

RESOLUTION NO. 49-26

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING FINES AND FEES FOR CERTAIN PARKING VIOLATIONS

Recitals:

The City of Grand Junction establishes fines and fees for parking violation. The most recent adoption of these fines and fees was in Resolution No. 77-25. This Resolution adopts a change to the fine and fee schedule for certain parking violations.

The structure of the fine schedule changes in this Resolution from an escalation of the fine to a base fine plus fees. The base fine is to remain at \$25 for the violation. Late fees are assessed for fines that are not paid at certain dates after the violation to account for administrative costs associated with late payment, including late notices that are sent to violators and administrative costs in tracking tickets that are outstanding.

The current escalation schedule may create financial hardship for individuals living paycheck to paycheck. To address these concerns, this Resolution eliminates the 8–15 day escalation tier and extending the base citation fine period through day 14. Under the proposed schedule in this Resolution, the first fee would occur on day 15.

The revised structure would also be incorporated into the delinquent citation notification letter, which will serve as the official notice prior to potential boot warrant enforcement. This update is intended to improve communication with customers by clearly outlining both the revised fee structure and possible enforcement actions.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that:

The Recitals are incorporated herein. Effective on the date of adoption of this Resolution, the following fines and fees for parking violations are adopted for Expired Meter and Illegal Parking:

2026 Schedule	Amended Schedule Adopted by This Resolution
1–7 days: \$25	1–14 days: \$25
8–15 days: \$35	15–29 days: \$25 + \$20 fee
16–29 days: \$45	30+ days: \$25 + \$75 fee
30+ days: \$100	

PASSED and ADOPTED this 3rd day of June 2026.



Laurel Lutz

President of the City Council



Attest:



Selestina Sandoval

City Clerk