

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

Please email requests to the Mayor's Legislative Team
at MileHighOrdinance@DenverGov.org by **3:00pm on Monday**.

****All fields must be completed.****

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Date of Request: 05/24/12

Please mark one: Bill Request or Resolution Request

1. Has your agency submitted this request in the last 12 months?

Yes No

If yes, please explain:

2. **Title:** *(Include a concise, one sentence description – please include name of company or contractor and contract control number - that clearly indicates the type of request: grant acceptance, contract execution, amendment, municipal code change, supplemental request, etc.)*

Municipal Code change for a \$100 warrant cancellation fee.

3. **Requesting Agency:** Denver County Court

4. **Contact Person:** *(With actual knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution.)*

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5. **Contact Person:** *(With actual knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution who will present the item at Mayor-Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary.)*

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6. **General description of proposed ordinance including contract scope of work if applicable:**

The Court is requesting an ordinance change that would allow a \$100 nonrefundable warrant cancellation fee for those individuals who wish to cancel their warrant online or in person and be put back on the judges docket without being arrested and/or posting bond. This option would only be available to individuals who failed to appear at arraignment and their case does not involve domestic violence.

****Please complete the following fields:** *(Incomplete fields may result in a delay in processing. If a field is not applicable, please enter N/A for that field.)*

- a. **Contract Control Number:** NA
- b. **Duration:** NA
- c. **Location:** NA
- d. **Affected Council District:** NA
- e. **Benefits:** Individuals who have active warrants for their arrest would have another option to clear their warrant. They could avoid an arrest record and fewer jail bed days would result. It is estimated that 3,000 individuals would take advantage of this option each year.
- f. **Costs:** NA

7. **Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance?** *(Groups or individuals who may have concerns about it?)* Please explain. No

To be completed by Mayor's Legislative Team: