
DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to the designation of the marshal of the city court of Sulphur and the source of funding for certain marshals and constables.

Present law provides for the payment of deputy marshal salaries exclusively by the local governing authority of the city or parish, or both, where the court is located.

Proposed law provides for the payment of deputy marshal salaries by the local governing authority of the city or cities or parish, or all governing authorities, where the court has territorial jurisdiction.

Present law provides that the marshals of city courts shall be paid by the governing authorities of the city and parish where the court is located.

Proposed law provides that the marshals of city courts shall be paid by the governing authorities of the city or cities or parish, or all governing authorities, where the court has territorial jurisdiction.

Present law provides that the city where the court is situated shall furnish a suitable city court room and suitable offices for the judge, clerk, and marshal.

Present law provides that the expenses of operation and maintenance of the court room and offices shall be borne by the city, or may be apportioned between the city and parish as the respective governing authorities may determine.

Proposed law provides that the reasonable and necessary operating expenses or obligations incurred by the marshal and court, provided they comply with applicable budgetary requirements, shall be borne by the city or cities or parish, or all governing authorities, as determined by the respective governing authorities.

(Amends R.S. 13:1881(B), 1883(A)(intro. para.), (B), and (C), and 1889(A) and (B))