

## MISSAUKEE COUNTY

### FOIA COST/COST ESTIMATE WORKSHEET

Requester: _____				FOIA Request Dated: _____			
Actual Cost: Yes No				Estimate of Cost: Yes No			
LINE	CLASSIFICATION OF LOWEST PAID EMPLOYEE CAPABLE OF RETRIEVING/ COPYING THE INFORMATION (POSITION/TITLE)	HOURLY PAY INCLUDING BENEFITS AMOUNT	TIME TO COMPLY IN 1/4 HOUR INCREMENTS	TOTAL COST AMOUNT	# OF PAGES OF DOCUMENTS	# OF PAGES TIMES \$0.10/PAGE AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT
<b>Copying Charges</b>							
1	Copies					\$0.10 per page	
2	Paper copies of documents available on Website (if requested)					\$0.10 per page	
<b>Retrieval of Public Records</b>							
3	Administrative Assistant						
	FOIA Coordinator						
<b>Copying of Public Records</b>							
4	Administrative Assistant						
	FOIA Coordinator						
<b>Separation of Exempt from Nonexempt Information</b>							
5	Administrative Assistant						
	FOIA Coordinator						
	Outside legal counsel						
<b>Other Charges</b>							
6	OTHER CHARGES (pick-up/delivery charges; mileage (at current IRS) rate, packaging, etc.)						
7	MAILING COSTS						
8	TOTAL COST/ESTIMATE OF COST						
9	DEPOSIT REQUIRED (if estimated cost exceeds \$50.00) (not to exceed 50% of estimated fee in Line 8 above)						

#### GENERAL COSTS GUIDELINES

Duplication Per Page (each side copied)	\$0.10
<b>Labor:</b> Hourly Rate/Benefits of lowest paid employee capable of performing compliance tasks (includes fringe benefits at one-half of employee's hourly wage) (Billed in 1/4 hour increments; Time increments are rounded downward to the next 1/4 hour increment)*	
<b>Labor:</b> Outside counsel time (equal to six times the current state minimum hourly wage rate) for separation of exempt from nonexempt information (January 1, 2016: \$8.50/hour x 6; January 1, 2017: \$8.90/hour x 6; January 1, 2018: \$9.25/hour x 6) (subject to change based on change in state minimum hour wage) Billed in 1/4 hour increments. Time increments are rounded downward to the next 1/4 hour increment)	
Mailing Costs	Actual
Specialty copies (Photo discs, photo reproductions; audio or video tapes or discs)	Actual
Other (Insurance; overnight or express delivery charges)	Actual

\*Generally the hourly charge (including benefits) per Section 4(3) of the FOIA, is the lowest paid fulltime County employee capable of retrieving/copying necessary information/records. However, when a capable professional/technical employee is required to process requests requiring certain information retrievals, examinations, and redaction, the hourly rate of the lowest paid capable professional/technical employee is charged.