

ORDINANCE NO. 1754

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND MANCHESTER MUNICIPAL CODE 3-202 RELATIVE TO COURT FINES AND COSTS

WHEREAS, Manchester Municipal Code 3-202 presently sets the schedule of fines and court costs imposed in Manchester City Court; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Alderman of the City of Manchester believes it to be in the best interest of the City to update such costs to reflect current administrative needs and to ensure appropriate distribution of funds in accordance with existing law and policy.

BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE that Manchester Municipal Code 3-202 be amended to delete (2) in its entirety and add the following:

“(2) All costs imposed and recorded by the city judge, or his/her designated clerk shall be collected and paid to the finance director. Those costs shall total one hundred and fifty-seven (\$157.00) dollars on each warrant, with \$136.25 to be paid into the city general fund as the finance director’s fee and arrest fee, \$4.00 paid into the community policing fund for the purpose of providing services and equipment to the community outside the normal operation of the police department, and the remaining \$16.75 paid either as

- (a) State litigation tax,**
- (b) To the administrative office of the courts for continuing education courses for municipal court judges and clerks,**
- (c) As a litigation tax for the violation of any ordinance governing the use of public parking space, or**
- (d) Into the general fund, as applicable.”**

BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE that the provisions of Manchester Municipal Code 3-202 before and after subsection (2) shall remain in full force and effect.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE that this ordinance shall take effect on and after its publication, passage, and public hearing, the public welfare of the City of Manchester requiring it, and that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

PASSED FIRST READING: August 5, 2025

PASSED SECOND AND FINAL READING: September 2, 2025


Anthony Burrows, Finance Director


Joey Hobbs, Mayor

ORDINANCE NO. 1755

AN ORDINANCE AMEND THE SPEED LIMIT BETWEEN OLD STONE FORT STATE PARK AND NORTHRIDGE DRIVE TO FORTY (40) MPH

WHEREAS TCA 55-8-153 provides for the setting of speed limits by Municipalities in certain circumstances on State Highways through the passage of an Ordinance; and

WHEREAS an appropriate Traffic Study and the Safety Committee recommended the lowering of the speed limit from 55mph to 40mph on Hwy 41 from Old Stone Fort State Park to Northridge Drive; and

WHEREAS the Board of Mayor and Aldermen believes it in the best interest of Manchester that the speed limit be lowered accordingly.

BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE that the speed limit be lowered from 55mph to 40mph on Hwy 41 from Old Stone Fort State Park to Northridge Drive; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE that this ordinance shall take effect on and after its publication and passage, the public welfare of the City of Manchester, Tennessee requiring it.

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