

INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Lakeview, Arkansas is desirous of insuring the safety and welfare of its citizens and others living in and around the City of Lakeview, and

WHEREAS, certain arrests and citations for criminal behavior have been issued by Lakeview Police Officers outside the geographical boundaries of the City of Lakeview and have for lack of proper jurisdiction been dismissed; and

WHEREAS, such dismissals are in contravention of the necessary actions of Lakeview Police Officers in the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, such dismissals occur because no Interlocal Cooperation Agreement exists between the Lakeview Police Department and the Baxter County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lakeview and the Sheriff of Baxter County have jointly concurred that the adoption of this serves the best interests of the citizens of both Lakeview and Baxter County.

IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

The Baxter County Sheriff's Office hereinafter "Agency" agrees that Officers of the Lakeview Police Department, when requested by any member of the Agency, shall have the authority to assist officers of the Agency and to make arrests where necessary and prudent.

The Lakeview Police Department, hereinafter "Lakeview PD" agrees that officers shall accept such authority and powers of arrest from the Agency when asked or requested by Agency, and shall act under the general supervision of the Agency when exercising such authority and powers of arrest.

Both the Agency and Lakeview PD acknowledge that this agreement does not grant, confer, or authorize any general extra-territorial law enforcement powers or authority to officers of the Lakeview PD until and unless such time as specific and direct request for assistance is made by the Agency.

This agreement shall be reciprocal in nature and shall be interpreted to all respects toward the efficient and proper conduct of law enforcement operations.

A copy of this agreement shall be kept on file in each of the respective jurisdictions and made available to the public upon request.

APPROVED AND ENTERED INTO THIS 16th day of November, 2006.

CITY OF LAKEVIEW, ARKANSAS
By: Royal Davis
MAYOR

By: Susan Sellars
RECORDER/TREASURE

By: David Mandy
CHIEF OF POLICE

BAXTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
By: John Matney
SHERIFF

