

ORDINANCE NO. 839

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER I, ARTICLE 5, SECTION 1-512 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF LECOMPTON, KANSAS, REPEALING CHAPTER I, ARTICLE 5, SECTION 1-513, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF LECOMPTON, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. Section 1-512 of the Lecompton City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

1-512 FEES. Each records custodian may prescribe and charge reasonable fees for providing access to or furnishing copies of public records, subject to the following:

(a) In the case of fees for copies of records, the fees shall not exceed the actual cost of furnishing the requested records, including the cost of staff time required to make the information available. Actual costs may include the cost to review and redact the requested records but shall not include incidental costs incurred by the City that are not attributable to furnishing the requested records;

(b) In the case of fees for providing access to records maintained on computer facilities, the fees shall include only the cost of any computer services, including staff time required;

(c) If the City incurs costs for staff time to provide access to or furnish copies of public records, the records custodian shall use in good faith the lowest-cost category of staff reasonably necessary to provide access to or furnish copies of public records. Charges for staff time shall be based on the employee's salary or hourly wage. Charges for staff time shall not include the costs of employee benefits; and

(d) Upon request, the records custodian shall provide to the person requesting access to or copies of public records an itemized statement of costs incurred by the City and charged to such requester. Such itemized statement shall include, but not be limited to, the hourly rates charged for each employee involved in making the requested records available and an itemized list of any other fees charged to provide access to or furnish copies of the requested records.

SECTION 2. Section 1-513 of the Lecompton City Code is hereby repealed in its entirety.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts or sections of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

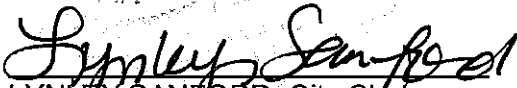
SECTION 4. If any section, clause, sentence, or phrase of this ordinance is found to be unconstitutional or is otherwise held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect the validity of any remaining parts of this ordinance.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect following its adoption and publication as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 2nd day of
September, 2025.



ATTEST:


LYNLEY SANFORD, City Clerk


THE HONORABLE JIMMY WILKINS, Mayor