

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 717, Page 38, Section 488.607, Line 15,
2 by inserting after all of said line the following:

3 "488.2230. 1. In addition to all other court costs for municipal ordinance violations, any
4 home rule city with more than four hundred thousand inhabitants and located in more than one
5 county may provide for additional court costs in an amount up to seven dollars per case for each
6 municipal ordinance violation case, except that no such additional cost shall be collected in any
7 proceeding involving a violation of an ordinance when the proceeding or defendant has been
8 dismissed by the court.

9 2. The judge may waive the assessment of the cost in those cases where the defendant is
10 found by the judge to be indigent and unable to pay the costs.

11 3. Such cost shall be calculated by the clerk and disbursed to the city at least monthly. The
12 city shall use such additional costs exclusively to fund special mental health, drug, and veterans
13 courts, including indigent defense and ancillary services associated with such specialized courts.";
14 and

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16 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
17 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____