
DIGEST

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HB No. 18

Abstract: Establishes the Mayor's Court of the Village of Hosston, Caddo Parish, and provides for the territorial jurisdiction of the court.

Proposed law creates the Mayor's Court of the Village of Hosston and provides that the territorial jurisdiction of the court shall extend throughout the Village of Hosston, Caddo Parish.

Present law provides that a mayor's court shall have jurisdiction over violations of municipal ordinances. Authorizes the mayor to impose court costs not to exceed \$30, and authorizes the mayor to suspend the sentence imposed for a violation of a municipal ordinance and place the defendant on supervised or unsupervised probation.

Present law requires a mayor to keep a regular docket and to keep a record of all cases tried. Authorizes a mayor to hold court at any time, and requires the marshal of the mayor's court to attend the court, serve its process, and act as its executive officer.

Proposed law provides that the general provisions of present law relating to mayors' courts in general shall apply to the Mayor's Court of the Village of Hosston.

(Adds R.S. 33:454)