



# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

## Legislative Summary

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**Title:** AN ORDINANCE relating to the Building and Construction Codes, Subtitle VI, Fire Code; amending Seattle Municipal Code Sections 22.602.045, 22.602.050, 22.602.070, and 22.602.090, to add, delete, and revise various Seattle Fire Department permit, certificate, inspection, and plan review fees and related provisions.

**Notes:**

**Filed with City Clerk:** 11/28/2016

**Mayor's Signature:** 11/28/2016

**Sponsors:** Burgess

**Vetoed by Mayor:**

**Veto Overridden:**

**Veto Sustained:**

**Attachments:**

**Drafter:** adam.schaefer@seattle.gov

**Filing Requirements/Dept Action:**

**History of Legislative File**

**Legal Notice Published:**

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Version:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	09/26/2016	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
1	City Clerk	10/07/2016	sent for review	Council President's Office			
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office						
	<b>Notes:</b>						
1	Council President's Office	10/20/2016	sent for review	Select Budget Committee			
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Select Budget Committee						
	<b>Notes:</b>						
1	Full Council	11/07/2016	referred	Select Budget Committee			
1	Select Budget Committee	11/16/2016	pass				Pass
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Committee recommends that Full Council pass the Council Bill (CB).						

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In Favor: 9 Chair Burgess, Member Bagshaw, Member Harrell, Member Herbold,  
Member Juarez, Member Johnson, Member González , Member O'Brien,  
Member Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 Full Council 11/21/2016 passed Pass

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember Burgess, Councilmember  
González , Council President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold,  
Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember  
O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 City Clerk 11/22/2016 submitted for Mayor  
Mayor's signature

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 Signed

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 returned City Clerk

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned. to the City Clerk

Notes:

1 City Clerk 11/28/2016 attested by City  
Clerk

Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.

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CITY OF SEATTLE

ORDINANCE 125189

COUNCIL BILL 118831

AN ORDINANCE relating to the Building and Construction Codes, Subtitle VI, Fire Code; amending Seattle Municipal Code Sections 22.602.045, 22.602.050, 22.602.070, and 22.602.090, to add, delete, and revise various Seattle Fire Department permit, certificate, inspection, and plan review fees and related provisions.

WHEREAS, Seattle Fire Department permit, inspection, certification, and plan review fees were last modified on January 1, 2015, as authorized by Ordinance 124649; and

WHEREAS, amendments to the Seattle Fire Code from time to time require the introduction of new Seattle Fire Department permits, the elimination of other permits, and modifications to permit titles and administration, to ensure consistency between the permit structure and Seattle Fire Code regulations; and

WHEREAS, to benefit customers, The City of Seattle wishes to more closely align certain Seattle Fire Department certifications with relevant State of Washington certifications; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to maintain or improve cost recovery for the provision of fire prevention services related to specific permitted activities, inspections, plan reviews, and certifications; NOW, THEREFORE,

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Seattle Municipal Code Section 22.602.045, last amended by Ordinance 124649, is hereby amended as follows:

**22.602.045 Fees ((τ))**

A. The fees for the following non-hazardous material permits are established in Schedule

A. See ((Table 22.602.045A)) Table A for 22.602.045.

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**Non-Hazardous Materials Permit Fees  
Effective January 1, ((2015)) 2017**

<b>Schedule A</b> <b>((Table 22.602.045 A)) Table A for 22.602.045</b> <b>See footnotes Time Charge<sup>a</sup>, Late Fee<sup>b</sup> applicable to all Schedule A permit fees.</b>			
Code No.	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
999T	Christmas Tree Lot, temporary	(((\$162)) \$190 plus time charge	No renewal
2501	Place of Assembly, non-profit	No fee	No fee
2501.1	Place of Assembly, non-profit, Occupant Load 100-999 and no stage	No fee	No fee
2501.2	Place of Assembly, non-profit, Occupant Load 1,000 or greater, or any Occupant Load with a stage	No fee	No fee
2502.1	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 100-199	(((\$369)) \$432	(((\$369)) \$432
2502.2	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 200-999	(((\$461)) \$540	(((\$461)) \$540
2504.1	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 1,000-2,999	(((\$552)) \$646	(((\$552)) \$646
2504.2	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 3,000-9,999	(((\$940)) \$1,101	(((\$940)) \$1,101
2504.3	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 10,000-19,999	(((\$1,614)) \$1,890	(((\$1,614)) \$1,890
2504.4	Place of Assembly, Occupant Load 20,000 and over	(((\$2,149)) \$2,516	(((\$2,149)) \$2,516
2504.5	Covered and Open Mall Buildings, annual, includes vehicle display	(((\$315)) \$369	(((\$315)) \$369
2509	Open flame, Place of Assembly, Occupant load 50-99	(((\$162)) \$190	(((\$162)) \$190
2510	Open flame (non-profit), Place of assembly, Occupant load 50-99	No fee	No fee

<sup>a</sup> **Time Charge.** Where a time charge is indicated, a fee shall be charged equal to actual labor costs plus administrative overhead costs for field inspection and/or review exceeding one hour. When requested or when necessary for Fire Prevention Division staff to conduct inspections for the purpose of Seattle Fire Code compliance for any of the above Schedule A permits outside of regular business hours (Monday through Friday, 8:00 ((AM)) a.m. to ((5:00 PM)) 4:30 p.m.), a time charge will be added to the above permit cost. The time charge, when applicable, will be equal to the actual labor cost, including administrative overhead costs and other services.

<sup>b</sup> **Late Fee.** Payment for Schedule A permit renewals, where allowed, which is received more than 30 calendar days but ~~((less))~~ fewer than 91 calendar days past the permit expiration date shall be equal to 1.25 times the renewal fee. The renewal permit will be valid for only one year from the expiration date of the prior permit. Permits for which no renewal payment has been received within 90 calendar days following the permit expiration date will be cancelled. Permits that have been cancelled may be reinstated, effective from the expiration date, if the permit holder pays a late penalty of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit within 180 days of the expiration date. Thereafter, any person whose permit has been cancelled shall not be allowed to reinstate the cancelled permit, but shall be required to submit a new permit application and pay a late penalty of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit.

- 1                    B. The fees for the following special event permits are established in Schedule B. See
- 2 ~~((Table 22.602.045B))~~ Table B for 22.602.045.

