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**Environmental Health Division  
2000 Lakeridge Drive SW  
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Olympia, WA**

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND  
SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

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# Article I

Appendix A - Environmental Health Fee Schedule

Effective: January 1, 2019

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The fees contained in this fee schedule shall be automatically adjusted each January 1 by the percentage increase, if any, in the April Consumer Price Index for the previous year. The maximum increase shall be 3.5%. "Consumer Price Index" for the purposes of this section shall mean the Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers Index for the Seattle – Tacoma- Bellevue area. For fees greater than \$70, adjustments based on the Consumer Price Index shall be rounded to the nearest \$5. An alternative calculation for automatically adjusting the charges may be adopted by further action of the Thurston County Board of Health.

Fees include Thurston County Public Health and Social Services costs only. In cases where additional technical assistance is needed, costs for outside consulting services will be billed to the project in addition to the listed fee.

**FEE CATEGORY**

		<u>2019</u>
		(10% increase)
<b>I. <u>ARTICLE I - Administrative Hearings</u></b>		
A.	Administrative Review of Waivers or Variances [1] .....	\$380.00
B.	Administrative Hearings for Waivers and Variances When Requested by Applicant .....	\$1,005.00
C.	Administrative Hearings and Appeals Convened Under Article I, Section 8.1 .....	\$1,005.00
D.	Appeals to the Board of Health .....	\$1,005.00
<b>II. <u>ARTICLE II</u></b>		
<b><u>Food Establishment Permits</u></b>		
<b>A. <u>Annual Permit Fees, Risk-Based Categories</u></b>		
1.	<b>Minimal Risk</b>	
	Facilities from 0-3000 square feet in area .....	\$165.00
	Facilities greater than 3000 square feet in area .....	\$445.00
2.	<b>Low Risk</b>	
	Facilities from 0-3000 square feet in area .....	\$325.00
	Facilities greater than 3000 square feet in area .....	\$780.00
3.	<b>Medium Risk</b>	
	Facilities from 0-1000 square feet in area .....	\$475.00
	Facilities from 1001-2000 square feet in area .....	\$890.00
	Facilities from 2001-3000 square feet in area .....	\$1,335.00
	Facilities greater than 3000 square feet in area .....	\$1,700.00
4.	<b>High Risk</b>	
	Facilities from 0-1000 square feet in area .....	\$550.00
	Facilities from 1001-2000 square feet in area .....	\$995.00
	Facilities from 2001-3000 square feet in area .....	\$1,555.00
	Facilities greater than 3000 square feet in area .....	\$1,885.00
5.	Certified Food Establishment Discount .....	25% off annual permit fee
B.	Catering Service Added to Medium or High Risk Permit .....	\$165.00
C.	Late Fee for Permit Renewal: Fees received after permit expiration date .....	\$105.00
D.	Plan Review Fee (new facility, new ownership, remodel) .....	\$220.00 plus \$220 hour after 1.0 hour(s)
E.	Mobile Food Unit Plan Review (unused fees applied to permit) .....	\$660.00 plus \$220 hour after 3.0 hour(s)

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F.	1.	Food and Beverage Service Worker's Permit [Fee set by State Board of Health]	\$10.00	
	2.	Permit Replacement Fee	\$5.00	
G.		Administrative Hearing Resulting From Excess Demerit Points	\$450.00	
H.		Special Requests not Otherwise Covered by the Fee Schedule	\$220.00 /hour	
I.		Reinspection Fee	\$220.00 plus	\$220 hour after 1.0 hour(s)
J.		Administrative Fee For Six-Month Permit	\$17.00	
K.		<b><u>Temporary Food Service Permit</u></b>		
	1.	Temporary Food Service - LOW RISK		
		a. Temporary Food Permit Valid 1-21 days	\$72.00	
		b. Multiple Event Temporary Food Service Permit	\$215.00	
		c. Late Fee, application received less than 14 days before event	\$35.00	
	2.	Temporary Food Service - MODERATE and HIGH RISK [additional review fees may apply if menu, water or sewage evaluations are needed (charged at an hourly rate, see H)]		
		a. Permit Valid 1 - 3 Days	\$155.00	
		b. Permit Valid 4 - 21 Days	\$315.00	
		c. Multiple Event Temporary Food Service Permit	\$455.00	
		d. Licensed Caterer App. received at least 14 days prior to event	No Fee	
		e. Late fee, application received between 13 and 7 days before event	\$35.00	
		f. Late fee, application received less than 7 days before event	\$70.00	
	3.	Bake Sales (nonpotentially hazardous foods) No Fee		
L.		<b>Investigation Fee: work without a permit</b> (see VII.C)		

