

**ORDINANCE NO. 03-37**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING REIMBURSEMENT FOR THE COST OF  
MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL SERVICES PROVIDED TO PRISONERS  
IN THE CUSTODY OF THE KENDALL COUNTY SHERIFF  
AT THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AID  
RATES FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE**

**WHEREAS**, 730 ILCS 125/17 provides, in part, that the Kendall County Sheriff shall furnish necessary medical aid for all prisoners under his charge; and

**WHEREAS**, 730 ILCS 125/17 also provides, in part, that any hospital and/or physician providing medical services to a prisoner in the custody of the Kendall County Sheriff shall be entitled to obtain reimbursement from the County for the cost of such services; and

**WHEREAS**, 730 ILCS 125/17 further provides, in part, that the County Board may by ordinance limit the reimbursement for hospital and/or physician services furnished to inmates to the rates set by the Illinois Department of Public Aid for medical assistance; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the citizens of Kendall County, Illinois for the County Board to limit the reimbursement for the cost of hospital and/or physician service provided to inmates in the Kendall County Jail to those rates established by the Illinois Department of Public Aid for medical assistance.

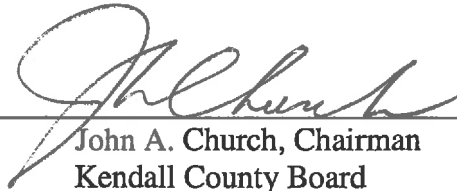
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the County Board of Kendall County, Illinois that:

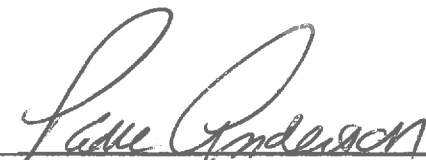
1. Pursuant to 730 ILCS 125/17, reimbursement by the County of Kendall, Illinois for the cost of hospital and/or physician services provided to inmates in the custody of the Kendall County Sheriff shall be set at the current Illinois Department of Public Aid rate for medical assistance.
2. Should the Illinois Department of Public Aid rate for medical assistance be changed, modified or amended at a future date, upon implementation of said change, modification or amendment by the Department of Public Aid,

the same rate for medical assistance shall be applicable in Kendall County for the cost of hospital and/or physician services provided to inmates in the custody of the Kendall County Sheriff.

3. Nothing herein shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding now pending in any Court or any rights accrued or liability incurred or any cause or causes of action accrued or existing under any prior Resolution or Ordinance.
4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.
5. The Chairman of the County Board shall be authorized to sign this Ordinance on behalf of the entire County Board of Kendall County, Illinois.

**ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF KENDALL COUNTY,  
ILLINOIS, AT ITS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING THIS 18<sup>th</sup> DAY  
OF November, 2003**

  
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John A. Church, Chairman  
Kendall County Board

ATTEST:   
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Paul Anderson, Kendall County Clerk