

Regular Session, 2013

HOUSE BILL NO. 112

BY REPRESENTATIVES HILL AND DANAHAY

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 33:447.11, relative to mayor's courts; to provide for additional court costs for
3 violations of municipal ordinances and traffic violations in the mayor's courts in the
4 municipalities of DeQuincy, Iowa, Vinton, and Westlake; to provide for the allocation of
5 additional funds; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 33:447.11 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §447.11. Mayor's court; certain municipalities; additional court costs

9 Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the mayors of the
10 municipalities of DeQuincy, Iowa, Vinton, and Westlake may impose additional court costs
11 not to exceed twenty dollars for each offense, as defined by ordinance, on any defendant
12 convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance or traffic violation, provided that fifty
13 percent of any additional court cost collected pursuant to this Section shall be remitted to
14 the Fourteenth Judicial District's Indigent Defender Fund.

15 Section 2. R.S. 33:447.11 as enacted by this Act shall be null and void on August 1, 2016.

16 Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed
17 by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the
18 governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the
19 governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day
20 following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____