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**III. ARTICLE III**

**A. Drinking Water Program**

1.	Well Sites . . . . .	\$495.00 plus	\$220 hour after 2.0 hour(s)
2.	Sanitary Survey for Existing Public Water System or a Public Water System Evaluation and Report	\$1,005.00	
3.	Preliminary Plan Review for Public Water Systems  Group B Design Review . . . . .	\$940.00 plus	\$220 hour after 4.0 hour(s)
4.	a. Health Department Pick-up of Water Sample [Certified Water Sample]	\$140.00	
	b. Health Department Pick-up of Water Sample/ Scheduled and Under Annual Agreement	\$105.00	
5.	Special Requests Under Article III not Otherwise Covered by this Fee Schedule	\$220.00 /hr	
6.	Certificate of Water Availability Review . . . . .	\$220.00 /hr	
7.	Public Water Supply Annual Permit . . . . .	\$130.00	
8.	Water System Design Resubmission . . . . .	\$240.00	

**B. Environmental Health Laboratory Tests**

1.	Drinking Water and Surface Water		
	a. Membrane filter . . . . .	\$28.00 /sample	
	b. Colilert - presence/absence (total coliform) . . . . .	\$29.00 /sample	
	c. Quanti-tray (for Colilert or Enterolert) . . . . .	\$31.00 /sample	
	d. Large users - discount for bacteriological test (40 or more coliform samples per month)	\$2.00 /sample	
	e. Drinking Water - Nitrate . . . . .	\$28.00 /sample	
2.	Shellfish Tissue . . . . .	\$52.00 /sample	
3.	Sediment Samples . . . . .	\$47.00 /sample	

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**IV. ARTICLE IV**

**Part 1. Liquid Waste Program**

**A. On-Site Sewage System**

1. Single Family Residential Site Evaluation & Design Review (OSSA) .....	\$1,075.00		
a. Site Application .....	\$480.00		
b. Design Review .....	\$595.00		
2. Review of Expired Approval for OSSP/CSA .....	\$860.00		
a. Site Application .....	\$480.00		
b. Site Visit .....	\$380.00		
3. On-Site Evaluation Only .....	\$510.00		
4. Design Revision Review .....	\$240.00		
5. Reinspection and/or Extra Site Visit .....	\$380.00		
6. Septic Tank Placement Only .....	\$480.00		
7. Construction Permit (OSSP) .....	\$400.00		
8. Winter Water Study .....	\$1,145.00 plus	\$220	hour after 5.0 hour(s)
9. Review of Residential Site Applications (City PPR) [1] .....	\$240.00		
10. On Site Sewage System Repair .....	\$1,075.00		
a. Site Application .....	\$480.00		
b. Design Review .....	\$595.00		
11. Performance Monitoring of Alternative Systems, .....	\$220.00 /hr		
Experimental Systems, Proprietary Devices			
12. OSS Abandonment Application (when not part of another application or permit process) . . .	\$275.00		

**B. Community and Larger Systems**

1. Site Application .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after 3.0 hour(s)
2. Design Review .....	\$1,145.00 plus	\$220	hour after 5.0 hour(s)
3. Construction Permit [OSSP] .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after 3.0 hour(s)
4. Renewal of OSSP .....	\$225.00		
5. Winter Water Study .....	\$1,145.00 plus	\$220	hour after 5.0 hour(s)
6. Abandonment Application (when not part of another application or permit process) .....	\$275.00		

