

Finance Ordinance

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AMENDMENT TO PREDICTABLE FEE SCHEDULE FOR RECORDING DOCUMENTS

WHEREAS, the Illinois General Assembly has enacted Public Act 103-0884, effective January 1, 2025, which requires counties to adopt and implement by ordinance or resolution, a predictable fee schedule for recording documents with the Office of the Recorder; and

WHEREAS, Public Act 103-0884 amends 55 ILCS 5/3-5018.2 which provides for the fees charged by the County Recorder and requires the establishment of a predictable fee schedule; and

WHEREAS, Section 5/3-5018.2 authorizes minimum document class flat fees for the following document classes: (1) deeds; (2) leases, lease amendments and similar transfer of interest documents; (3) mortgages; (4) easements not otherwise part of another classification; (5) nonstandard documents; (6) miscellaneous; (7) maps or plats of additions, subdivisions, or otherwise; and (8) other; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the County Board to formally adopt the statutorily prescribed predictable fee schedule and modify the existing predictable fee schedule within the County Code by adopted ordinance FI-O-0070-18 and amended by adopted ordinances FI-O-0046-19, FI-O-0069-20, FI-O-0018-22, FI-O-0055-22, FI -O-0001-23 and FI-O-0001-24; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Committee of the DuPage County Board has reviewed and recommends an amendment to the County Code, Chapter 27, Article III, Section 27-26, Recording Fee Schedule to reflect the amendments made to Section 5/3-5018.2.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that the County Board approves the modification to its predictable fee schedule pursuant to Public Act 103-0884 and Section 5/3-5018.2 of the Counties Code, as set forth in Exhibit A (Fee Schedule) and Exhibit B (Public Act 103-0884) and adopts the cost study prepared May 18, 2018 as its statement of the cost of providing each service outlined in Exhibit A; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED, that all previously enacted ordinances setting the amount of County and State fees that the County imposed prior to the effective date of this Ordinance shall remain in effect and are incorporated into the fees detailed within Exhibit A; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED, that the Recording Fee Schedule in Chapter 27, Article III, Section 27-26 is amended to read as set forth in Exhibit A attached to this Ordinance; and Agenda Date: 10/22/2024

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IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED, that the County Clerk transmit this Ordinance to the Municipal Code Corporation with instructions to amend DuPage County Code, Chapter 27, Article III, to reflect the above amendments and to update the Recording Fee Schedule as indicated on Exhibit A, attached hereto; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED, that the amendments and modifications adopted within this Ordinance, as aforesaid, shall become effective the 1st day of January, 2025.

Enacted and approved this 22nd day of October, 2024 at Wheaton, Illinois.

DEBORAH A. CONROY, CHAIR DU PAGE COUNTY BOARD

Attest: **C** N KACZMAREK, COUNTY CLERK

(Note: An underscore indicates an addition and a strike through indicates a deletion.)

EXHIBIT A

27-26: PREDICTABLE FEE SCHEDULE FOR RECORDING DOCUMENTS.

Fee Schedule

Classified Documents

- Deeds
- Leases, lease amendments, or similar transfer of interest documents
- Mortgages
- Easements
- Irregular <u>Nonstandard</u> documents (Any recordable document that does not meet one of the below criteria)
 - The document shall consist of one or more individual sheets measuring 8.5 inches by 11 inches, not permanently bound and not a continuous form. Graphic displays accompanying a document to be recorded that measures up to 11 inches by 17 inches shall be recorded without charging an additional fee.
 - The document shall be legibly printed in black ink, by hand, type, or computer. Signatures and dates may be in contrasting colors as long as they will reproduce clearly.
 - The document shall be on white paper of not less than 20-pound weight and shall have a clean margin of at least one-half inch on the top, the bottom, and each side. Margins may be used only for non-essential notations which will not affect the validity of the document, including but not limited to form numbers, page numbers, and customer notations.
 - The first page of the document shall contain a blank space, measuring at least 3 inches by 5 inches, from the upper right corner.
 - The document shall not have any attachment stapled or otherwise affixed to any page.
 - The document makes specific reference to 5 or fewer tax parcels, units, property identification numbers, or document numbers.

