

2024 FIRE PERMIT FEES

TYPE	FEE *Includes \$1.00 State BP fee
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM - NEW CONSTRUCTION: 1-50 HEADS	\$642.00 – Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection- based on 4 inspections @ \$126.00/hr Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM - NEW CONSTRUCTION: 51-100 HEADS	\$768.00 — Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection- based on 4 inspections @ \$126.00/hr Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 2 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM - NEW CONSTRUCTION: 101-200 HEADS	\$1146.00 – – Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42/hr + Inspection- based on 6 inspections @ \$126.00/hr Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 3 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM - NEW CONSTRUCTION: IN EXCESS OF 200 HEADS	\$2279.00 – Processing- based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Base Permit Fee for 101 200 Heads for Plan Review fee/Deposit -based on 6 hours @ \$126.00/hr + for each 200 heads in excess of 200 or fraction thereof
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM – TI/MODIFICATION: 1-20 HEADS	\$390.00 – Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 2 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM – TI/MODIFICATION: 21-100 HEADS	\$516.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 3 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SUPPRESSION STANDPIPE SYSTEM	\$516.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 3 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE PUMP CERTIFICATION	\$894.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 5 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 2 hour @ \$126.00/hr

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UNDERGROUND FIRE SERVICE	\$516.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 3 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
PROPANE TANK INSTALLATION	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
ABOVEGROUND/UNDERGROUND TANK INSTALLATION: (PER TANK)	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
ABOVEGROUND/UNDERGROUND TANK REMOVAL: (PER TANK)	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
ABOVEGROUND/UNDERGROUND TANK ABANDONMENT: (PER TANK)	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM HOOD/BOOTH: (PER SYSTEM)	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM HALON/CLEAN AGENT: (PER SYSTEM)	\$516.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 3 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
SOIL OR WATER REMEDIATION SYSTEMS	\$390.00 – Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 2 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr

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FUEL DISPENSING EQUIPMENT	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr + \$31.00 for each additional dispenser (based on 15 minutes per inspection @ \$126.00/hr)
WATER FLOW TEST	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Testing - (based on 1 hr X 2 people @ \$126.00/hr) *Customer will request testing *Testing will be performed, and invoice sent, or payment made at time of request. *Upon receipt of payment, results will be transmitted to customer
FIRE ALARM/FIRE SUPPRESSION MONITORING SYSTEM: TO 10 DEVICES	\$264.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 1 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit - based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE ALARM/FIRE SUPPRESSION MONITORING SYSTEM: 11 TO 50 DEVICES	\$390.00 – Processing – based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 2 inspection @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 1 hour @ \$126.00/hr
FIRE ALARM/FIRE SUPPRESSION MONITORING SYSTEM: 51 TO 100 DEVICES	\$642.00 – Processing based on 15min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Inspection based on 3 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 2 hour @ 126.00/hr)
FIRE ALARM/FIRE SUPPRESSION MONITORING SYSTEM: 101 TO 200 DEVICES	\$894.00 – Processing based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr) + Inspection based on 4 inspections @ \$126.00/hr + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 3 hour @ \$126.00/hr

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FIRE ALARM/FIRE SUPPRESSION MONITORING SYSTEM OVER 200 + DEVICES	\$1,574.00 – Processing - based on 15 min, rounded, @ \$42.00/hr + Base Permit Fee for 101-200 Devices - + Plan Review fee/Deposit based on 3 hours @ \$126.00/hr + for each additional 100 devices or fraction thereof over 200
ADDITIONAL PLAN REVIEW – 1 HOUR MINIMUM	\$126.00 PER HOUR – (applies to second revision and subsequent revisions thereafter)
ADDITIONAL INSPECTION – 1 HOUR MINIMUM	\$126.00 PER HOUR – (applies if second inspection fails and rescheduling is necessary – fee is per additional inspection hour)
RESIDENTIAL FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEM WITH LESS THAN 20 HEADS (Single Family Dwelling)	\$390.00 – Processing based on \$42.00 x .25, rounded + based on 1 hour Plan Review @ \$126.00) + based on \$126.00 x 2 Inspection Hours

***UNUSUAL OR UNFORSEEN PROJECTS SHALL BE CHARGED FEES ON A PER-HOUR BASIS FOR PLAN REVIEW, CONSULTATION, AND INSPECTION AT \$126.00 PER HOUR**

****The Chief Building Official shall have the authority to increase the fee in any individual case, not to exceed the actual cost to process the permit**

*****The amount of the fees shall be adjusted annually, at the beginning of each calendar year, to account for inflation by using the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the region closest to the City of Merced. In no event shall the fees in any year be less than in the preceding year.**