

HOUSE BILL 256

By Hardaway

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 29,
Chapter 3, relative to abatement of nuisances.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-3-110, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(c) In the order of abatement, the court may also assess costs of public services required to abate or manage the nuisance, including, but not limited to, law enforcement costs and costs of remedying environmental conditions, if any, caused by the public nuisance. The governmental entity shall submit an estimate of such costs to the court.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.