



CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK

CITY COUNCIL

AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date	October 27, 2022
Originating Department	Municipal Services
Contact Person	Matt McLean, City Clerk
Title	Ordinance 1253/Amending Chapter 9.12, of the Lake Forest Park Municipal Code to allow the setting of False Alarm Fines by Resolution

Legislative History

- First Presentation October 27, 2022 Regular Meeting
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Attachments:

1. Ordinance 1253
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Executive Summary

Section 9.12.060, Fine for police response, of the Lake Forest Municipal Code, needs to be amended to reflect that the fines will be set by resolution.

Background

Since the City has adopted that the fees for city services will be updated by a Resolution approved by the City Council, certain sections of the Lake Forest Municipal Code need to be updated to reflect that fact. One of the sections has been out of date for many years and needs to be amended. Section 9.12.060, Fine for Police Response, has a charge of \$25 for the first response, and \$50 for the second response. Currently, the fine for a false alarm is set at \$52-\$103. Staff is looking for an amendment to the Lake Forest Park Municipal Code to set the false alarm fine by City Council Resolution, which is how all of the fees for the city are currently set.

Fiscal & Policy Implications

There are no fiscal implications other than the code update.

Alternatives

<i>Options</i>	<i>Results</i>
• Approve the Ordinance	The False Alarm Section will be updated to set the fine by Resolution.
• Deny the Ordinance	The Code will continue to be out of date with the actual fee.

Staff Recommendation

Approving Ordinance 1253 setting the false alarm fines by resolution.