Blanket recordings

- A document making specific reference to more than 5 tax parcel identification numbers in the county in which it is presented for recording.
- A document making specific reference to more than 5 other document numbers recorded in the county in which it is presented for recording.
- Miscellaneous
 - A document that creates a division of a then active existing tax parcel identification number
 - A document that does not meet the above classifications and is not otherwise exempt.
- Maps or plats of additions, subdivisions, or otherwise
- Exempt documents Other (fee imposed as provided by applicable law or ordinance)
 - A document recorded pursuant to the Uniform Commercial Code (UCC).

- State <u>tax</u> lien or federal <u>tax</u> lien
- A document recorded by a unit of local government, State agency or public utility.

Document Classifications	55 ILCS 5/3-5018.2
Deeds	\$76.00
Leases	\$76.00
Mortgages	\$76.00
Easements	\$76.00
Irregular Nonstandard Documents	\$102.00
Blanket Documents	\$ 76.00
Miscellaneous	\$76.00
<u>Maps or plats of additions, subdivisions, or</u> otherwise	<u>See below</u>
Other	See below
Plat Documents Maps or Plats (Plat Size up to 30 × 36)	55 ILCS 5/3-5018.2
Base Fee	\$100.00
Each tract, parcel, or lot contained therein	\$2.00 per tract, parcel, or lot
Exhibits (11 × 17 or less) accompanying a document	\$76.00
UCC Documents	810 ILCS 5/9-525 & 810 ILCS 5/9-404.5
Filing (Secretary of State Form)	\$70.00
Termination (Secretary of State Form)	\$55.00
Termination: Each additional name per address	\$5.00
Non-conforming	\$60.00
geographic information system (GIS) \$21.00; real prop \$18.00. The RHSP fee does not apply when recording do	ees: Recording, document storage system (DSS) \$10.00; berty \$1.00; and rental housing support program (RHSP) ocuments which are not real estate related or documents e does not apply to public utility easements or documents
Military Discharge	55 ILCS 5/3-5015
Recording	No charge
First certified copy	No charge
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Recording Fee Schedule

Each additional name	\$1.00
Non-lien related documents	\$18.00
Local Government or <u>State Agencies (including public</u>	55 ILCS 5/3-5018.2
<u>utilities)</u>	
Discounted prices are applicable only if paid by	
agency.	
Liens (including tax liens recorded by the	\$57.00
<u>I.D.O.R.)</u>	
Release of liens (including releases of tax liens	\$57.00
recorded by the I.D.O.R.)	
Each additional name affecting a lien	\$1.00
Non-lien related documents	Standard Recording Fees Apply less RHSP & real
	property recording fees.
Unlawful Restrictive Covenant Modification	55 ILCS 5/3-5048
Recording	\$10.00

Copy Fee Schedule

Document Copy	
Per page	\$0.50
Certification	\$5.00
See service charge below	
Plat Copy	
11 × 17 page	\$1.50
18 × 24 page	\$2.50
24 × 36 page	\$5.00
36 × 48 page	\$8.00
See service charge below	
ИСС Сору	
Per page	\$1.00
Certification	\$5.00
UCC Search	810 ILCS 5/9-525
Certificate issued per name searched.	
Search fee per name	\$10.00
Faxed Copy	
Per page	\$0.50
See service charge below	
Service Charge	
Applied to phone orders, fax orders and mail	
requests.	
Per document/plat	\$5.00
Military Discharge	55 ILCS 5/3-5015
Request form needs to be completed and	
identification is required.	
Certified copy	\$1.25
Map of DuPage County 1897	
Color print 18 × 24	\$5.00

Color print 24 × 36	\$10.00
Color print 36 × 48	\$15.00
USB .	
USB's must be purchased through the Recorder's	
Office and cannot be recycled for additional	
documents after purchase.	
USB 2G	\$10.00
Per page	\$ 0.50
Reports (.pdf)	
Per page	\$0.50

Payment

Pay Types	
Credit card Visa, MasterCard, Discover, UnionPay	
Check (no starter checks) Payable to: DuPage County Reco	order
Money order Payable to: DuPage County Recorder	
Cash	
Business Accounts	
Agreement must be completed and submitted for approval.	
Automated Clearing House (ACH)	
Escrow	
Service Provider Fees (Bank Debit and Credit Card)	
Credit card convenience fee (\$60.00 and above)	2.75%
Credit card convenience fee (\$59.99 and under)	\$2.00
Returned check fee	\$25.00

