

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
CITY OF MORGANTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA**

Notice is hereby given by the City of Morgantown, WV, that it will hold a public hearing on Friday, December 19, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. at the Morgantown City Hall Council Chambers (2nd floor), 389 Spruce Street, Morgantown, WV 26505.

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY OF MORGANTOWN, AND PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY GRANTED TO IT AS A HOME RULE MUNICIPALITY, CREATING A NEW SECTION 181.22 WITHIN ITS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AS THE SAME APPLIES TO A COURT TECHNOLOGY/MAINTENANCE FEE WHICH IS TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST MUNICIPAL COURT DEFENDANTS.

Copies of the proposed ordinances are available for public inspection in the Office of the City Clerk as well as the Office of the City Manager, Morgantown City Hall, 389 Spruce Street, Morgantown, WV 26505 during regular business hours, or call the City Manager's Office at (304) 284-7405.

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The City of Morgantown hereby ordains, pursuant to authority granted to it as a Home Rule Municipality, that a new Section 181.22 is created within its Administrative Code which reads as follows (new matter underlined, deleted matter struck through):

181.22 MUNICIPAL COURT TECHNOLOGY/MAINTENANCE FEE.

The Court shall assess a mandatory five dollar (\$5.00) fee upon each and every defendant found guilty or pleading nolo contendere regarding a misdemeanor violation, including traffic violations and moving violations, but excluding municipal parking ordinance violations. The municipality shall use the money raised by this fee to not only fund the current technological costs of its Municipal Court, but also, to update the Municipal Court's technology as needed.

FIRST READING:

MAYOR

ADOPTED:

FILED:

CITY CLERK

RECORDED: