

ORDINANCE 2006- 04

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WARRICK COUNTY, INDIANA ("THE BOARD") RELATING TO THE AMENDMENT OF SECTION 39.02 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF WARRICK COUNTY, AMENDING THE BOARD'S RESOLUTION 1987-6, PASSED SEPTEMBER 18, 1987, AS AMENDED BY THE BOARD'S ORDINANCE 1997-18, PASSED DECEMBER 1, 1997**

WHEREAS, the Board determines that Section 39.02, of the Warrick County Code of Ordinances, concerning no smoking areas, needs to be amended and strengthened to make all County buildings no smoking areas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Warrick County, Indiana, as follows:

Section 39.02 of the Code of Ordinances of Warrick County, Indiana, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**§ 39.02 NO SMOKING AREAS.**

(A) To protect the health and safety of county employees, patrons, visitors, the general public and pursuant to IC 16-41-37, the commissioners have determined that smoking shall be prohibited in any and all facilities owned, leased, operated or occupied by the County Board of Commissioners or any other Warrick County department, agency, or office.

(B) The public official in charge of each facility described in subsection (A) shall post at each entrance "Smoking is Prohibited by State Law."

(C) Employees who violate this policy will be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment.

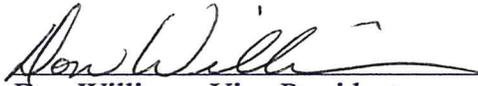
(D) Any individual who fails to comply with this policy commits a Class B infraction and is subject to all the fines and penalties of applicable law. However, the violation is a Class A infraction if the person has at least three (3) previous unrelated judgments for violating this section that are accrued within twelve (12) months immediately preceding the violation.

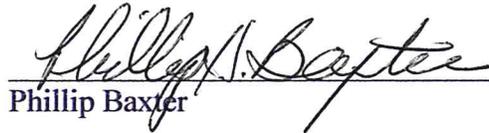
(E) The responsibility to enforce this policy lies with the elected officials, department heads, Commissioners, County Administrator and the County Sheriff and his deputies.

SO ORDAINED THIS 17<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2006.

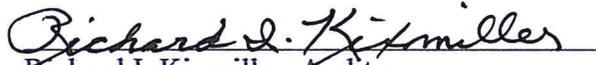
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