RESOLUTION

of the
ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
regarding
FALSE SECURITY ALARM REGISTRATION FEE, REINSTATEMENT FEE AND SERVICE FEE

Resolution No. 2012-M-35

WHEREAS, on September 18, 2012, the Orange County Board of County Commissioners ("Board") will consider approval of the Orange County False Alarm Ordinance ("Ordinance"); and

WHEREAS, the purpose and focus of the Ordinance is to reduce False Security Alarms to the Orange County Sheriff's Office and improve its operational efficiency; and

WHEREAS, Article V, False Security Alarms, Chapter 28, Orange County Code, provides that a False Security Alarm Registration Fee, Reinstatement Fee and Service Fee shall be established by Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the County, its citizens, and its visitors, to establish a False Security Alarm Registration Fee, Reinstatement Fee and Service Fee

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY:

Section 1. The schedules for False Security Alarm Registration Fee, Reinstatement Fee and Service Fee are established as set forth below.

FALSE SECURITY ALARM REGISTRATION FEE, REINSTATEMENT FEE AND SERVICE FEE

REGISTRATION FEE

As provided for in Section 28-125, Orange County Code, alarm businesses that sell, install, repair and/or monitor Alarm Systems shall register their business with the Orange County Sheriff's Alarm Administrator and pay a $45.00 registration fee renewable every other year on the anniversary of its initial registration.
REINSTATEMENT FEE

As provided for in Section 28-123, Orange County Code, alarm users who have received an Order of Discontinued Service are required to pay a $45.00 Reinstatement Fee in order for the Alarm Administrator to rescind the Order of Discontinued Service.

SERVICE FEE

As provided for in Section 28-120, Orange County Code, a Service Fee for False Security Alarms shall be charged as follows:

(a) Each False Alarm in excess of three (3) and up to and including six (6) within a twelve (12) month period shall result in a service fee of $50.00 (fifty dollars) per false alarm.

(b) Each False Alarm in excess of six (6) within a twelve (12) month period shall result in a service fee of $100.00 (one hundred dollars) per false alarm.

(c) Each False Alarm in excess of twelve (12) within a twelve (12) month period shall result in a fee of $200.00 (two hundred dollars) per False Alarm.

No Service Fee shall be charged for the first three (3) False Alarms occurring within a twelve (12) month period, calculated from the date of the first such alarm.

Section 2. Effective date. This Resolution shall become effective January 1, 2013.

DONE AND RESOLVED this ___ day of SEP 18 2012, 2012

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
By: Board of County Commissioners

By: ____________________________
   Teresa Jacobs, County Mayor

ATTEST: Martha O. Haynie, County Comptroller
As Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners

By: ____________________________
   Deputy Clerk

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