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Sponsor: Nickels

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Proposed No.: 98-628

ORDINANCE NO. **13327**

AN ORDINANCE relating to property services division fees; increasing fees for right-of-way construction permits; increasing fees for special use permits; increasing fees for fees right-of-way franchises for utilities; and increasing fees for permits for public and private utilities; amending Ordinance 1171, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.44.040; Ordinance 6254, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.30.060; Ordinance 10171, Section 1 and K.C.C. 6.27.054; and Ordinance 4099, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.46.080.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. A. Section 2 of this ordinance proposes changes in the fees currently charged for right-of-way construction permits.

B. These fees are assessed pursuant to K.C.C. 2.99.030.

SECTION 2. Ordinance 1711, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.44.040 are hereby amended as follows:

Construction permit - ~~((A))~~application - ~~((F))~~fees. Effective January 1, 1999, ~~((E))~~each application requires a fee payable to the ~~((real))~~ property services division for the administrative costs and expenses of processing the application. ~~((The following fee schedule shall become effective as of January 1, 1992))~~:

- 1. Pole Lines:
Power, telephone, etc. (every six poles
or portion thereof)-----~~((\$20.00))~~ \$40.00
- 2. Water:

1	Installing mains		
2	(1000 lin. ft. or less)-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
3	Additional 1000 lin. ft. or fraction thereof-----	(\$16.00)	\$35.00
4	Excavation for connection-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
5	3. Sewer:		
6	Installation of mains		
7	(1000 ft. or fraction thereof)-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
8	Additional 1000 lin. ft. or fraction thereof-----	(\$16.00)	\$35.00
9	Excavation for connection-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
10	4. Cable or Conduit:		
11	Installing cable or conduit		
12	(1000 ft. or less)-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
13	Additional 1000 lin. ft. or fraction thereof-----	(\$16.00)	\$35.00
14	Excavation ((in street)) for connection-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
15	5. Gas or Oil:		
16	Installing mains		
17	(1000 lin. ft. or less)-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
18	Additional 1000 ft. or fraction thereof-----	(\$16.00)	\$35.00
19	Excavation for connection-----	(\$20.00)	\$40.00
20	6. Attachment to existing poles for every three attachments-----		\$25.00

7. Immediate Response Permit Requests:

In addition to the required permit fees an additional fee of twenty dollars shall be charged.

24 SECTION 3. A. Section 4 of this ordinance proposes changes in the fees
 25 currently charged for special use permits.

26 B. These fees are assessed pursuant to K.C.C. 2.99.030.

27 SECTION 4. Ordinance 6254, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.30.060 is
 28 hereby amended as follows:

29 Fee. ~~((A fifty))~~ A. Effective January 1, 1999, a seventy-five dollar application fee to
 30 recover the cost of processing the application as determined by the ~~((real))~~ property services
 31 division shall be paid thereto upon filing of the application. ~~((Such))~~ The fee is non~~((-~~
 32))refundable. However, the ~~((real))~~ property services division manager shall have the
 33 authority to waive ~~((such))~~ the fees for permits when waiver of ~~((such))~~ the fees is in the best
 34 interest of the public health, safety~~((,))~~ and welfare.

1 B. The ~~((real))~~ property services division shall have the authority to charge an
2 annual fee for uses of county property where appropriate, considering the duration of the
3 proposed use.

4 C. ~~((In addition, the))~~The ~~((real))~~ property services division shall have the authority
5 to require applicants to reimburse King County for all expenses to be incurred by King
6 County as a result of issuance of a special use permit. ~~((Such))~~ The payment shall be made
7 at the time of permit issuance.

8 SECTION 5. A. Section 6 of this ordinance proposes changes in the fees currently
9 charged for applications for right-of-way franchises for utilities.

10 B. These fees are assessed pursuant to K.C.C. 2.99.030.

11 SECTION 6. Ordinance 10171, Section 1, and K.C.C. 6.27.054 is hereby amended as
12 follows:
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14 **Franchise application and advertising fees.** A. Effective January 1, ~~((1992))~~
15 1999, a party requesting a new franchise, amended franchise, renewal, extension of an
16 existing franchise or transfer~~((,))~~ shall pay a franchise application fee of ~~((six hundred))~~
17 one thousand dollars ~~(((\$600.00))~~ as reimbursement to King County for the administrative
18 costs and expenses incurred in the processing of the franchise application. The franchise
19 application fee is payable at the time the application is filed with the clerk of the council.
20 In addition, each applicant shall pay the full advertising costs associated with the
21 application. Franchise application and advertising fees are not refundable, even if the
22 application is disapproved.

23 B. All franchise application payments received shall be credited to the county
24 ~~((C))~~current ~~((E))~~expense ~~((F))~~fund.

1 C. This section shall not apply to franchise applications, renewal, amendments or
2 transfers made under the county's cable television regulations, K.C.C. chapter 6.27A.

3 SECTION 7. A. Section 8 of this ordinance proposes changes in the fees currently
4 charged for permits for public and private utilities using real property owned by King
5 County.

6 B. These fees are assessed pursuant to K.C.C. 2.99.030.

7 SECTION 8. Ordinance 4099, Section 8, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.46.080 are
8 hereby amended as follows:

9 **Permit – ((A))application and inspection fee.** A. Effective January 1, 1999,
10 ~~((E))~~each application requires a ~~((fifty))~~ seventy-five dollar fee payable to the ~~((real))~~
11 property services division for the administrative costs and expenses of processing the
12 application.

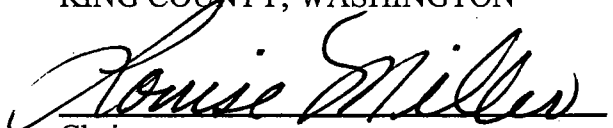
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B. In addition, the permittee is required to pay an inspection fee to the department responsible for the management of the property to be affected based on the time spent on the job by inspectors during or after construction.

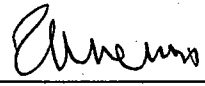
INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 19th day of October, 1998.

PASSED by a vote of 9 to 3 on this 23rd day of November, 1998.

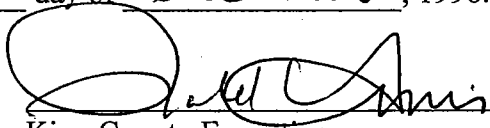
KING COUNTY, COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Chair

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 21 day of December, 1998.


King County Executive

Attachments: None