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**Special Events Permit Fees**  
**Effective January 1, ((2015)) 2017**

<b>Schedule B</b> <b>((Table 22.602.045-B)) Table B for 22.602.045</b> <b>Special Event Permits</b> <b>See notes ((Time Charge<sup>a</sup>;) Late Fee<sup>((b, c)) a, b, Fireworks<sup>((d)) c</sup> applicable to all Schedule B permit fees.</sup></b>			
<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Permit Title</b>	<b>Original Fee</b>	<b>Renewal Fee</b>
107 SE	Temporary special events permit	No fee	No renewal
1102	Open flame/flame effects, temporary, single event (non-LPG) <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$187 plus time charge)) \$220	No renewal
2500-FM	Place of Assembly, temporary, farmers' market program where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((b)) a</sup>	No fee	No renewal
2500-LPG	Farmers' Market, LPG, portable outdoor heating, annual, when issued with a Place of Assembly Permit Code 2500-FM <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$335)) \$394	(((\$335)) \$394
2503	Place of Assembly, temporary Indoor with less than 1,000 people, where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$225 plus time charge)) \$265	No renewal
2503.2	Temporary Outdoor Assembly Event, with projected attendance of 500-999, or ((which)) that confines 100-999 attendees by permanent or temporary barricades or fencing <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$225 plus time charge)) \$265	No renewal
2505.1	Place of Assembly, or tradeshow/exhibit/carnival/fair, temporary Indoor or Outdoor Assembly Event, attendance 1,000-2,999 where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$371 plus time charge)) \$436	No renewal
2505.2	Place of Assembly, or tradeshow/exhibit/carnival/fair, temporary Indoor or Outdoor Assembly Event, attendance 3,000-9,999 where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$741 plus time charge)) \$871	No renewal
2505.3	Place of Assembly, or tradeshow/exhibit/carnival/fair, temporary Indoor or Outdoor Assembly Event, attendance 10,000-19,999 where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$1,058 plus time charge)) \$1,244	No renewal
2505.4	Place of Assembly, or tradeshow/exhibit/carnival/fair, temporary Indoor or Outdoor Assembly Event, attendance 20,000 and over where the event alters the existing exit configuration and/or fire lanes <sup>((e)) b</sup>	(((\$2,117 plus time charge)) \$2,490	No renewal

Code No.	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
2511	Open flame/flame effects, Place of Assembly, ((temporary,)) valid 12 months <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$492 plus time charge)) \$579	No renewal
3201	Tent or air-supported structure <sup>((*)</sup> , for use when no assembly permit is required <sup>b</sup>  (( <del>*For use with City of Seattle Special Events permit or when used as other than an assembly<sup>b</sup></del> ))	(((\$248 plus time charge)) \$292	No renewal
((3201-Combo))	((Tent or air-supported structure in combination with applicable temporary public assembly permit <sup>e</sup> ))	(((\$248 or the applicable temporary assembly permit fee, whichever is greater))	((No renewal))
<u>3201-CTY</u>	<u>Tent or air-supported structure, for use with City of Seattle Special Events Permit<sup>b</sup></u>	<u>\$292</u>	<u>No renewal</u>
<u>3201-SFD</u>	<u>Tent or air-supported structure, for use with valid and Seattle Fire Department Special Events Permit<sup>b</sup></u>	<u>No charge</u>	<u>No renewal</u>
7801.1	Fireworks use/display outdoor <sup>((e,d)) b,c</sup>	(((\$1,236 plus time charge)) \$1,454	No renewal
7801.3	Fireworks barge load/unload only <sup>((e,d)) b,c</sup>	(((\$618 plus time charge)) \$727	No renewal
7802	Fireworks use/display before a proximate audience <sup>((e,d)) b,c</sup>	(((\$656 plus time charge)) \$771	No renewal
8020	Flammable Liquids, Place of Assembly, temporary single event <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$248 plus time charge)) \$292	No renewal
8206	LPG/flame effects, special events, temporary, valid 12 months <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$335)) \$394	No renewal
8206-FVH	LPG (propane) or solid fuel/open flame/charcoal used for food vending or heating, annual <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$335)) \$394	(((\$335)) \$394
8207	Temporary LPG (propane) or solid fuel, open flame cooking/flame effects, single event <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$187 plus time charge)) \$220	No renewal
8208	Special hazards, including indoor vehicle display, Place of Assembly, temporary single event (not required for holders of a 2504.5 permit) <sup>((b)) a</sup>	(((\$187 plus time charge)) \$220	No renewal

~~((<sup>a</sup> **Time Charge.** When an inspection or permit application review for a Schedule B permit is requested or is required for Seattle Fire Code compliance to be performed outside regular business hours (Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM) a time charge will be added to the Schedule B permit cost. The time charge, when applicable, will be equal to the actual labor cost, including applicable administrative overhead costs and other services.))~~

~~((b))~~ <sup>a</sup> **Late Fee Applied.** Schedule B permit applications for permits 1102, 2500 FM, 2511, ~~((3201,))~~ 8020, 8206, 8207, and 8208 ~~((;))~~ that are received by the Seattle Fire Department fewer than ten calendar days prior to the event, not counting the day of the event for which they apply, shall be assessed a late fee in addition to the permit fee and any applicable time charge. The late fee shall be equal to 50 percent of the original permit fee. Applications received three or fewer business days prior to the event may not be processed and the permit may not be issued. Payment for Schedule B permit renewals, where allowed, which is received more than 30 calendar days but ~~((less))~~ fewer than 91 calendar days past the permit expiration date shall be equal to 1.25 times the renewal fee. The renewal permit will be valid for only one year from the expiration date of the prior permit. Permits for which no renewal payment has been received within 90 calendar days following the permit expiration date will be cancelled. Permits that have been cancelled may be reinstated, effective from the expiration date, if the permit holder pays a late penalty of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit within 180 days of the expiration date. Thereafter, any person whose permit has been cancelled shall not be allowed to reinstate the cancelled permit, but shall be required to submit a new permit application and pay a late penalty of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit. Note: new applications for permits 8206-FVH ~~((;))~~ and 2500-LPG are not subject to late fees; the renewal process for these annual permits does include late fees and if permits are not renewed timely, late fees related to the renewal will be applied as described above in this footnote ~~((b))~~ <sup>a</sup>.

~~((c))~~ <sup>b</sup> **Late Fee Applied.** Applications for temporary, non-renewable Schedule B permits numbered from 2503 to 2505.4, ~~((and))~~ 3201~~((-Combo))~~, 3201-CTY, 3201-SFD, and from 7801.1 to 7802, that are received by the Seattle Fire Department fewer than 30 calendar days prior to the event, not counting the day of the event for which they apply, shall be assessed a late fee in addition to the permit fee and any applicable time charge. The late fee shall be equal to 50 percent of the original permit fee. Applications received three or fewer business days prior to the event may not be processed and the permit may not be issued.

~~((d))~~ <sup>c</sup> **Fireworks Permits.** An application for a fireworks permit shall be made in writing to the fire code official at least 30 calendar days in advance of the display. At the time the permit application is submitted, the fire code official shall be consulted regarding requirements for standby fire apparatus.

1 C. The fees for the following special hazards permits are established in Schedule C. See

2 ~~((Table 22.602.045C))~~ Table C for 22.602.045.



**Special Hazards Permits ((-))**

Fees for special hazards permits are established in Schedule C (See ((Table 22.602.045 -C)) Table C for 22.602.045). In some cases these fees are based on the quantity of hazardous material stored and/or handled at the site and the relative risk posed by each material.

1. Definitions:

a. "Quantity Range Number," as established in the Quantity Range Table below, is a number between 1 and 2 that is assigned to a hazard category based upon the amount of hazardous material located at the site.

**QUANTITY RANGE TABLE**

<b>QUANTITY RANGE NUMBER</b>	<b>SOLIDS (Pounds)</b>	<b>LIQUIDS (Gallons)</b>	<b>GASES (((Cu. Ft.)) <u>Cubic Feet</u>)</b>
1	0—550	0—55	0—1,000
1.25	>550—5,500	>55—550	>1,000—5,000
1.5	>5,500—27,500	>550—2,750	>5,000—50,000
1.75	>27,500—55,000	>2,750—5,500	>50,000—100,000
2	>55,000	>5,500	>100,000

b. "Assigned Risk Factor," as established below, is a number between 1 and 1.5 assigned to each hazard class and category of hazardous material indicating the relative hazard posed by materials in that hazard category and the potential nature of controls required by the Fire Code.

<b>Hazard Class</b>	<b>Assigned Risk Factor</b>	<b>Hazard Class</b>	<b>Assigned Risk Factor</b>
Aerosol products	1.3	<b>Organic peroxides</b>	
Cellulose nitrate	1.3	Unclassified	1.5
Combustible fiber	1.2	Class I	1.4
<b>Combustible liquids</b>		Class II	1.3
Class II	1.2	Class III	1.2
Class III-A	1.1	Class IV	1.0
Class III-B	1.0		

Hazard Class	Assigned Risk Factor	Hazard Class	Assigned Risk Factor
<b>Compressed gases</b>		<b>Oxidizers</b>	
Highly toxic	1.5	Class 4	1.5
Pyrophoric	1.4	Class 3	1.4
Flammable	1.4	Class 2	1.2
Unstable	1.4	Class 1	1.1
Oxidizing	1.4	Pyrophoric liquids and solids	1.3
Toxic	1.3	Toxic liquids and solids	1.2
Corrosive	1.3	<b>Unstable (reactive) liquids and solids</b>	
Corrosive Liquids and Solids	1.1	Class 4	1.5
Cryogenic Fluids	1.3	Class 3	1.4
Explosives	1.5	Class 2	1.3
Fireworks	1.4	Class 1	1.0
Flammable liquids, Class I	1.4	<b>Water-reactive materials</b>	
Flammable solids	1.3	Class 3	1.5
Highly toxic liquids and solids	1.5	Class 2	1.3
Magnesium	1.3	Class 1	1.0

1 c. "Fixed permit cost" is the minimum cost for the Seattle Fire Department to  
 2 issue a hazardous material permit. The fixed permit cost is (~~(\$208)~~) \$255.

3 d. "Base permit fee" is determined by multiplying the sum of the products of the  
 4 quantity range number and assigned risk factor for each hazard class by the fixed permit cost and  
 5 is represented by the following equation:

$$\text{Base permit fee} = [\Sigma (Q_1)(R_1) + (Q_2)(R_2) \dots] [F]$$

7 Where: Q = The quantity range number.

8 R = The assigned risk factor.

9 F = The fixed permit cost of (~~(\$218)~~) \$255.

1 When an individual material has multiple hazards, only the hazard presented by the  
 2 hazard class that has been assigned the highest risk factor shall be considered in the fee  
 3 calculation.

4 Example:

5 XYZ Company stores 50 gallons of gasoline and 200 gallons of 50% nitric acid.  
 6 Gasoline is classified as a Class I flammable liquid, which has an assigned risk factor of 1.4.  
 7 Nitric acid (50%) is classified as both a corrosive liquid and a Class 2 oxidizer. Because 50%  
 8 nitric acid presents two separate hazards (corrosive and Class 2 oxidizer) only the Class 2  
 9 oxidizer hazard is considered in the fee calculation because it has an assigned risk factor of 1.2  
 10 compared to the 1.1 risk factor assigned to corrosives.

11 Base permit fee = [(1)(1.4)<sub>flammable</sub> + (1.25)(1.2)<sub>Class 2 oxidizer</sub>] [((~~\$218~~)) \$255]

12 Base permit fee = ((~~\$632.20~~)) \$739.50

13 ((~~Schedule C~~))

Schedule C (( <del>Table 22.602.045 C</del> )) <u>Table C for 22.602.045 Special hazards permits<sup>1</sup></u>			
Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
<b>Miscellaneous Special Hazards Permits</b>			
1070	Temporary permit for a facility under a compliance plan <sup>2</sup>	Half of annual permit fee <sup>2</sup>	No renewal <sup>2</sup>
1071	Special inspection/permit – temporary	(( <del>\$225</del> )) <u>\$263</u> plus time charge	No renewal
(( <del>1072</del> ))	(( <del>Helicopter lift, temporary</del> ))	(( <del>\$218 plus time charge</del> ))	(( <del>No renewal</del> ))
1073	Cruise ship hazardous operations	(( <del>\$218</del> )) <u>\$255</u> plus time charge	No renewal
1101	Combustible material storage	(( <del>\$169</del> )) <u>\$198</u>	(( <del>\$169</del> )) <u>\$198</u>
1103	Waste handling	(( <del>\$218</del> )) <u>\$255</u>	(( <del>\$218</del> )) <u>\$255</u>
1104	Rooftop heliport	(( <del>\$218</del> )) <u>\$255</u>	(( <del>\$218</del> )) <u>\$255</u>
1506	Manufacture of reinforced plastics	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>

Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
2401	Aviation facility	((Fee worksheet)) <u>\$255</u>	((Half original <sup>1</sup> )) <u>\$255</u>
2520	Tire rebuilding plant	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>
2521	((Tire)) <u>Outdoor tire</u> and tire byproduct storage	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>
2701-T	Hazardous material stabilization, temporary	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u> plus time charge	No renewal
2801	Combustible fibers	((Fee worksheet)) <u>\$255</u>	((Half original <sup>1</sup> )) <u>\$255</u>
2902-Minor	Repair garage—minor. See Seattle Fire Code Chapter 2 for definitions.	(((\$298)) <u>\$349</u>	(((\$298)) <u>\$349</u>
2903-Major	Repair garage—major*. See Seattle Fire Code Chapter 2 for definitions.  *Spray painting requires a separate permit.	(((\$398)) <u>\$466</u>	(((\$398)) <u>\$466</u>
3001	Lumber yards and woodworking facilities	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>
3401	Wrecking yard	(((\$302)) <u>\$353</u>	(((\$302)) <u>\$353</u>
3402-Install	Installation of tanks for storage of combustible liquid serving emergency/standby power systems	(((\$335)) <u>\$392</u>	No renewal
4601	Fruit and crop ripening	((Fee worksheet)) <u>\$255</u>	((Half original <sup>1</sup> )) <u>\$255</u>
4701	Fumigation and thermal insecticidal fogging, temporary ((no storage))	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>No renewal</u>
((4702))	((Fumigation and thermal insecticidal fogging (storage included)))	((Fee worksheet))	((Half original <sup>1</sup> ))
4801	Magnesium working	((Fee worksheet)) <u>\$255</u>	((Half original <sup>1</sup> )) <u>\$255</u>
5001	Manufacture of organic coatings	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
5101	Semiconductor fabrication facilities	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
6201	Industrial oven	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>
6401-Install	Installation of battery systems	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	No renewal

Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
7601	Combustible dust-producing operation	<del>((218))</del> \$255	<del>((218))</del> \$255
7907	Fuel dispensing (open use) into equipment from aboveground tank	<del>((Fee worksheet))</del> \$255	<del>((Half original<sup>1</sup>))</del> \$255
8101	High-piled combustible storage	<del>((218))</del> \$255 plus time charge	<del>((218))</del> \$255 plus time charge
<i>Roofing Operations</i>			
7901	Roofing operations—annual	<del>((218))</del> \$255 plus <del>((218))</del> \$255 per unit	<del>((218))</del> \$255 plus <del>((218))</del> \$255 per unit
7901T	Roofing operations—temporary	<del>((218))</del> \$255	No renewal
<i>Dry Cleaning</i>			
<del>((3601))</del>	<del>((Dry cleaner (Class IV plants or systems)))</del>	<del>((218))</del>	<del>((218))</del>
<del>((3602))</del>	<del>((Dry cleaner (Class II or III plants or systems)))</del>	<del>((Fee worksheet))</del>	<del>((Half original<sup>1</sup>))</del>
3603	Dry cleaner	\$255	\$255
<i>Flammable Finishes</i>			
<del>((4505))</del>	<del>((Electrostatic operations))</del>	<del>((Fee worksheet))</del>	<del>((Half original<sup>1</sup>))</del>
2601	Floor finishing, temporary, > 350 square feet	<del>((218))</del> \$255	No renewal
4501	Limited spray finishing	<del>((218))</del> \$255	<del>((218))</del> \$255
4502	Spray finishing process (non-marine) (below permit quantities)	<del>((218))</del> \$255	<del>((218))</del> \$255
4502-WB	Spray finishing process (non-marine)—Water-based finish	No fee	No fee
4503	Spray finishing process (non-marine) (above permit quantities)	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
4504	Marine spray finishing process (below permit quantities)	<del>((218))</del> \$255	<del>((218))</del> \$255
4505	Marine spray finishing process (above permit quantities)	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
<del>((4506))</del>	<del>((Combustible powder finishing (below permit quantities)))</del>	<del>((218))</del>	<del>((218))</del>
<del>((4507))</del>	<del>((Combustible powder finishing (above permit quantities)))</del>	<del>((Fee worksheet))</del>	<del>((Half original<sup>1</sup>))</del>

Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
((4508))	((Dip tanks))	(((\$239))	(((\$239))
4509	<u>Powder coating, dipping and electrostatic operations</u>	<u>\$255</u>	<u>\$255</u>
<i>Motor vehicle/Marine motor vehicle fuel-dispensing facility</i>			
2204	Hydrogen motor vehicle fuel dispensing station	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>
5201	Motor vehicle fueling station (underground tank)	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>
5202	Motor vehicle fueling station (above ground tank)	(((\$468)) <u>\$548</u>	(((\$468)) <u>\$548</u>
5203	Marine motor vehicle fueling station	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>
5204	Liquefied petroleum gas motor vehicle fuel-dispensing station	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>
5205	Compressed natural gas motor vehicle fuel-dispensing station	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>	(((\$558)) <u>\$653</u>
<i>Hot Work Operations</i>			
4911	Annual non-marine cutting and welding (1—3 units)	(((\$365)) <u>\$427</u>	(((\$365)) <u>\$427</u>
4912	Annual non-marine cutting and welding (4 or more units)	(((\$612)) <u>\$716</u>	(((\$612)) <u>\$716</u>
4913	Temporary non-marine cutting and welding	(((\$218)) <u>\$255</u>	No renewal
4914	Annual hot work on marine vessels	(((\$956)) <u>\$1,119</u>	(((\$956)) <u>\$1,119</u>
4915	Temporary marine hot work	See Table C-4915	No renewal
4901	Shipyard	(((\$2,230)) <u>\$2,609</u>	(((\$2,230)) <u>\$2,609</u>
4902	Type I designated marine hot work facility (for all vessels regardless of length)	(((\$956)) <u>\$1,119</u>	(((\$956)) <u>\$1,119</u>
4903	Type II designated marine hot work facility (for vessels < 200 feet)	(((\$478)) <u>\$559</u>	(((\$478)) <u>\$559</u>
<i>LP-gas</i>			
8201-Install	Installation of liquid petroleum gas (LPG) in stationary containers, residential and non-residential	(((\$335)) <u>\$392</u>	May be renewed as 8202-R or 8202-STO

Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
8202-R	Storage of liquid petroleum gas (LPG) in portable or stationary containers, > 500 gallons, R3 residential occupancies  * Permit must be issued within one year of issue of 8201-Install permit.	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392
8202-STO	Storage of liquid petroleum gas (LPG) in portable or stationary containers, non-residential, all sizes  * Permit must be issued within one year of issue of 8201-Install permit.	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392
8202-EX	LPG cylinder exchange at retail occupancy	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392
8202-POH	Portable outdoor heater at permanent drinking or dining establishment	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392
8202-CH	Outdoor heater at construction sites, temporary	<del>(\$335)</del> \$392	No renewal

*Hazardous materials*

801-A	Combustible liquid storage and use	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-B	Corrosive compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-C	Corrosive liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-D	Cryogenic fluids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-E	Explosives	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-F	Flammable compressed gas (except LPG)	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-G	Flammable liquids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-H	Flammable solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-I	Highly toxic compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-J	Highly toxic liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-K	Organic peroxides	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-L	Oxidizing compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-M	Oxidizer liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-N	Pyrophoric compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-O	Pyrophoric liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-Q	Toxic compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-R	Toxic liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>

Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
801-S	Unstable (reactive) compressed gas	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-T	Unstable (reactive) liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-U	Water-reactive liquids and solids	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-V	Aerosols (Level 2 and 3)	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
801-W	Cellulose nitrate (pyroxylin) plastics	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
6101	Annual ((Residential Heating Oil Tank Decommissioning/Removal)) residential heating oil tank decommissioning/removal	No fee	No fee
6103	Residential heating oil tank decommissioning	<del>(((\$111))</del> <u>\$130</u>	No renewal
7401	Compressed gas (Inert and simple asphyxiates)	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7402	Medical gas system	<del>((Fee worksheet))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>((Half original<sup>1</sup>))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7403	<u>Carbon dioxide carbonating equipment used for beverages or cannabis</u>	<u>\$255</u>	<u>\$255</u>
7501	Non-flammable cryogens	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7900	Flammable/combustible liquid tank vehicle	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u> <sup>3</sup>
7903	Gas freeing of tank vessels and barges	<del>(((\$956))</del> <u>\$1,119</u>	<del>(((\$956))</del> <u>\$1,119</u>
7904	Bulk plant or terminal	Fee worksheet	Half original <sup>1</sup>
7905	Master fuel transfer to marine vessels	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7906	Marine refueling facility (for marine vessels), annual	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7906-T	Marine refueling temporary (for unplanned refueling at a facility without a 7906 permit)	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	No renewal
7908	Commercial flammable or combustible liquid tank decommissioning	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	No renewal
7912	Mobile fleet fueler (land-based)	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
7913	Mobile fleet fueling site	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u>
8001	Incidental flammable and combustible liquids ( $\leq$ 30 gallons)	<del>(((\$242))</del> <u>\$283</u>	<del>(((\$242))</del> <u>\$283</u>
8002	Laboratory per control area	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u> per control area	<del>(((\$218))</del> <u>\$255</u> per control area



Code Numbers	Permit Title	Original Fee	Renewal Fee
8010	LPG tank vehicle	<del>((218))</del> \$255	<del>((218))</del> \$255 <sup>3</sup>
8025	Marine Terminal	<del>((3,106))</del> \$3,634 + [ <del>((225))</del> \$263 x no. of acres >5]	Same as base
8030	Container Freight Station	<del>((1,552))</del> \$1,816	<del>((1,552))</del> \$1,816

<sup>1</sup> **Schedule C** fee worksheet-based permits shall be renewed at one-half the permit origination fee or ~~((218))~~ \$255, which is the minimum renewal fee, whichever is greater.

<sup>2</sup> This temporary permit is valid for six months and is issued to a facility placed under a long-term compliance plan while the facility works towards full compliance with the Code. The fee is calculated to be half of the annual permit fee of the annual permit that will be issued to the facility once compliance is achieved. This permit cannot be renewed but additional 1070 permits can be issued as needed to cover the entire compliance plan period.

<sup>3</sup> This permit is valid for 24 months and is renewed on a biannual basis.

**Schedule C** flat-fee permits which had been grandfathered at below market rate permit fees under prior fee schedules will increase 25 percent annually until such time as they reach parity with renewal rates identified in the current Schedule C.

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1 **Schedule C ((Table C-4915))**

<b>TABLE C-4915 for 22.602.045</b>							
<b>MARINE CUTTING AND WELDING FEES<sup>1,2,3,4</sup></b>							
<i>Temporary</i>							
PERMIT DURATION	LENGTH OF VESSEL (FEET)						
(DAYS)	<40	40—59	60—89	90—129	130—199	200—299	300+
2	(((\$93)) \$109	(((\$131)) \$153	(((\$169)) \$198	(((\$206)) \$241	(((\$244)) \$285	(((\$281)) \$329	(((\$317)) \$371
7	(((\$131)) \$153	(((\$169)) \$198	(((\$206)) \$241	(((\$244)) \$285	(((\$281)) \$329	(((\$317)) \$371	(((\$356)) \$417
15	(((\$169)) \$198	(((\$206)) \$241	(((\$244)) \$285	(((\$281)) \$329	(((\$317)) \$371	(((\$356)) \$417	(((\$394)) \$461
30	(((\$206)) \$241	(((\$244)) \$285	(((\$281)) \$329	(((\$317)) \$371	(((\$356)) \$417	(((\$394)) \$461	(((\$433)) \$507
60	(((\$300)) \$351	(((\$337)) \$394	(((\$375)) \$439	(((\$423)) \$495	(((\$468)) \$548	(((\$516)) \$604	(((\$563)) \$659

2 <sup>1</sup> Fees apply to non-pre-approved applicants.

3 <sup>2</sup> Fees for pre-approved applicants equal ((1/2)) 1/2 of the fee identified in Table C-4915 for  
 4 22.602.045.

5 <sup>3</sup> Any preapproved applicant found to be in violation of permit conditions may be removed from  
 6 the pre-approved applicant list and subject to non-pre-approved applicant fees and conditions.

7 <sup>4</sup> Each applicant who receives a minimum of six permits (Code 4915) during a six-month period  
 8 and is found to be in compliance with all permit conditions will be considered a pre-approved  
 9 applicant after the six-month period. Applicants who obtain fewer than six permits (Code 4915)  
 10 during a six-month period will be considered ((a)) pre-approved ((applicant)) applicants only  
 11 after six permits have been issued and no permit violations are noted.

12 D. All permits listed under ((Schedule)) Schedules A, B, and C of this ((section)) Section  
 13 22.602.045, except for those permits for which a time charge is indicated, have a base fee which  
 14 incorporates the cost of an initial site inspection, one site reinspection if required, and related  
 15 administrative time to determine compliance with the Seattle Fire Code. Any subsequent  
 16 inspections will result in a fee based on a time charge, which shall be actual labor costs plus  
 17 administrative overhead costs for field inspection and review time exceeding one hour. Such fees  
 18 shall include overtime costs only when the work performed outside normal business hours

1 (~~8(00)~~) a.m. to (~~(5:00 p.m.)~~) 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) is required by the Seattle Fire  
2 Code or is performed at the request of the owner or responsible person or permit holder.

3 Permits for which a time charge is indicated include a base fee and a labor charge equal  
4 to actual labor costs plus administrative overhead costs for field inspection and review exceeding  
5 one hour before a permit is issued.

6 E. Temporary permits listed under (~~(Schedule)~~) Schedules A, B, and C will not be  
7 renewed on an annual basis.

8 F. Those permit applications that are required to be filed within time limitations specified  
9 under the Seattle Fire Code or by order of the Fire Chief or (~~(his)~~) the Fire Chief's designee shall  
10 be subject to a late fee if not filed within the prescribed time period. Any work activity or  
11 operation regulated by the (~~(code)~~) Seattle Fire Code that commences before obtaining the  
12 necessary permits (~~(may be required to obtain)~~) shall require a permit (~~(and pay)~~) at 1.5 times the  
13 fee of the original permit. Where a compliance plan agreement has been reached for a permitted  
14 activity, the fire code official is authorized to require temporary permits to be issued in lieu of an  
15 annual permit until full compliance with the (~~(fire code)~~) Seattle Fire Code regulations for that  
16 activity is achieved. The fee for such temporary permits shall be based on the cost of an annual  
17 permit pro-rated for the time period the temporary permit is valid.

18 G. Payment for fixed rate Schedule C permit renewals that is received more than 30  
19 calendar days but fewer than 91 calendar days past the permit expiration date shall be equal to  
20 1.25 times the renewal fee. The renewal permit will be valid for only one year from the  
21 expiration date of the prior permit. Permits for which no renewal payment has been received  
22 within 90 calendar days following the permit expiration date will be cancelled. Permits that have  
23 been cancelled may be reinstated, effective from the expiration date, if the permit holder pays a

1 late penalty of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit within 180 days of the expiration date.  
2 Thereafter, any person whose permit has been cancelled shall not be allowed to reinstate the  
3 cancelled permit, but shall be required to submit a new permit application and pay a late penalty  
4 of 1.5 times the fee for an original permit.

5 H. Payment for Schedule C worksheet-based permit fees listed under Schedule C as  
6 renewable, that is made more than 30 calendar days, but fewer than 91 calendar days, past the  
7 permit expiration date, shall be equal to 1.75 times the renewal amount. The renewal permit will  
8 be valid for only one year from the expiration date of the prior permit. Permits for which no  
9 renewal payment has been received within 90 calendar days following the permit expiration date  
10 will be cancelled. Permits that have been cancelled may be reinstated, effective from the  
11 expiration date, if the permit holder pays a late penalty of 1.25 times the fee for an original  
12 permit within 180 days of the expiration date. Thereafter, any person whose permit has been  
13 cancelled shall not be allowed to reinstate the cancelled permit, but shall be required to submit a  
14 new permit application and pay a late penalty of 1.25 times the fee for an original permit.

15 I. Unless specifically stated on the permit, no temporary use permit shall be valid for a  
16 term exceeding 12 months.

17 J. In special circumstances, permit fees may be adjusted, modified, or combined.  
18 Authority to adjust, modify, or combine such permit fees is limited to the Fire Chief, the Fire  
19 Marshal, and the Assistant Fire Marshal.

20 K. For permits listed in Schedules A, B, and C, when the Fire Marshal determines that  
21 standby fire personnel or subsequent inspections beyond those provided for in ~~((paragraph D-~~  
22 ~~above))~~ subsection 22.602.045.D are essential in order to obtain compliance with the ~~((fire~~  
23 ~~code))~~ Seattle Fire Code or for the public safety of an existing or proposed activity, building, or

1 structure, or for the safety of the occupants thereof, actual costs for labor including applicable  
 2 administrative overhead and other services shall be charged to the permit holder or other  
 3 responsible party.

4 L. Fees for certification examinations are established in Schedule L. Each examination  
 5 fee listed under Schedule L includes one test and one opportunity to retake the test under the  
 6 following “re-test” conditions: the person taking the examination does not pass the examination  
 7 the first time and the “re-test” occurs within 90 calendar days of the original test. Upon  
 8 successfully passing a certification examination, and upon providing evidence of current State of  
 9 Washington certification if required by State law for that certification type, the person who took  
 10 the test will be certified by ~~((the))~~ The City of Seattle for that certification type for one year. The  
 11 certification may be renewed for two subsequent years at no cost to the licensee. The licensee  
 12 will, however, need to demonstrate continued competence and continue to comply with State  
 13 regulations where applicable as a condition of certification renewal. The renewal of the license  
 14 will be denied if the Seattle Fire Department becomes informed and verifies that the licensee no  
 15 longer meets the qualifications for the license. Testing is required once every three years.

16 **Schedule L**

<b><del>((Table 22.602.045 L))</del> <u>Table L for 22.602.045</u>            Certification Examinations and Training</b>		
<b>Certification Type</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Type AS-ITT(S)	Inspection, testing, and maintenance of water-based fire protection systems, State Level Inspection Testing Technician Design Certification.	<del>(((\$342)) \$407</del>
Type AS-2(S)	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of automatic sprinkler systems, State Level II (Group R residential buildings up to 4 stories and Residential Sprinkler Fitters).	<del>(((\$342)) \$407</del>
Type AS-3(S)	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of automatic sprinkler systems, State Level III (all buildings and Journey Level Sprinkler Fitters).	<del>(((\$342)) \$407</del>

<b>Certification Type</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Fee</b>
Type E-1	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of foam fire extinguishing systems; must also maintain AS-3(S) certification.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type E-2	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of carbon dioxide fire extinguishing systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type E-3	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of engineered, clean agent, or replacement agent fire extinguishing systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type E-4	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of engineered dry/wet chemical fire extinguishing systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type EG-1	Installation (non-electrical), inspection, testing, and maintenance of emergency generators.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type EG- ITM	Inspection, testing, and maintenance of emergency generators.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FA-1	Inspection, testing, <del>(and)</del> maintenance, <u>and programming</u> of automatic fire alarm systems in any building.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FA-ITM	Inspection, testing (except "acceptance testing"), and maintenance of automatic fire alarm systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FP-1	Installation (non-electrical), inspection, testing, and maintenance of fire pumps and controllers.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FP-ITM	Inspection, testing, and maintenance of fire pumps and controllers.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FEX-1	All activities relating to portable fire extinguishers including those listed in Types FEX-2, FEX-3, and FEX-4.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FEX-2	Installation, inspection, testing, maintenance, charging, and recharging of portable fire extinguishers.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FEX-3	Hydrostatic testing of fire extinguisher cylinders.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type FEX-4	Annual external examination of CO <sub>2</sub> or stored pressure fire extinguishers equipped with pressure indicators or gauges.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type SC-1	Installation, inspection, testing, and maintenance of smoke control systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type SC-ITM	Inspection, testing, and maintenance of <del>((shaft pressurization))</del> smoke control systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
Type <del>((STP-1))</del> STP-ITM	<del>((Installation, inspection))</del> <u>Inspection</u> , testing, and maintenance of standpipe systems.	<del>(\$342)</del> \$407
	Issuance of replacement certification card	<del>(\$46)</del> \$55

1 Section 2. Seattle Municipal Code Section 22.602.050, last amended by Ordinance  
2 124649, is amended as follows:

3 **22.602.050 Fees for certain inspections ((:))**

4 A. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is requested or required by the Seattle Fire  
5 Code to perform inspections outside normal business hours (~~8((:00)) a.m.—((5:00 p.m.))~~ 4:30  
6 p.m. Monday through Friday), the responsible party shall pay a fee for such an inspection. Such  
7 fees shall be equal to actual labor costs including any applicable administrative overhead costs.

8 B. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is requested to perform an inspection as  
9 required by the Fire Code and the responsible party fails to appear within 20 minutes from the  
10 original appointment time and does not cancel the appointment by fax or email (~~((with 24 hours~~  
11 ~~notice))~~ by 9:00 a.m. the business day prior to the inspection, or fails to have the required  
12 personnel and/or equipment prepared and available to conduct the test, the Fire Chief or ~~((his))~~  
13 the Fire Chief's designee shall collect and the responsible party shall pay a fee for such staff time  
14 and preparation required to meet the inspection appointment. Such fees shall be based on actual  
15 labor costs including any applicable administrative overhead with a one-hour minimum.

16 C. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is required to perform an inspection after at  
17 least two inspections have been performed by the Seattle Fire Department to gain compliance  
18 with Seattle Fire Code requirements, the Fire Chief or ~~((his))~~ the Fire Chief's designee shall  
19 collect and the responsible party shall pay a fee in the amount of ~~(((\$241))~~ \$298. Such fee shall be  
20 due upon each inspection performed by the Fire Prevention Division until compliance with  
21 Seattle Fire Code requirements has been accomplished.

22 D. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division has notified the responsible party in writing of  
23 a required compliance inspection and has established a date by which compliance is required,

1 and the responsible party fails to appear for a scheduled inspection within 20 minutes from the  
2 original appointment time, or fails to have the required corrections completed and written  
3 documentation of the completion submitted to the Fire Prevention Division within 20 minutes of  
4 the original appointment time, the Fire Chief or the Fire Chief's designee shall collect and the  
5 responsible party shall pay a fee in the amount of \$298, whether or not an on-site inspection has  
6 occurred.

7 E. The Fire Chief, Fire Marshal, or Assistant Fire Marshal ((shall)) has the authority to  
8 waive the compliance inspection fee if the original order or notice is determined to be invalid or  
9 in other special circumstances as defined by administrative rule. ((when mitigating circumstances  
10 beyond the responsible party's control exist such as conflicting enforcement by other  
11 jurisdictions, conditions caused by third parties or where alternate materials, methods or designs  
12 are under review to meet the intent of the Seattle Fire Code.))

13 ~~((D.))~~ F. For events at public assemblies, or other instances where it is necessary or  
14 requested to temporarily alter operation of fire protection/detection systems and/or the Fire  
15 Marshal determines that it is essential for public safety that standby fire personnel shall remain  
16 on site during the event or activity, the Fire Marshal is authorized to charge actual costs for labor  
17 and other incurred services including applicable administrative overhead and other services.

18 ~~((E.))~~ G. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is requested to perform an inspection as  
19 required by the Seattle Fire Code for which no fee is included in any schedule within this  
20 Chapter 22.602, a fee shall be charged based on program costs of the inspection including  
21 applicable overhead. Such fees shall include overtime costs only when the work performed  
22 outside normal business hours (8((:00)) a.m. to ((5:00)) 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) is



1 required by the Seattle Fire Code or is performed at the request of the owner or responsible  
2 person or permit holder.

3 H. The responsible party shall pay a fee for the Fire Prevention Division to complete  
4 building inspections to confirm compliance with provisions of the Seattle Fire Code in high-rise  
5 occupancies and hospital occupancies, such occupancy classes as defined in the Seattle Fire  
6 Code. The fee for such inspections shall be \$217 per hour with a one-hour minimum effective  
7 January 1, 2017.

8 Section 3. Seattle Municipal Code Section 22.602.070, last amended by Ordinance  
9 124919, is amended as follows:

10 **22.602.070 Fees for Fire Department plan review and inspection of fire protection systems**  
11 **in new or existing buildings undergoing construction, reconstruction, remodeling, or**  
12 **renovation ((-))**

13 A. The responsible party shall pay a fee for the Fire Prevention Division to examine and  
14 review architectural and system plans and inspect fire protection systems in new or existing  
15 buildings undergoing construction, reconstruction, remodeling, or renovation.

16 B. The fee for such plan examination or review shall be ((~~\$193~~)) \$243 per hour with a  
17 one-hour minimum effective January 1, ((~~2015~~)) 2017.

