

TOWN OF STURGIS
P. O. BOX 97
STURGIS, MISSISSIPPI 39769

ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED and enacted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Sturgis, MS as follows:

A sentencing alternative of indigent offenders. If an indigent is fined only, he or she must be given a reasonable time to pay and reasonable measure to aid in the payment before he can be jailed for non-payment. A program must provide for reasonable supervision of the offender and the work must be commensurate with the fine and/or incarceration ordinarily imposed (Section 21-23-7) of the MS Code. The work will be at the minimum wage, \$3.35 an hour, until the amount of the fine is reached.

EXAMPLES:

1. Litter cleanup of streets, city buildings, parks, cemeteries, etc.
2. Cutting grass and weeds on city property.
3. Blood Donations
4. Helping handicapped citizens
5. Cleaning police car

The Board of Aldermen agree to leave this up to the discretion of the Municipal Judge.

ALDERMAN:

ROY F. BAGGETT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YEA	<input type="checkbox"/> NAY
JACOB MCKENZIE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YEA	<input type="checkbox"/> NAY
JOHN W. JACKSON	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YEA	<input type="checkbox"/> NAY
MARGARET MOOR	<input type="checkbox"/> YEA	<input type="checkbox"/> NAY
KYLE MORGAN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YEA	<input type="checkbox"/> NAY

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this, the 15th day of October, 1985.

Leland James
LELAND JAMES MAYOR

Carol Craven
CAROL CRAVEN, TOWN SECT.