(Ord. No. FI-O-0070-18, 10-9-2018; Ord. No. FI-O-0046-19, 8-13-2019; Ord. No. FI-O-0069-20, 9-22-2020; Ord. No. FI-O-0018-22, 3-8-2022; Ord. No. FI-O-0055-22, 9-27-2022; Ord. No. FI-O-0001-23; Ord. No. FI-O-0001-24; Ord. No. FI-O-0006-24)

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AN ACT concerning loc	al government.
Be it enacted by the	People of the State of Illinois,
represented in the Genera	l Assembly:
Section 5. The Countin	es Code is amended by changing
Sections 3-5010 and 3-501	8.2 as follows:
(55 ILCS 5/3-5010) ([.]	from Ch. 34, par. 3-5010)
Sec. 3-5010. Duties o	f recorder. Every recorder shall, as
soon as practicable after	the receipt of any instrument in
writing in the office, en	titled to be recorded, record the
same at length in the orde	er of time of its reception, in well
bound books or computer da	atabases to be provided for that
purpose. In counties of 50	00,000 or more inhabitants, the
recorder may microphotogra	aph or otherwise reproduce on film <u>or</u>
store electronically any o	of such instruments in the manner
provided by law. In count:	ies of less than 500,000 inhabitants,
the recorder may cause to	be microphotographed or otherwise
reproduced on film any of	such instruments or electronic
method of storage. When an	ny such instrument is reproduced on
film or electronic method	of storage, the film or electronic
method of storage shall co	omply with the minimum standards of
quality approved for recor	rds of the State Records Commission
and the device used to rep	produce the records on the film or
electronic method of stora	age shall be one which accurately

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¹ reproduces the contents of the original.

² (Source: P.A. 103-400, eff. 1-1-24.)

³ (55 ILCS 5/3-5018.2)

⁴ Sec. 3-5018.2. Predictable fee schedule for recordings in

⁵ first and second class counties.

6 (a) The fees of the recorder in counties of the first and

⁷ second class for recording deeds or other instruments in

8 writing and maps of plats of additions, subdivisions, or 9 otherwise and for certifying copies of records shall be paid 10 in advance and shall conform to this Section. The fees or 11 surcharges shall not, unless otherwise provided in this 12 Section, be based on the individual attributes of a document 13 to be recorded, including, but not limited to, page count; 14 number, length, or type of legal descriptions; number of tax 15 identification or other parcel-identifying code numbers; 16 <u>units;</u> number of common addresses; number of references 17 contained as to other recorded documents or document numbers; 18 or any other individual attribute of the document. The fees 19 charged under this Section shall be inclusive of all county 20 and State fees that the county may elect or is required to 21 impose or adjust, including, but not limited to, GIS fees, 22 automation fees, document storage fees, and the Rental Housing 23 Support Program State and county surcharges. 24 (b) A county of the first or second class shall adopt and

²⁵ implement, by ordinance or resolution, a predictable fee

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1 schedule as provided in subsection (c) that eliminates 2 surcharges or fees based on the individual attributes of a 3 document to be recorded. If a county has previously adopted an 4 ordinance or resolution adopting a predictable fee schedule, 5 the county must adopt an ordinance or resolution revising that 6 predictable fee schedule to be consistent with this Section. 7 After a document class predictable fee is approved by a county 8 board consistent with this Section, the county board may, by 9 ordinance or resolution, increase the document class 10 predictable fee and collect the increased fees if the 11 established fees are not sufficient to cover the costs of 12 providing the services related to the document class for which 13 the fee is to be increased. 14 For the purposes of the fee charged, the ordinance or 15 resolution shall divide documents into the classifications 16 specified in subsection (c), and shall establish a single, 17 all-inclusive county and State-imposed aggregate predictable 18 fee charged for each classification of document at the time of 19 recording for that document. Each document, unless otherwise 20 provided in this Section, shall fall within one of the

- document class predictable fee classifications set by
- subsection (c), and fees for each document class shall be

²³ charged only as allowed by this Section.

