ORDINANCE NO. 2025 - 5

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE COUNTY COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS MARKETPLACE

WHEREAS, in 2005, the Board of Commissioners established the County Community Corrections Commissary to Disburse and Purchase – Ordinance 2005-10.

WHEREAS, the State Board of Accounts has indicated that it is not proper to call the fund a "commissary fund," however, a more appropriate name is Marketplace Fund.

WHEREAS, there is a need for an Ordinance to allow for the purchases from the Marketplace Fund for any items or services that will benefit the inmates without utilizing the required claims process of the La Porte County Commissioners.

THEREFORE, be it ordained by the La Porte County Board of Commissioners that:

- 1. La Porte County Community Corrections Program is hereby authorized to make purchases from the Marketplace funds for the purchase of any items or services that will benefit the inmates without utilizing the La Porte County Commissioner's Claims Process.
- 2. The intent and purpose of this Ordinance is that the Marketplace is a self-funded account which does not utilize County funds.
- 3. Any other payments by the La Porte County Community Corrections in which County funds will be utilized, a claim process will be required.
- 4. The La Porte County Community Corrections Program will continue to maintain complete accountability of all inmate funding for such Marketplace accounts as deemed appropriate by the State Board of accounts.

PASSED AND ORDAINED BY THE LA PORTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, this statement of the community of the country board of the country

LA PORTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Connie Gramarossa, President

Joe Haney Member

First Reading: \0 -\ -2025

Steve Holifield, Vice-President

Attest:) Mike Rosenbaum, Auditor

Second Reading: 10 -15 -2025