

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF ROOSEVELT
RESOLUTION NUMBER: 2015-51

Resolution Imposing a Booking Fee for All Inmates Booked at the
Roosevelt County Detention Center

WHEREAS, pursuant to statute, Roosevelt County operates an Adult Detention Center; and

WHEREAS, during the present fiscal year of 2015 1,069 inmates have been booked into the Roosevelt County Detention Center (RCDC) ; and

WHEREAS, the annual General Fund Budget for RCDC for FY2015 is \$2,214,739; and

WHEREAS, the cost of booking and housing inmates at RCDC is creating a financial hardship; and

WHEREAS, the imposition of a reasonable booking fee on all inmates booked into RCDC would help defer some of the costs incurred by the County for booking and housing inmates; and

WHEREAS, a housing fee or booking fee is already in place and effect in a number of county jails/detention centers in the State of New Mexico..

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Roosevelt County, which is the governing body thereof, that a \$20.00 booking fee shall be imposed and assessed against every inmate that is booked into the RCDC until such time as the same is changed, modified or amended. The booked fee in the amount of \$20.00 shall be collected directly from inmates either at the time of their commitment or through their personal money account maintained by RCDC. Each booking fee shall be recorded, receipt provided, and shall be deposited into a specific revenue line item budget within the County General Fund. All funds deposited in that fund shall be used to off-set the cost of inmate services at RCDC.

IT IS FUTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is to become effective July 1, 2015. PRESENTED, ADOPTED, APPROVED and RECORDED this 18th day of June, 2015.

ATTEST:


DeAun D. Searl, Roosevelt County Clerk

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