

## Mai Vang

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To whom it may concern,

The costs that were involved from police impound.

Tow fee – 125.00 (amount city pays tow company)  
Administrative fee – 80.00  
Storage fee – 465.00 (15.00 per day/31 days)  
Total – 670.00 police cost

Looks like the storage was originally calculated wrong as this this vehicle was actually sold 24 days after coming in on 6/27/23.

So should have been 24 days X 15.00 dollars which equals 360.00 instead of the 465.00 (see above)

**So that would make it 105.00 less or 565.00 instead of 670.00 for the total police cost.**

**Then the vehicle was sold on 7/20/23 for 350.00.**

**So, 565.00 – 350.00 would equal 215.00 which should be the corrected Police assessment.**

I'm not sure where the mistake came from as there are two parties involved and the spread sheet is a DSI spreadsheet. But looks like a math or typo error was made along the way.

As for the Signing of the waiver typically that can allow us to sell the vehicle quicker if we have the title to the vehicle turned over to us as well.

In this case, the title was not given to us.

When we don't have the title we wait the normal wait time under State Statues before selling.

The normal time is at least 15 days after the certified notice is mailed. Certified notice went out on 6/30/2023 on this one.

I have no way to tell if the registered owner was told to bring the title in to us to speed the process of us being able to sell it.

An argument could be made to only access 9 days storage or 135.00 because if we had the title we could of sold it two weeks earlier at the 7/6/2024 auction/sale.

Respectfully,

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