



Department Source: Municipal Court
To: City Council
From: City Manager & Staff
Council Meeting Date: December 7, 2020
Re: Court Automation Agreement

Executive Summary

As part of the State wide adoption of Court Automation Show Me Courts the city is required to enter into an agreement with the Office of State Courts Administrator. Part of that agreement requires the passage of an ordinance to collect the Court Automation Fee of \$7.00 to fund this service.

Discussion

The Office of State Courts Administrator under the agreement will provide a suite of applications that meet Supreme Court requirements, support, court staff training, communications with the court, and back up of data. The city will establish and maintain an ordinance to assess and collect the court Automation fee under Section 476.056 RSMo. The city will provide and install necessary equipment to run the system meeting Office of State courts Administrator standards.

Fiscal Impact

Short-Term Impact: Some impacts to personal and legacy case system
Long-Term Impact: Unknown at this time.

Strategic & Comprehensive Plan Impact

Strategic Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Public Safety, Secondary Impact: Not Applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Comprehensive Plan Impacts:

Primary Impact: Inter-Governmental Cooperation, Secondary Impact: Not applicable, Tertiary Impact: Not Applicable

Legislative History

Date	Action

Suggested Council Action

Passage of the ordinance.