## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Authorizes an increase of \$30 in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances in the mayor's court of the city of Kenner.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 33:441) authorizes a mayor, as the presiding officer of a mayor's court, to impose court costs, not to exceed \$30 for each offense, on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the mayor for the city of Kenner to impose additional court costs not to exceed \$30 for each offense on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance and further.

<u>Proposed law</u> further requires that the additional costs be used for security enhancements and technological upgrades for the mayor's court for the city of Kenner.

(Adds R.S. 33:447.15)