18 C. The fee for inspection of fire protection systems in new or existing buildings  
19 undergoing construction, reconstruction, remodeling, or renovation shall be as follows:

20 **Construction-Related Inspection Fees**

Fire Alarm Systems	(( <del>\$460</del> )) <u>\$543</u> plus (( <del>\$4.60</del> )) <u>\$5.43</u> per device > 6 devices
Fire Alarm Systems with more than 6 devices and no new control panel installation or major modification to system	(( <del>\$231</del> )) <u>\$273</u> plus (( <del>\$4.60</del> )) <u>\$5.43</u> per device > 6 devices

Fire Extinguishing System—Pre-engineered or Rangehood	(((\$197)) <u>\$233</u>
Fire Sprinkler System	(((\$278)) <u>\$328</u> plus (((\$2.78)) <u>\$3.28</u> per sprinkler head > 6 sprinkler heads
Standpipe	(((\$197)) <u>\$233</u> plus (((\$4.00)) <u>\$5.00</u> per landing with PRVs (pressure-reducing valves)
Fire Pump	(((\$197)) <u>\$233</u> per pump
Sprinkler System Supply Main*	(((\$245)) <u>\$289</u>
*Fee covers one inspection and one reinspection for a specific project and location	
Tenant Improvement Inspection without modification of fire protection systems, (((\$0)) or Tenant Improvement with 6 or less sprinkler heads and 6 or less fire alarm devices	(((\$178)) <u>\$208</u>
Emergency Responder Radio System Coverage—Systems Testing <sup>a</sup>	(((\$175)) <u>\$208</u> per hour, one hour minimum
Knox Box Inspection	(((\$185)) <u>\$229</u>
Request for Temporary Certificate of Occupancy recommendation	(((\$210)) <u>\$248</u> plus time charge for all related inspection and review. <sup>b</sup>
Installation of Battery Systems	See ((Table 22.602.045-C)) <u>Table C for 22.602.045, permit code 6401-Install</u>
Installation of Tanks for Storage of Combustible Liquid Serving Emergency/Standby Power Systems	See ((Table 22.602.045-C)) <u>Table C for 22.602.045, permit code 3402-Install</u>
Installation of Stationary Tanks for Storage of Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG)	See ((Table 22.602.045-C)) <u>Table C for 22.602.045, permit code 8201-Install</u>

<sup>a</sup>Includes acceptance testing ((,)) and reacceptance testing ((, and confidence testing)) .

<sup>b</sup>Where a time charge is indicated, a fee shall be charged equal to actual labor costs plus administrative overhead costs for field inspection and/or review exceeding one hour.

D. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is requested, or required by the Seattle Fire Code to perform inspections outside regular business hours (8((:00)) ((AM)) a.m. to ((5:00-PM)) 4:30 p.m.) Monday through Friday, the Fire Chief or ((his)) the Fire Chief's designee shall collect and the responsible party shall pay a fee for such "overtime" inspection equal to actual labor costs including applicable administrative overhead. If the responsible party does not cancel the "overtime" inspection by 9 a.m. the business day prior to the inspection, and fails to appear

1 within 20 minutes from the original appointment time, the Fire Chief or the Fire Chief's designee  
2 shall collect and the responsible party shall pay a fee for such "overtime" inspection equal to  
3 actual labor costs including applicable administrative overhead.

4 E. Whenever the Fire Prevention Division is requested to perform an inspection as  
5 required by the Fire Code during business hours and the responsible party fails to appear within  
6 20 minutes from the original appointment time and does not cancel the appointment by fax or  
7 email with 24 hours' notice, or fails to have the required personnel and/or equipment prepared  
8 and available to conduct the test, the Fire Chief or the Fire Chief's designee shall collect and the  
9 responsible party shall pay a fee for such staff time and preparation required to meet the  
10 inspection appointment. Such fees shall be based on actual labor costs including any applicable  
11 administrative overhead with a one-hour minimum.

12 ((E.)) F. The Director of the Seattle Department of Construction and Inspections is  
13 authorized to collect fees listed in this section for the Seattle Fire Department, and to transfer  
14 those funds to the Seattle Fire Department.

15 Section 4. Seattle Municipal Code Section 22.602.090, last amended by Ordinance  
16 124649, is amended as follows:

17 **22.602.090 Fees for filing ((confidence test documentation.)) fire protection systems testing**  
18 **documentation**

19 ((The \$10 fee for processing documentation pertaining to testing and maintenance of fire  
20 and life safety systems has been eliminated for tests conducted on or after January 1, 2014.

21 Testing and maintenance of fire and life safety systems must still be conducted in accordance  
22 with the Seattle Fire Code as further defined in Administrative Rule 9.02.14, and the responsible  
23 party must notify the Fire Marshal of impaired systems in accordance with Administrative Rule

1 9.06.14:)) The Fire Chief or the Fire Chief's designee shall collect a \$30 fee for processing  
2 documentation pertaining to required testing of fire protection systems in accordance with  
3 Administrative Rule 9.02, "Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance Requirements for Fire  
4 Protection Systems", and Administrative Rule 9.04, "Impaired Fire Protection Systems", as  
5 required by Seattle Fire Code Section 901.6.1 *Standards* and Section 901.6.2 *Records*. Fire  
6 protection systems testing filing fees shall be payable by the person responsible for performing  
7 the systems testing. For purposes of this Section 22.602.090, person has the same meaning as  
8 defined in the Seattle Fire Code as constituted pursuant to Section 22.600.020. The Fire Chief  
9 shall have the authority to enter into a contract with a third party vendor for purposes of  
10 collecting, organizing, categorizing and tracking compliance with Administrative Rules 9.01,  
11 9.02, and 9.04, and for collecting the fee imposed by this Section 22.602.090. The third party  
12 vendor shall be entitled to retain that portion of the fee that represents compensation for the  
13 vendor's services in accordance with the terms of the contract, and shall remit the remainder to  
14 the Department.

15 Section 5. The provisions of this ordinance are declared to be separate and severable. The  
16 invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, subsection, or portion of this  
17 ordinance, or the invalidity of the application thereof to any person, property, or circumstance,  
18 shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this ordinance or the validity of its application to  
19 other persons, property, or circumstances.

1 Section 6. Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 of this ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2017.


2 Section 7. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by  
3 the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it  
4 shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

5 Passed by the City Council the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2016,  
6 and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 21<sup>st</sup> day of  
7 November, 2016.

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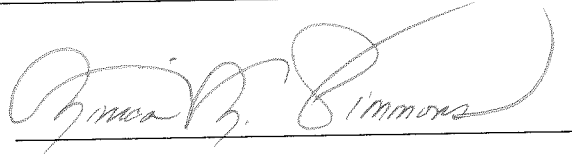
9 President \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council

10 Approved by me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

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12 Edward B. Murray, Mayor

13 Filed by me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of NOVEMBER, 2016.

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15 Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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