

North Canton City Council
Finance and Property Committee

Ordinance No. 92 - 2014

An ordinance establishing the court costs for the City of North Canton, Ohio's Mayor's Court and declaring the same to be an emergency.

WHEREAS, the amount of court costs the City of North Canton charges for Mayor's Court has remained unchanged for nearly five years; and

WHEREAS, the cost to operate and maintenance this court has increased each year; and

WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code sections 1901.26 and 1901.261 permit the court to charge small additional fees to computerize the court and the office of the clerk; and

WHEREAS, the City of North Canton is in need of purchasing computer equipment including, but not limited to, software, printers, copiers, and Internet service to properly provide and maintain its Mayor's Court operations.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH CANTON, COUNTY OF STARK, AND STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the City of North Canton hereby establishes effective January 1, 2015, the following Mayor's Court costs and fees:

A. Basic court costs (includes \$13.00 computerization fund):	\$68.00
B. State Reparations Fund - Victim Amount:	\$ 9.00
C. Indigent Defense Support Fund:	\$25.00
D. MVCC - Drug Law Enforcement:	\$ 3.50
E. Indigent Alcohol:	\$ 1.50
F. Seat belt: State of Ohio portion: Driver:	\$30.00
Passenger:	\$20.00
G. Ordinance/fine, waiverable citation:	\$31.00
H. Nonsufficient fund check:	\$30.00

Section 2. That this ordinance shall supersede all previously adopted legislation in conflict herewith.

Section 3. That if a provision of this ordinance is or becomes illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, that shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this resolution.

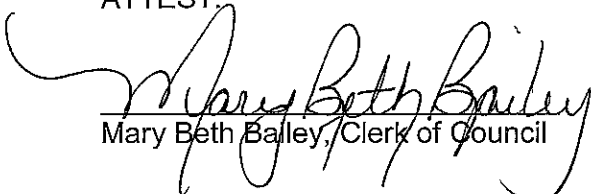
Section 4. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the health, safety, and peace of the City of North Canton and further necessary for the timely implementation of revised costs and fees for the operation and maintenance of North Canton's Mayor's Court; wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of six or more members of Council elected thereto, this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed in Council this 1st day of December 2014.


David Held, Mayor

SIGNED: 12/01, 2014

ATTEST:


Mary Beth Bailey, Clerk of Council