

St. Louis City Ordinance 64297

FLOOR SUBSTITUTE

BOARD BILL NO. [97] 315

INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN MARIT CLARK

An ordinance repealing Ordinance 62741, approved on November 16, 1992, permitting city court judges to order persons convicted of alcohol or drug related traffic offenses to reimburse the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department for its costs associated with the defendant's arrest and in lieu thereof enacting a new ordinance permitting city court judges to order persons who enter a plea of guilty or who are found guilty of driving under the influence in violation of section 17.16.290 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis to reimburse the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department for its costs associated with the defendant's arrest.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. Ordinance 62741, approved on November 16, 1992, is hereby repealed and in lieu thereof the following is hereby enacted.

SECTION TWO. Pursuant to Section 577.048 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, city court judges may order any person upon a plea of guilty or a finding of guilty for the offense of driving under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance in violation of section 17.16.290 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis to reimburse the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department the costs associated with the arrest of said person. Such costs shall include the reasonable cost of making the arrest, including the cost of any chemical test made pursuant to Chapter 577 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, to determine the alcohol or drug content of the person's blood, and the costs of processing, charging, booking and holding such person in custody. A record of all such assessments and resulting collections shall be maintained by the Clerk of the City Courts and transmitted monthly to the Budget Division of the City of St. Louis. All monies collected pursuant to this legislation shall be maintained on the books of the City in a separate account established by the Comptroller. The St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department may establish a schedule of such costs; however, the court may order the costs reduced if it determines that the costs are excessive.

1ST READING	REF TO COMM	COMMITTEE	COMM SUB	COMM AMEND
02/06/98	02/06/98	PS		
2ND READING	FLOOR AMEND	FLOOR SUB	PERFECTN	PASSAGE
02/20/98			02/27/98	03/06/98
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