# **RESOLUTION** 2009-0511

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois has enacted 55 Illinois Compiled Statute 5/5-110(e), which provides that, in each county in which a teen court, peer court, peer jury, youth court, or other youth diversion program has been created may adopt a mandatory fee of up to $5.00 to be assessed and deposited into an account specifically for the operation and administration of a teen court, peer court, peer jury, youth court, or other diversion programs.

WHEREAS, the fee was previously set by the Ogle County Board at $2.00.

WHEREAS, the services covered by the fee and the accompanying costs have significantly increased since the fee was adopted.

WHEREAS, the State's Attorney and the Executive Committee of the Ogle County Board in consultation with the Chief Judge of the Circuit and the Director of Court Services of the Ogle County Probation Department, recommends that the County Board approve an increase in the fee to $4.00 to cover said costs.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of Ogle County and State's Attorney, that a $4.00 fee authorized by 55 ILCS 5/5-110(e) is hereby adopted, and the Circuit Clerk of Ogle County is hereby authorized and directed to charge the said $4.00 fee. Said new fee shall be effective on June 1, 2009

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W. Ed Rice
Chairperson, Ogle County Board

Attest:

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Rebecca Huntley
Ogle County Clerk

# Ogle County Probation-GED Class

**Status since Beginning of Program, February 2007**

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| Total Enrolled Students: | 38 |
| Total Students Graduated: | 16 |
| Students Currently Attending: | 9 |
| Students Currently Testing: | 6 |
| Students Not In Attendance: | 13 |

Reasons for not attending:

-incarcerated/rehab facility

-never came to class

-re-enrolled in public school

-enrolled in a different program

-moved out of area

-attending as able due to job

-removed from program due to behavior issues

**I am currently working with 5 graduates that are attempting to enroll in a community college. There have been difficulties with funding, especially the 17 year olds.

**Other graduates are finding it difficult to obtain a job without training.

February 23, 2009