

**RESOLUTION 2021- 156**

**A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE ESTABLISHED FEES FOR THE GALLATIN COUNTY COURT SERVICES PROGRAM**

This Resolution was introduced by Steve Ette, Gallatin County Court Services Director; moved by Commissioner Brown and seconded by Commissioner Skinner. The Resolution was adopted unanimously. Commissioner MacFarlane was excused.

WHEREAS, the Gallatin County Commissioners previously established fees for the Gallatin County Court Services Program in its Resolution 2011-062 and as amended in 2013-093 and the fees are in need of amendment;

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-5-2101, MCA the Gallatin County Commissioners have the authority to manage the business and concerns of the county in all cases where no other provision is made by law;

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-5-2133, MCA the County may charge a fee to recover the costs of providing electronic government services;

WHEREAS, pursuant to §46-23-1005 Gallatin County has established a misdemeanor probation office as part of the Gallatin County Court Service Program;

WHEREAS, pursuant to §7-6-4013, MCA allows the County to charge fees that are reasonable and related to the cost of providing the service;

WHEREAS, fees for the Gallatin County Court Services Program were determined to be are reasonable and related to the cost of providing the service in Resolution 2011-067;

WHEREAS, additional fees and changes in fees set forth in this Resolution are justified as reasonable and related to the cost of providing service as follows: 1) The fees have not been updated since 2013; 2) the minimal increase in fees assists to offsets the increase in expenditures; 3) the replacement value of equipment is consistent with current pricing; 4) fees for programs no longer offered (MSPOA Grant program, Money Management) are not included in the current resolution.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: All of the fees set forth in Gallatin County Resolution 2013-093 are amended as follows for the Gallatin County Court Services Program:

<u>Pretrial Services</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Supervision I	\$15.00 per month
Supervision I – Phone only	\$15.00 one-time charge
Supervision II	\$25.00 per month
Supervision III	\$35.00 per month

**Community Service**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Processing Fee	\$45.00
Transfer Fees (Out of State Referrals)	\$75.00
Transfer Fee (In State Referrals)	\$45.00
User Fee	\$.60/hour
Victim Impact Panel	\$45.00

**Electronic Monitoring**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Processing Fee	\$45.00 One-time fee Daily Fee \$10.00 per day

**Electronic Monitoring Equipment Loss or Damage Fees**

**GPS/House Arrest Equipment (AMS)**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Bracelet	\$725.00
Strap	\$60.00
Charger	\$30.00
Backplate	\$10.00

**Continuous Alcohol Monitoring Units (AMS/Scram)**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Bracelet	\$900.00
Modem	\$635.00
Strap	\$60.00
Battery/Faceplate	\$10.00
Tamper Clips	\$5.00
Exhaust Cap/Screws	\$5.00

**Treatment Court Blue Book**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Lost Blue Book or Phase-Up Booklet	\$35.00 Cost set by Court

**Misdemeanor Probation**

	<b><u>Fees</u></b>
Supervision Fees	\$50.00 per month
Supervision while on monitoring device	\$300.00 per month and includes associated monitoring charges

**Other Fees**

Courtesy UAs (dip stick only) and BACs

UAs \$15.00 each,  
BACs \$10.00 each.  
(Courtesy supervision  
for an outside agency must be  
approved by the Director or  
Supervisor)

Travel Confirmation Test (11 panel and Etg)

\$30.00

Laboratory urinalysis test  
(Tests determined by laboratory fee  
plus one-time \$5.00 handling fee per visit)


Lab Fee plus \$5.00

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DATED this 2 day of November, 2021.

GALLATIN COUNTY COMMISSION

  
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Scott MacFarlane, Chairman

ATTEST:

  
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Eric Semerad, Clerk & Recorder

