word "ordinance" may be changed
8 to "section," "article," "regulation," or such other appropriate word or phrase in order to
9 accomplish the codification.

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11 **SECTION 5. Effective Date.** In accordance with Section 125.66, Florida Statutes,
12 the Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners is directed to file this ordinance with the
13 Florida Department of State within 10 days after adoption and upon such filing, this
14 ordinance shall become effective.

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16 **PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED** this 19th day of July, 2022.

17 **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**
18 **OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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22 Russell Meeks Jr., Chairman

23 **ATTEST:** Danny J. Shipp, Clerk of
24 the Circuit Court and Ex-Officio Clerk
25 to the Board of County Commissioners

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28 Danny J. Shipp

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31 Approved as to form and legal sufficiency

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34 Nicolle M. Shalley, County Attorney

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