- ²⁴ Before approval of an ordinance or resolution under this
- ²⁵ subsection that creates or modifies a predictable fee
- schedule, the recorder or county clerk shall post a notice in

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1 the recorder's or clerk's office at least 2 weeks prior, but 2 not more than 4 weeks prior, to the public meeting at which the 3 ordinance or resolution may be adopted. The notice shall 4 contain the proposed ordinance or resolution number, if any, 5 the proposed document class predictable fees for each 6 classification, and a reference to this Section and this 7 amendatory Act of the 103rd General Assembly. A predictable 8 fee schedule takes effect 60 days after an ordinance or 9 resolution is adopted, unless the fee schedule was previously 10 created and the ordinance or resolution is a modification 11 allowed under this Section.

Nothing in this Section precludes a county board from adjusting amounts or allocations within a given document class predictable fee when the document class predictable fee is not increased or precludes an alternate predictable fee schedule for electronic recording within each of the classifications under subsection (c).

18 The county board may, by ordinance or resolution, increase 19 the fees allowed in the predictable fee schedule if the 20 increase is justified by an acceptable cost study or internal 21 analysis of a minimum of a years showing that the fees allowed

- analysis of a minimum of 3 years showing that the fees allowed
- ²² by this Section are not sufficient to cover the cost of
- 23 providing the service.

A statement of the cost of providing each service,

- ²⁵ program, and activity shall be prepared by the county board.
- All supporting documents to the statement are public records

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¹ and subject to public examination and audit. All direct and

² <u>indirect costs, as defined in the United States Office of</u>

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3	Management and Budget Circular A-87, may be included in the
4	determination of the costs of each service, program, and
5	<u>activity.</u>
6	If the Rental Housing Support Program State surcharge is
7	amended and the surcharge is increased or lowered, the
8	aggregate amount of the document predictable fee attributable
9	to the surcharge in the document may be changed accordingly.
10	If any fee or surcharge is changed by State statute, the county
11	may increase the document class fees by the same amount
12	without any cost study.
13	(c) A predictable fee schedule ordinance or resolution
14	adopted under this Section shall list document fees, including
15	document class predictable fees. The document classes shall be
16	as follows:
17	(1) Deeds. The aggregate fee for recording deeds shall
18	not be less than \$31 (being a minimum \$13 county fee plus
19	\$18 for the Rental Housing Support Program State
20	surcharge). Inclusion of language in the deed as to any
21	restriction; covenant; lien; oil, gas, or other mineral
22	interest; easement; lease; or a mortgage shall not alter
23	the classification of a document as a deed.
24	(2) Leases, lease amendments, and similar transfer of
25	interest documents. The aggregate fee for recording
26	leases, lease amendments, and similar transfers of

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1 interest documents shall not be less than \$31 (being a 2 minimum \$13 county fee plus \$18 for the Rental Housing 3 Support Program State surcharge). 4 (3) Mortgages. The aggregate fee for recording 5 mortgages, including assignments, extensions, amendments, 6 subordinations, and mortgage releases shall not be less 7 than \$31 (being a minimum \$13 county fee plus \$18 for the 8 Rental Housing Support Program State surcharge). 9 (4) Easements not otherwise part of another 10 classification. The aggregate fee for recording easements 11 not otherwise part of another classification, including 12 assignments, extensions, amendments, and easement releases 13 not filed by a State agency, unit of local government, or

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15	school district, shall not be less than \$31 (being a
16	minimum \$13 county fee plus \$18 for the Rental Housing
10	Support Program State surcharge).
18	(5) <u>Nonstandard</u> Irregular documents. Any document
19	presented that does not conform to the following
20	standards, even if it may qualify for another document
	class, may be recorded under this document class (5) if
21	the <u>nonstandard document</u> irregularity allows a legible
22	reproduction of the document presented:
23	(A) The document shall consist of one or more
24	individual sheets measuring 8.5 inches by 11 inches,
25	not permanently bound, and not a continuous form.
26	Graphic displays accompanying a document to be
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1	recorded that measure up to 11 inches by 17 inches
2	shall be recorded without charging an additional fee.
3	(B) The document shall be legibly printed in black
4	ink by hand, type, or computer. Signatures and dates
5	may be in contrasting colors if they will reproduce
6	clearly.
7	(C) The document shall be on white paper of not
8	less than 20-pound weight and shall have a clean
9	margin of at least one-half inch on the top, the
10	bottom, and each side. Margins may be used only for
11	non-essential notations that will not affect the
12	validity of the document, including, but not limited
13	to, form numbers, page numbers, and customer
14	notations.
15	(D) The first page of the document shall contain a
16	blank space, measuring at least 3 inches by 5 inches,
17	from the upper right corner.
18	(E) The document shall not have any attachment
19	stapled or otherwise affixed to any page.
20	(F) The document makes specific reference to 5 or
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21 fewer tax parcels, units, property identification 22 numbers, or document numbers. 23