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**C. On-Site Sewage Systems (OSS) Evaluation Report and Operational Certificates**

1. Loan Certification . . . . . (if requested, drinking water lab fee charged separately)	\$510.00
2. Loan Certification: Reinspection . . . . .	\$140.00
3. Administrative Fee for Operation and Maintenance of On-site Sewage System (all types) . . . . .	\$185.00
4. Field Inspection Fee for Operational Certificates . . . . . when not part of an Evaluation for Loan Purposes	\$380.00
5. Operational certificate renewal fee . . . . .	\$150.00
6. Operation certificate renewal fee - senior/disabled property owner . . . . .	\$75.00
7. OSS Operation and Maintenance fee . . . . .	\$20.00
8. Record Drawing Resubmission Fee . . . . .	\$130.00
9. OSS Pumper Report Submission Fee	
a. Reports submitted on-line (per report) . . . . .	\$15.00
b. Reports submitted on paper (per report) . . . . .	\$30.00
10. OSS Time of Transfer Program	
a. OSS Time of Transfer Fee . . . . .	\$240.00
b. OSS Time of Transfer Resubmission Fee . . . . .	\$75.00

**D. On-Site Sewage Professional Certification**

1. Initial Certification for Installers, Pumpers and Monitoring Specialists . . . . .	\$400.00
2. Examination for Installers, Pumpers and Monitoring Specialists . . . . .	\$225.00
3. Pumper Truck Inspection per Truck . . . . .	\$130.00
4. Renewal Certification for Installers, Pumpers and Monitoring Specialists . . . . .	\$400.00
5. The following fees shall apply to all categories of certified professionals addressed in categories D1, 2, 3, and 4 above:	
a. Late fee for certification renewal . . . . .	\$140.00
b. Reinstatement fee following suspension of certification . . . . .	\$240.00
c. Listing fee for engineers and registered sanitarians . . . . .	\$60.00

**E. Septage or Sludge Storage Facility**

1. Initial License . . . . .	\$705.00 plus	\$220 hour after 3.0 hour(s)
2. Annual Renewal of License . . . . .	\$240.00	

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**Part 2. Land-use Program**

The fees in this subsection are for land-use review purposes only.  
Other plan review and permit fees may still apply.

