



**STAFF REPORT
HOLLISTER CITY COUNCIL
MEETING DATE: November 3, 2025
REPORT # Police-2025-12**

AGENDA ITEM: AN ORDINANCE FOR RECOVERY OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE PERSONNEL COSTS RELATED TO DUI INCIDENTS AND RESOLUTION DETERMINING THE HOURLY FULLY FUNDED RATE FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY PERSONNEL TO BE CHARGED UNDER THIS NEW ORDINANCE

DEPARTMENT: Police

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Carlos Reynoso, Police Chief

STAFF CONTACT: Carlos Reynos, Police Chief

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

1. Adopt an ordinance amending Title 9 of the Hollister Municipal Code to add Chapter 9.50 for recovery of emergency response personnel costs related to DUI incidents; and
2. Adopt a resolution determining the hourly fully funded rate for the public safety personnel to be charged under this new ordinance.

DISCUSSION: On October 20, 2025, the City Council held a public hearing, introduced an ordinance amending Title 9 of the Hollister Municipal Code to add Chapter 9.50 for recovery of emergency response personnel costs related to DUI incidents and directed staff to return with a resolution determining the hourly fully funded rate for the public safety personnel to be charged under this new ordinance.

A second reading and adoption of the ordinance is required.

Upon approval of the second reading and adoption of the DUI cost recovery ordinance, the new fee to be charged will be the fully funded, actual cost of each individual public safety personnel that responded and provided services for the incident in question. City staff shall calculate the time spent along with the hourly rate for each fire fighter and police personnel on scene. The hourly rate shall be determined by the finance department during the yearly budget process and updated every year upon the fiscal year budget approval every July 1st.

FISCAL IMPACT: Unknown but possibly up to \$30,000 in revenue per year in cost recovery.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL OR COMMISSION ACTION: On October 20, 2025, the City Council held a public hearing and introduced the ordinance.

CEQA: Not a project under CEQA.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Cost Recovery Ordinance
2. Resolution