

State of Arkansas  
86th General Assembly  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2752

By: Representative Hyde

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR COUNTY  
JAILS; TO AUTHORIZE A LEVY TO DEFRAY THE COST OF  
INCARCERATING COUNTY PRISONERS; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR COUNTY  
JAILS AND TO AUTHORIZE A LEVY TO DEFRAY  
THE COST OF INCARCERATING COUNTY  
PRISONERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-17-129(a), concerning the levy to defray the cost of incarcerating city and county prisoners, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) In addition to all fines now or as may hereafter be provided by law, the governing body of each city of the first class, city of the second class, incorporated town, and county in this state may by ordinance levy and collect an additional fine not to exceed five dollars (\$5.00) from each defendant who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to, is found guilty of, or forfeits bond for any misdemeanor or traffic violation in the city court of the city, town, or county, or in the district court for the district in which the city or town is located.

(2) In addition to all fines now or as may hereafter be provided by law, the governing body of each county in this state may by ordinance levy



1 and collect an additional fine not to exceed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) from  
2 each defendant who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to, is found guilty of,  
3 or forfeits bond for any misdemeanor or traffic violation in the county in  
4 which the district court is located.  
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