**A. County Land-use Applications** (for Areas Outside Incorporated City Boundaries) [2] [3]

1.	Administrative Site Plan Review .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
2.	Administrative Time Extension .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
3.	Amendment of Hearing Examiner Action - Public Hearing .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
4.	Appeal to the Board of County Commissioners .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
5.	Appeal of an Administrative Decision .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
6.	Boundary Line Adjustment .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
7.	Commercial Building Permit Review .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
8.	Comprehensive Plan Amendment .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
9.	Critical Area Determination .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
10.	Critical Area Review Permit .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
11.	Design Review .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
12.	Environmental Assessment .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
13.	Environmental Checklist - Administrative .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
14.	Environmental Checklist - Hearing Examiner .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
15.	Environmental Impact Statement Deposit .....	\$925.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
16.	Final Plat - Administrative Amendment .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
17.	Final Plat - Large Lot .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
18.	Final Plat - Short Plat .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
19.	Final Plat - Subdivision .....	\$375.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.5 hour(s)
20.	Forest Land Conversion - Class 4 General .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
21.	Forest Land Conversion - Option Harvest Plan .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
22.	Hearings Examiner Reconsideration .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
23.	Home Based Industry .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
24.	Home Occupation .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
25.	JARPA (Joint Aquatic Resources Permit Application) .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
26.	JARPA - Exemption .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
27.	JARPA - Variance .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
28.	JARPA - Shoreline Substantial Development .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
29.	Mine or Asphalt Plant 5 Year Review .....	\$1,365.00 plus	\$220	hour after	6.0 hour(s)
30.	Mobile Home Park - Administrative .....	\$1,365.00 plus	\$220	hour after	6.0 hour(s)
31.	Mobile Home Park by Hearing Examiner .....	\$1,805.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
32.	Planned Community / Master Planned Dev. ....	\$1,805.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
33.	Planned Residential Development .....	\$1,805.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
34.	Planned Unit Development .....	\$1,805.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
35.	Preliminary Plat - Administrative Amendment .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
36.	Preliminary Plat - Large Lot/Short Plat Alteration .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
37.	Preliminary Plat - Large Lot/Short Plat .....	\$1,365.00 plus	\$220	hour after	6.0 hour(s)
38.	Preliminary Plat - Long Plat or Major Binding Site Plan Review .....	\$1,805.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
39.	Presubmission Conference .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
40.	Reasonable Use Exception .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
41.	Residential Site Plan Review .....	\$265.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
42.	Rezone Application .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
43.	Shoreline - Plan Amendment .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
44.	Shoreline - Administrative Plan Extension .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
45.	Site Plan Review by Hearing Examiner .....	\$1,365.00 plus	\$220	hour after	6.0 hour(s)
46.	Special Use Permit Administrative .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
47.	Special Use Permit Hearing Examiner - Non Residential .....	\$1,365.00 plus	\$220	hour after	6.0 hour(s)
48.	Variance Administrative .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
49.	Variance Shoreline Administrative .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
50.	Variance by Hearing Examiner .....	\$705.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
51.	Waiver of Moratorium Single Family Residence .....	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
52.	Wireless Comm. Facilities, Mining, Asphalt Plant by HE .....	\$925.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)

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<b>B. Major Project Review</b> ..... For projects that are required to have Health Department review not specifically mentioned in the Sanitary Code or for client-requested preliminary review.	\$485.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
<b>C. City Land Use, EH Review Only: Served by On-site Sewage Systems [3]</b>				
1. Plats, Site Plan Reviews, Special Use Permit .....	\$1,100.00 plus	\$220	hour after	5.0 hour(s)
2. Short Plat Review .....	\$660.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
3. Final Plat .....	\$440.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
4. Boundary Line Adjustments .....	\$440.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
<b>D. City Land Use, EH Review Only: Served by Sewer [3]</b>				
1. Plats, Site Plan Reviews, Special Use Permit .....	\$660.00 plus	\$220	hour after	3.0 hour(s)
2. Short Plat Review .....	\$440.00 plus	\$220	hour after	2.0 hour(s)
3. Final Plat .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
4. Boundary Line Adjustments .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
<b>E. City Land Use, EH Review Only: All Other [3]</b> .....				
\$660.00 plus				
\$220				
hour after				
3.0 hour(s)				
<b>F. Standard Hourly Charge for Project/Permit Review</b> .....				
\$220.00 /hr				
<b>G. Special Requests under Article IV not Otherwise Covered by this Fee Schedule</b> .....				
\$220.00 /hr				

**Part 3. Waivers, Hearings and Other Requests Associated with Article IV**

<b>A. Administrative Review of Waivers</b> .....	<u>\$380.00</u>
<b>B. Administrative Hearings</b> .....	<u>\$1,005.00</u>
<b>C. Special Requests not Otherwise Covered by this Fee Schedule</b> .....	<u>\$220.00 /hr</u>

