

Motion for Council:

Purchases in excess of \$3,000 in which purchase orders were opened after the date of the invoice require council approval. These can easily occur at the beginning of the year, when the books have not yet been opened for purchase orders.

Franklin County Prosecutor's Office –\$5,795.75 1/09/2024

Motion language:

To approve the payment of the attached invoice from the Franklin County Prosecutor's Office for \$5,795.75.

**G. GARY TYACK
FRANKLIN COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
ASSET COLLECTION UNIT**

January 9, 2024

TO: BEXLEY DIVISION OF POLICE
2242 E. Main Street
Bexley, OH 43209

APPROVED
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ed Leonard 2/21/24

RE: Flowers, Shabie Account # 18-200-51320 CASE NO.: 21 CR 4124

Date 2/21/2024
PO # 2400388

----- INVOICE -----

FORFEITED CASH

TOTAL FORFEITED CASH VALUE \$ **23,033.00**

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COURT COSTS AMOUNT DEDUCTED - \$ Does not include Publication Fee
BALANCE \$ **23,033.00**

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PUBLICATION FEE - \$ 50.00 Already paid by Prosecutor's Office

AVAILABLE FORFEITED CASH BALANCE \$ **22,983.00**

FORFEITED CASH TOTAL	\$ 22,983.00	25% OF FORFEITED CASH TOTAL	\$ 5,745.75
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25% OF FORFEITED CASH TOTAL DUE:	\$	5,745.75
REIMBURSEMENT TO PROSECUTOR FOR PUBLICATION FEES ALREADY PAID	+ \$	50.00
TOTAL VALUE DUE TO PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE	\$	5,795.75

TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE \$ **5,795.75**

PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE AND SEND TO: FRANKLIN COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE
ASSET RECOVERY DIVISION
373 S. HIGH STREET, 14TH FLOOR
COLUMBUS, OH 43215
ATTN: MR. ED LEONARD

Court costs DUE by Police Agency

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Court cost check needs to be made payable to the COMMON PLEAS CLERK OF COURTS, but should be forwarded to Ed Leonard's attention for recording purposes.

PER OUR CONTRACT, PLEASE REMIT THE TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE AND ALSO THE COURT COSTS TO BE PAID TO THE CLERK'S OFFICE TO ED LEONARD WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THIS INVOICE DATE.

If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Mowery at 614-525-6790.

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO
CRIMINAL DIVISION**

State of Ohio,

CASE NO. 21-CR-04124

V.

JUDGE JAIZA N. PAGE

Shabie Lynn Flowers

**IN RE: FORFEITURE OF: \$21,002.00 U.S. CURRENCY; \$2,031.00 U.S. CURRENCY;
AND
UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS OF AN INTEREST
IN ABOVE PROPERTY, ADDRESS UNKNOWN,**

ENTRY OF FORFEITURE

This matter came on for hearing on the motion of the Prosecuting Attorney of Franklin County, Ohio, and the Bexley Police Department to forfeit the property in the instant case to wit: \$21,002.00 U.S. Currency; \$2,031.00 U.S. Currency, pursuant to **Section 2981.02 and/or 2981.03 and/or 2981.05** of the Ohio Revised Code. The Petitioner was represented by the Prosecuting Attorney. The Defendant Shabie Lynn Flowers was represented by Michael H. Siewert.

The parties agree and the Court finds that the proper notice has been given according to law. The Court further finds by clear and convincing evidence that the property in the instant case is property subject to forfeiture and is therefore forfeitable because the property constitutes contraband, is proceeds derived from or acquired through the commission of an offense, or is an instrumentality that was used in or intended to be used in the commission or facilitation of an offense that is sufficient to warrant forfeiture under Chapter 2981 of the Ohio Revised Code.

In addition, having been duly advised that he has various rights with regard to the forfeiture of the property, the Respondent hereby relinquishes any claim that he may have to said

property and further waives any federal, state, constitutional and/or procedural rights that he may have to contest the forfeiture of such property.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the property set forth in the instant case is to be forfeited to the Bexley Police Department and the Prosecuting Attorney of Franklin County, Ohio. It is further ORDERED that the property set forth in the instant case be sold in accordance with section 2981.12 of the Ohio Revised Code. The proceeds of such sale of said items shall be distributed pursuant to Section 2981.13(B) of the Ohio Revised Code in the following order:

1. To the payment of the costs incurred in this forfeiture proceeding;
2. To the payment of the balance due on any security interest preserved pursuant to division (c) of section 2981.12 of the Ohio Revised Code;
3. To the payment of any costs incurred by the seizing agency in connection with the storage, maintenance, security, and forfeiture of the property; and
4. Any remaining proceeds are to be distributed in the following manner: twenty five percent (25%) to the Prosecuting Attorney, Franklin County, Ohio, Law Enforcement Trust Fund, Attention: Ed Leonard, 373 South High Street, 15th Floor, Columbus, OH 43215; seventy five percent (75%) to the Bexley Police Department Law Enforcement Trust Fund, 559 N. Cassingham Rd., Columbus, OH 43209.
5. It is hereby ORDERED that the Clerk of Courts shall distribute any funds deposited with the Clerk in the same manner as stated in paragraph 4 above.

Any controlled substances forfeited by this Order shall be disposed of in accordance with section 2981.12, Ohio Revised Code.

It is further ORDERED that the Clerk of Courts shall release and distribute any property and/or funds (including Bonds) as set forth herein.

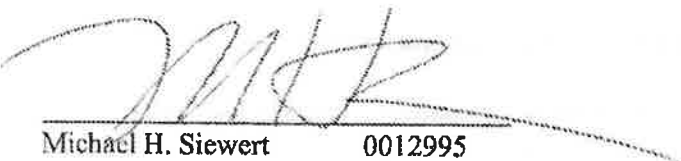
It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the disposition as ordered above shall occur within sixty (60) days of the date this Entry is filed with the Clerk of Courts.


JUDGE JAIZA N. PAGE

APPROVED:



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Shabie Lynn Flowers
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