

RESOLUTION NO. 10-0608

INSUFFICIENT CHECK POLICY:

WHEREAS, Iowa County does not have a policy concerning insufficient checks and received approximately 18 insufficient checks in 2006, 15 in 2007 and 6 thus far in 2008, and.

WHEREAS, many other organizations both public and private have established policies covering insufficient checks; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Services Committee has discussed this issue and determines the need exists for a such a policy, and

WHEREAS, other counties have been surveyed and for those counties that have a policy, the fee ranges from \$20 to \$50 with the most prevalent being \$25.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by The Iowa County Board of Supervisors, that the authority to establish a policy for insufficient funds as follows:

Fee for Returned and/or Worthless Checks. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes, Section 59.07, Iowa County, does hereby impose a fee of \$25.00 on all persons, firms, corporations, or other organizations which submit worthless checks or other order for payment of money in payment of any fee, tax, or other charge legally imposed by any office, official, employee, or officer acting on behalf of Iowa County. Said charge being the appropriate cost of processing a worthless check by Iowa County.

The aforesaid \$25.00 charge may be imposed by any office, official, employee or officer acting on behalf of Iowa County on a person, firm, corporation, or other organization who submits a check or other order for payment of money which is worthless, regardless of the intent of the person, firm, corporation, or other organization that submits said worthless check or other worthless order for payment of money.

The levying of the above charge does not preclude the person, firm, corporation, or other organization, issuing the worthless check, from being subject to forfeiture proceedings pursuant to Iowa County ordinances or criminal proceedings pursuant to the statutes of the State of Wisconsin or provided by law.

Dated this 17th day of June 2008.

Respectfully submitted by the Iowa County Administrative Services Committee