**V. ARTICLE V**

**Solid Waste**

1. Pre-Application, Plan and Site Review .....	\$880.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
2. Operating Permits				
a. Intermediate Solid Waste Handling Facility (includes drop boxes) .....	\$880.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
b. Recycling Facility (including auto recycling) .....	\$880.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
c. Storage Piles .....	\$880.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
d. Waste Tire Storage .....	\$880.00 plus	\$220	hour after	4.0 hour(s)
e. Composting Facility .....	\$1,760.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
f. Incineration Facility .....	\$1,760.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
g. Landfill - Limited Purpose or Inert Waste .....	\$1,760.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
h. Regional Waste Transfer Facility .....	\$1,760.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
i. Moderate Risk Waste Handling Facility .....	\$1,760.00 plus	\$220	hour after	8.0 hour(s)
3. Post Closure Permits (all classes where applicable) .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
4. Inspection Fee for On-Site Containerized Storage, Collection and Transportation .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
5. Waste Screening Review (commercial, industrial and special wastes) .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)
6. Special Reviews and Requests not Otherwise Covered by this Fee Schedule .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220	hour after	1.0 hour(s)



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**VI. ARTICLE VII**

**Water Recreation Facilities**

1.	<b>Seasonal (three months) Per Pool</b>		
	a. Certified .....	\$275.00	
	b. Add for Each Additional Certified Pool .....	\$60.00	
	c. Non-Certified .....	\$735.00	
	d. Add for Each Additional Non-Certified Pool .....	\$315.00	
2.	<b>Year-Round Pool</b>		
	a. Certified .....	\$955.00	
	b. Add for Each Additional Certified Pool .....	\$405.00	
	c. Non-Certified .....	\$1,900.00	
	d. Add for Each Additional Non-Certified Pool .....	\$765.00	
3.	Reinspection Fee (when field reinspection required) .....	\$220.00	
4.	Late Fee .....	\$105.00	
5.	Plan Reviews (pre-opening inspections, variance request, or other review) .....	\$340.00 plus	\$220 hour after 1.5 hour(s)
6.	Admin. Hearing Resulting from Noncompliance .....	\$450.00	
7.	Special Requests not Otherwise Covered by this Fee Schedule .....	\$220.00	

**VII. MISCELLANEOUS - Fees for services not associated with specific code articles.**

A.	<b>Illegal Drug Lab Clean-up Review</b> .....	\$445.00	
B.	<b>School Survey</b>		
	1. Elementary Schools/without Food .....	\$475.00	
	2. Elementary School/with Food .....	\$1,035.00	
	3. Middle and Senior High/without Food .....	\$845.00	
	4. Middle and Senior High/with Food .....	\$1,435.00	
	5. Schools with Less than 135 Pupils/without Food .....	\$315.00	
	6. Schools with Less than 135 Pupils/with Food .....	\$765.00	
	<b>Certification and reduced fee for food portion of fees available.</b>		
	7. School Plan Review .....	\$340.00 plus	\$220 hour after 1.5 hour(s)
C.	<b>Investigation Fees: Work without a permit.</b>		
	1. Investigation. Whenever any work for which a permit is required has been commenced without first obtaining said permit, a special investigation shall be made before a permit may be issued for such work.		
	2. Fee. An investigation fee, in addition to the permit fee shall be collected whether or not a permit is then or subsequently issued. The investigation fee shall be equal to the amount of the permit required by the code. The investigation fee shall be charged in addition to the permit fee.		
D.	<b>Special Requests not Otherwise Covered</b> by this Fee Schedule .....	\$220.00 plus	\$220 hour after 1.0 hour(s)
E.	<b>Check returned for Non-Sufficient Funds</b> .....	\$15.00	
F.	<b>Permit transfer fee</b> (not applicable to Public Water Supply Annual Permit) .....	\$60.00	

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- G. **The department may refund a fee if the application for refund is made within six months of initial fee payment and staff time has not been expended on the project for which a fee was assessed. This shall not apply to land development fees which are part of the Community Planning and Economic Development Fund. For those fees, the refund policy of the Community Planning and Economic Development Department shall apply.**

**Notes:**

- [1] These fees will be charged only when this review element is not covered as part of another permit or application review.
- [2] Includes administrative charge for applications received at Thurston County Building Development Center.
- [3] The health officer may review land-use projects that could have health hazards of groundwater or other water quality impacts.