

ORDINANCE NO. 594

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE 574,
PERTAINING TO COURT COSTS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF MOUND
CITY, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That Ordinance 574 shall be repealed in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Regarding court costs and fees in the municipal court:

a. Court costs shall be assessed against each person charged with a violation of any of the ordinances of this city, unless found not guilty. Court costs shall include all costs required by K.S.A. 12-4116 and K.S.A.12-4117, as well as a local court cost of \$105.00. However, this subsection shall not apply to persons who make payment to avoid prosecution of a failure to use seat belts or child safety restraints.

b. For those misdemeanor offenses as set out in K.S.A. 21-2501 that require the individual be fingerprinted before final disposition of the case, a \$45.00 fingerprint fee will be assessed as costs.

c. A cost of \$50 shall be assessed against each person for whom a municipal court bench warrant, show cause/probation violation warrant or citation warrant is ordered by the court for either failure to appear or failure to comply.

c. Except as set forth below, the assessment and imposition of the court costs pursuant to this section shall be mandatory and the court shall not waive, remit, suspend, parole, or otherwise excuse the payment thereof.

d. All court costs collected pursuant to this section shall be accounted for by the clerk of the municipal court and deposited to the general fund of the city and special trust fund.

e. All costs and fees shall be assessed as part of the judgment and shall be collected by the court clerk or court administrator of the municipal court.


f. The costs and fees assessed pursuant to this section shall be in addition to the fine imposed.”

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be included in the Code of the City of Mound City, Kansas, and shall be effective upon its passage and publication once in the official city paper.

PASSED by the governing body of the City of Mound City, Kansas, this 1st day of August, 2023.


Wade Doering, Mayor

ATTEST:


Shelby Murray, City Clerk