## MUNICIPAL COURT, CITY OF GREELEY

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## THE CITY OF GREELEY, BY AND ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF COLORADO.

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Administrative Order 2023-1

## ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER TO COURT APPOINTED COUNSEL PAY RATES

The City of Greeley Municipal Court will appoint counsel to represent defendants from time to time as authorized by law and City Code. Compensation for Court Appointed Counsel (CAC) is determined by an hourly rate, allowable costs, and maximum cap, depending on the type of case handled and whether it went to trial or a disposition was reached.

The City of Greeley Municipal Court will set rates as follows:

Hourly rate (attorney): \$100.00 (starting 1/1/2023, previously

\$75.00)

Hourly rate (paralegal): \$33.00

Maximum spending caps (Generally, \$1500.00 on misdemeanors)\*

Revocation hearing: \$350.00 Trial to the Court: \$1000.00 Jury Trial: \$2000.00

Other hearings: \$350.00

Mileage is generally not reimbursable. Any request for mileage (such as part of investigation, etc.) should be made in writing to the Municipal Judge. This can be done under seal if needed.

Attorneys are to submit a detailed, signed statement regarding any costs to the Court Administrator for reimbursement.

While not binding on municipal courts, please also refer to Chief Justice Directive 04-04 for guidance. In recognition of the important work CAC does on behalf of indigent defendants the above rates are modified to its new rate effective January 1, 2023. This Administrative Order replaces Administrative Order 2020-8.

In this time of economic hardship, the Court has budget constraints as well. Attorneys are asked to be frugal and responsible in their decisions.

Dated: 1/05/2023 By the Court,

Mark C. Gonzales

Presiding Municipal Judge

<sup>\*</sup> If additional monies are needed to appropriately represent a client, CAC is to make the request, in writing, to the Municipal Judge prior to any additional expenses being made. This can be done under seal if needed.