

RESOLUTION NO. 687

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE FEE SCHEDULE PROPOSED BY ROELAND PARK MUNICIPAL JUDGE KAREN TORLINE

WHEREAS, Karen Torline, the Municipal Judge for Roeland Park presented the Governing Body of Roeland Park, Kansas with a proposed fee schedule that would reduce or otherwise alter many of the municipal fines; and

WHEREAS, the Judge has the authority to reduce municipal fines; and,

WHEREAS, the Judge has proposed to reduce municipal fines that disproportionately affect low-income offenders and those directly or indirectly affected by the COVID-19 global pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of Roeland Park, Kansas supports the Judge’s decision to reduce many municipal fines.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ROELAND PARK, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That the Governing Body of Roeland Park, Kansas supports the Municipal Judge’s decision to reduce many municipal fines in order to better serve the interests of the community.

APPROVED by the Mayor.

Mike Kelly, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kelley Nielsen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Steven E. Mauer, City Attorney