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irregular document shall not be less than \$31 (being a

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25 minimum \$13 county fee plus \$18 for the Rental Housing
26 Support Program State surcharge). <u>A county may adopt by</u>

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1	<u>ordinance and publish with its fee schedule an additional</u>
2	fee or formula for a document that makes specific
3	reference to more than 5 tax parcels, units, property
4	identification numbers, or document numbers.
5	(6) <u>(Blank).</u> Blanket recordings. For any document that
6	makes specific reference to more than 5 tax parcels or
7	property identification numbers, or makes reference to 5
8	or more document numbers, the aggregate fee shall be not
9	less than \$31 (being a minimum \$13 county fee plus \$18 for
10	the Rental Housing Support Program State surcharge). A
11	county may adopt by ordinance and publish with its fee
12	schedule an additional fee or formula for each parcel,
13	property identification number, or document reference,
14	above 5, contained in an accepted document.
15	(7) Miscellaneous. The aggregate fee for recording
16	documents <u>that do</u> not otherwise <u>fall</u> falling within
17	classifications under paragraphs (1) through (6) <u>or</u>
18	<u>paragraph (8) or (9)</u> and <u>that</u> are not otherwise exempted
19	documents shall not be less than \$31 (being a minimum \$13
20	county fee plus \$18 for the Rental Housing Support Program
21	State surcharge).
22	<u>(8) Maps or plats of additions, subdivisions, or</u>
23	<u>otherwise.</u> (d) For recording maps or plats of additions,
24	subdivisions, or otherwise <u>, the minimum fee shall be \$50</u>
25	(including the spreading of the same of record in well
26	bound books), \$100 plus \$2 for each tract, parcel, or lot

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1	contained in the map or plat.
2	<u>(9) Other.</u> (e) Documents presented that meet the
3	following criteria shall be charged as <u>follows,</u>
4	<u>notwithstanding document classes (1) through (8)</u> otherwise

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5	provided by law or ordinance:
6	(A) A (1) a document recorded pursuant to the
7	Uniform Commercial Code <u>shall be charged as provided</u>
8	in the Uniform Commercial Code or as otherwise by law.
9	; or
10	<u>(B) A</u> (2) a State <u>tax</u> lien or a federal <u>tax</u> lien
11	shall be charged as otherwise provided by law or
12	ordinance, except that .Notwithstanding any other
13	provision in this Section: (i) the <u>minimum</u> maximum fee
14	that <u>shall</u> may be collected from the Department of
15	Revenue for filing or indexing a <u>tax</u> lien, certificate
16	of lien release or subordination, or any other type of
17	notice or other documentation affecting or concerning
18	a <u>tax</u> lien is <u>\$11, and</u> \$5; and (ii) the <u>minimum</u> maximum
19	fee that <u>shall</u> may be collected from the Department of
20	Revenue <u>or Internal Revenue Service</u> for indexing each
21	additional name in excess of one for any lien,
22	certificate of lien release or subordination, or any
23	other type of notice or other documentation affecting
24	or concerning a lien is \$1.
25	(C) A document recorded by a unit of local
26	government, State agency, or public utility, as that

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1	term is defined in Section 3-105 of the Public
2	<u>Utilities Act, may be charged a minimum fee for any</u>
3	instrument presented for recording that falls under
4	the guideline of the predictable fee schedule as
5	follows: a \$12 county fee, a \$3 GIS fee, and a \$3
6	automation fee, document storage fee, or both. Fees
7	<u>under this subparagraph may be increased or any other</u>
8	applicable fee may be imposed if adopted by a county
9	board resolution or ordinance and justified by an
10	acceptable cost study showing that the fees allowed by
11	this subparagraph are not sufficient to cover the cost
12	of providing the service.
13	<u>(D)</u> (f) For recording any document that affects an
14	interest in real property, other than documents which

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available to the recorder for expenditure from the
County Recorder Document Storage System Fund shall not
offset or reduce any other county appropriations or
funding for the office of the recorder.

