

FOA Request to City of Bloomington, MN

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Description-of-Request

Dear City Clerk, I have one follow-up request regarding the Fines and Forfeitures revenues that are summarized on pg. 117 of your 2021 City Budget. From the 2019 Actual column, listing \$757,878 for fines and forfeitures, how much of that was from Administrative Citations, and how many Administrative Citations were issued in 2019? From the 2020 projected column, listing \$466,398 for fines and forfeitures, how much of that was from Administrative Citations, and how many Administrative Citations were issued for 2020? Thank you again for your quick response. You are great! John Purdy

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Regards,

City Clerk's Office

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Those dollar amounts do not contain any Administration Citations. They are comprised mainly of fines that come through the court system, drug and DWI forfeitures, and fines issued from the City Clerk Licensing Division to businesses who sold alcohol or tobacco to under-aged individuals. The fines received through the courts result from violations of the law such as moving violations - for example, speeding or driving without a license.

Here is the breakdown for the two years for those amounts that you inquired about on page 117 of the 2021 Budget Book:

2019 Actual:

\$672,155.66	Fines that come through the court system
84,186.42	Drug and DWI Forfeitures
1,500.00	Fines for selling alcohol or tobacco to under-aged individuals
<u>36.00</u>	<u>Restitution</u>
\$757,878.08	

2020 Actual (slightly different than the projected in the Budget Book)

\$375,926.32	Fines that come through the court system
72,164.30	Drug and DWI Forfeitures
<u>9,000</u>	<u>Fines for selling alcohol or tobacco to under-aged individuals</u>
\$457,090.62	

Money received from Administrative Citations is part of the "Other Revenues" line item. Administrative citations would include citations issued from the Environmental Health Division to properties for things like tall grass and weeds

For 2019, the actual amount was \$20,017.09

Number of administrative citations in 2019: 117 total

Env. Health – 102; Building & Inspections – 13; Fire Prevention – 2

For 2020, the actual amount was \$29,062.83

Number of administrative citations in 2019: 112 total

Env. Heal – 87; Building & Inspections – 19; Police – 6

For 2021, the budgeted amount is \$20,000