

FRIDLEY CITY CODE
CHAPTER 107. DISPOSAL OF CERTAIN PROPERTY

(Ref. 31, 695, 1029, 1187, 1360)

107.01. DISPOSAL OF LOST, UNCLAIMED, AND STOLEN PROPERTY

Pursuant to this section, the Public Safety Director shall dispose of property lawfully coming into possession of the Fridley Police Department in the course of municipal operation and remaining unclaimed by the owner for a period of at least sixty (60) days. Disposition of such property may be by live public auction, online public auction or, upon approval of the City Council, by private sale to a non-profit organization that has a significant mission to community service. Public sales shall be held at least annually. The proceeds from such sales shall be deposited with the Treasurer of the City of Fridley and become part of the General Fund. The former owner of sold property shall have the right to payment of the sale price from the fund upon application and satisfactory proof of ownership within the six (6) months of the sale. Notice of public live auction sales shall be given in a legal newspaper at least ten (10) days prior to such sale. Any disposition of property lawfully coming into possession of the Police Department may only occur after the Police Department has made a reasonable effort to contact the legal owner of the property. (Ref. 1346)

107.02. STORAGE FEES FOR SEIZED MOTOR VEHICLES

Whenever a motor vehicle is seized by the police department and held at a storage facility or impound lot pending a forfeiture action commenced under statutory authority, The City may assess fees to the owner or lien-holder of the motor vehicle for storage as specified in Chapter 11. In addition, the owner or lien-holder of any such seized motor vehicle shall be responsible for payment of any towing charges. (Ref 1250)