5 (d) (g) For certified and non-certified copies of records, 6 the recorder and county may set a predictable fee for all 7 copies that does not exceed the highest total recording fee in 8 any established document classes, unless the copy fee is 9 otherwise provided in statute or ordinance. The total fee for 10 a certified copy of a map or plat of an addition, subdivision, 11 or otherwise may not exceed \$200.

12 The fees allowed under this subsection apply to all 13 records, regardless of when they were recorded, based on 14 current recording fees. These predictable fees for certified 15 and non-certified copies shall apply to portions of documents 16 and to copies provided in any format, including paper, 17 microfilm, or electronic. A county may adopt a per-line 18 pricing structure for copies of information in database 19 format.

(e) (h) As provided under subsection (c), the recorder
shall collect an \$18 Rental Housing Support Program State
surcharge for the recordation of any real estate-related
document. Payment of the Rental Housing Support Program State
surcharge shall be evidenced by a receipt that shall be marked
upon or otherwise affixed to the real estate-related document

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by the recorder. The form of this receipt shall be prescribed

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1	by the Department of Revenue and the receipts shall be issued
2	by the Department of Revenue to each county recorder.
3	The recorder shall not collect the Rental Housing Support
4	Program State surcharge from any State agency, unit of local
5	government, or school district.
6	On the 15th day of each month, each county recorder shall
7	report to the Department of Revenue, on a form prescribed by
8	the Department, the number of real estate-related documents
9	recorded for which the Rental Housing Support Program State
10	surcharge was collected. Each recorder shall submit \$18 of
11	each surcharge collected in the preceding month to the
12	Department of Revenue and the Department shall deposit these
13	amounts in the Rental Housing Support Program Fund. Subject to
14	appropriation, amounts in the Fund may be expended only for
15	the purpose of funding and administering the Rental Housing
16	Support Program.
17	As used in this subsection, "real estate-related document"
18	means that term as it is defined in Section 7 of the Rental
19	Housing Support Program Act.
20	<u>(f) A county board in counties of the first and second</u>
21	<u>class may allow, by ordinance, a recorder to charge the</u>
22	following fees in addition to those fees otherwise allowed
23	under this Section:
24	<u>(1) Automation fee. A minimum automation fee of \$3 may</u>
25	<u>be charged for filing every instrument, paper, or notice</u>
26	for record in order to defray the cost of converting the

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1	recorder's document storage system to computers or
2	micrographics and in order to defray the cost of providing
3	access to records through the Internet. A special fund
4	shall be established by the treasurer of a county, and the
5	moneys collected through the automation fee shall be
6	deposited into the special fund and used for a document

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7	storage system to provide the equipment, materials, and
8	necessary expenses incurred to help defray the costs of
9	implementing and maintaining the document record system
10	and for a system to provide electronic access to those
11	records.
12	(2) GIS fee. In a county that provides and maintains a
13	<u>countywide map through a geographic information system, a</u>
14	<pre>minimum GIS fee of \$3 may be charged for filing every</pre>
15	instrument, paper, or notice for record in order to defray
16	the cost of implementing or maintaining the county's
17	geographic information system and in order to defray the
18	cost of providing electronic or automated access to the
19	<u>county's geographic information system or property</u>
20	<u>records. Of that amount, a minimum of \$2 must be deposited</u>
21	into a special fund established by the treasurer of the
22	county, and any moneys collected through the GIS fee shall
23	be deposited into that special fund and used for the
24	equipment, materials, and necessary expenses incurred in
25	implementing and maintaining the geographic information
26	system and to defray the cost of providing electronic

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1	access to the county geographic information system
2	records. The remaining \$1 must be deposited into the
3	recorder's special funds created under Section 3-5005.4.
4	The recorder may, at the recorder's discretion, use moneys
5	in the funds created under Section 3-5005.4 to defray the
6	cost of implementing or maintaining the county's
7	geographic information system and to defray the cost of
8	providing electronic access to the county's geographic
9	information system records.
10	(Source: P.A. 103-400, eff. 1-1-24.)