

# FOUNTAIN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## BODY WORN CAMERA / PHOTO REQUEST

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for the Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Case Number or Call Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date / Time of Occurrence: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Case: \_\_\_\_\_

Known Person(s) Involved: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Occurrence: \_\_\_\_\_

### Type of Request:

☐ BWC Request Only    ☐ Photo Request Only    ☐ BWC & Photos

### Method of Delivery:

☐ Emailed download link

☐ USB drive (Additional charges apply, see pg. 2)

☐ Photo prints (Additional charges apply, see pg. 2)

**24-72-305.5** Access to records - denial by custodian - use of records to obtain information for solicitation. Records of official actions and criminal justice records and the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and other information in such records shall not be used by any person for the purpose of soliciting business for pecuniary gain. The official custodian shall deny any person access to records of official actions and criminal justice records unless such person signs a statement which affirms that such records shall not be used for the direct solicitation of business for pecuniary gain.

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Colorado Revised Statute above.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## BWC Disclaimers and Costs

**\* Body Worn Camera (BWC) Redacted - (Blurred video) - (Non-Refundable Deposit)** There is a one hour minimum fee (\$30), plus the required research fee (\$5) for all requests, regardless of overall video length. This minimum fee total is \$35. Each additional hour of BWC will be billed at \$30/hour x 3 (as the redacting and blurring of BWC takes an estimated three times the length of the original video). Additional fees may apply.

After the non-refundable deposit is paid, a Fountain Police Department Digital Media Technician (DMT) will provide a summary report to the requester with the estimated total (based on number of videos, average length of videos). If the requester approves and pays the estimated total, then the DMT will begin the redaction process.

**\* Photo Requests** - Will include all case photos (Redacted pursuant to Colorado revised statutes). There is a fee of \$10 per case.

**\* Delivery Methods** - Completed BWC and Photo requests are delivered via email which includes a link to download the files.

Alternate Options - BWC on USB drive (additional \$15 fee per 128gb USB drive) (Must be picked up in person at FPD).

Photos as individual prints (additional \$2 per printed photo) (Must be picked up in person at FPD).

**\* Payment Methods** - Check or money order (made payable to City of Fountain) can be mailed along with your form to:

Fountain Police Department  
ATT: BWC Request / Records  
222 N Santa Fe Ave  
Fountain CO 80817

Credit card is also accepted in person at FPD

**\* A valid government issued ID card or passport must be presented at time of request.**

**\* BWC requests will be processed within 21 days of the request. If the BWC request or other Criminal Justice Record request cannot be processed as outlined in Title 24 – Article 72 or Title 19 of the Colorado Revised Statutes or any other Colorado Revised Statue pertaining to Criminal Justice Records, the requester will be notified.**

## Pricing Example

**Case Example (In this example three officers responded):**

Officer A - 141min of video

Officer B - 28min of video

Officer C - 68 min of video

We will always round up to the nearest 15 min. In this situation the numbers would look like this:

Officer A - 150 min of video

Officer B - 30 min of video

Officer C - 75 min of video

Total video minutes = 255

$255 \text{ min} / 60 = 4.25 \text{ hours of video to redact}$

$4.25 \times 3 \text{ hours of redaction time} = 12.75$

12.75 hours of total redaction time

$12.75 \text{ hours of total redaction time} \times \$30 \text{ per hour} = \$382.50$

In this example \$382.50 would be the final charge AFTER the initial \$35 non-refundable fee has already been paid.

## Please Be Advised:

The Fountain Police Department acknowledges that any video recording is only representing one perspective of an event and that a camera captures images differently than the human eye. An officer's recall of an event, particularly in a critical, acute-stress encounter, may be different from any other view.

The officer's report is a synopsis of the investigation and is not meant to be a transcript or complete account of every detail or circumstance contained within any digital video recording device footage collected. Additionally, the report may include additional information regarding what the officer is actually seeing or perceiving during the event that may not be captured in the video footage. Similarly, if the report includes information regarding recorded interviews or actions by an officer, it should be treated as a summary of those interviews or actions. It is not a transcript and may not be in chronological order as reported by the victim(s), witness(es), and/or suspect(s). Direct quotes will be noted with "quotation marks."

It is recognized there are limitations to any recorded video footage, and the idea that recordings can capture the full story should be taken with caution. Footage sometimes fails to provide important context and can be subject to biases and varying interpretations. Examples of known limitations of any camera device include, but are not limited to:

- Predictive imaging may not capture movements seen by the human eye
- A camera recording only captures an event in a two-dimensional view from a single perspective
- Danger cues observed by an officer may not always be captured or visible on the recording
- Cameras are unable to accurately capture what the human eye sees

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