

WEST MANATEE FIRE & RESCUE DISTRICT

RESOLUTION 2024-05

USER SERVICE FEE SCHEDULE COLLECTED BY THE DISTRICT AND MUNICIPALITIES

A RESOLUTION OF THE WEST MANATEE FIRE AND RESCUE DISTRICT OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING A SCHEDULE FOR USER SERVICE FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE DISTRICT AND MUNICIPALITIES PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the West Manatee Fire and Rescue District ("District"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 191.006(11), Florida Statutes (F.S.), has authority to charge user fees authorized by resolution of its Board of Fire Commissioners ("Board"), in amounts necessary to conduct district activities and services, and to enforce their receipt and collection in the manner prescribed by resolution and authorized by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 191.009(3)(d), F.S. the Board may provide a reasonable schedule of charges for inspecting structures, plans, and equipment to determine compliance with fire safety codes and standards;

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners held a properly advertised meeting on July 16, 2024, in accordance with Section 189.015, Florida Statutes; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Fire Commissioners of West Manatee Fire and Rescue District that:

- 1. The attached User Services Fee Schedule collected by the District and Municipalities is hereby adopted.
2. This Resolution shall take effect on October 1, 2024.

Passed and duly adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of West Manatee Fire and Rescue District at a public meeting with a quorum present and voting, this 16th day of July 2024.

[Signature of Chairman Derrick Warner]
Chairman Derrick Warner

[Signature of Commissioner David Bishop, Jr.]
Commissioner David Bishop, Jr.

[Signature of Commissioner Robert Bennett]
Commissioner Robert Bennett

[Signature of Commissioner Billy Burke]
Commissioner Billy Burke

ATTEST: [Signature of Lawrence P. Jennis]
Lawrence P. Jennis, Secretary





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Ben Rigney
President

Joe Sicking
Vice President

Jay Johnson
Secretary/Treasurer

UNIFORM SERVICE FEES SCHEDULE

Collected By Each Fire District

The uniform fees for services provided by the Fire Districts of Manatee County shall be in full force and effect for any District who formally adopts this schedule by resolution.

1 FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEM RELATED SERVICES

This will include, but not be limited to the review of plans, permits, and inspections for:

- Fire Sprinkler Systems:
 - Underground^b
 - Aboveground^a
- Other Suppression Systems:
 - Cooking/Hood^b
 - Fire pump/Standpipe^b
 - Clean Agent^b
- Fire Alarm System^a

a	Fire Protection System Submission	\$250
b	Consultation/Pre-Construction review/Courtesy review	\$100
c	Each plan re-submittal (<i>incomplete application or previously denied plan</i>)	\$150
d	Work conducted without a permit (<i>in addition to initial review</i>)	\$500
e	Initial system field acceptance test (<i>No Charge</i>)	
f	Each system field acceptance re-test (<i>must be paid PRIOR to scheduling</i>)	\$150
g	Fire Hydrant flow data require field testing or witnessed flow test-site visit	\$100

^a The fee for each plan review and permit shall be a \$250.00 minimum up to 5,000 sq. ft. + \$0.01/sq. Ft. thereafter. Square footage is determined based on the building permit and sq. ft. under roof.

^b The Fee for each plan review and permit shall be \$250.00.



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2 CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY RELATED SERVICES

This will include, but not be limited to the final inspections of the following in order to receive a Certificate of Occupancy (CO) by Manatee County:

- Compliance with approved plans
- Fire Protection Systems documentation
- Life safety features
- Exit and emergency lighting
- Egress systems
- Fire extinguishers
- Addressing numbers
- Rapid entry Systems

a	Initial CO final inspection	No Charge
b	Each re-inspection of a failed initial CO final inspection	\$150
	Occupancy prior to issuance of a CO (<i>in addition to re-inspection fees</i>)	\$500

3 FIREWORKS AND PYROTECHNICS RELATED SERVICES

This will include, but not be limited to the plans, permits, inspections and standby for:

- On-going fireworks/pyrotechnics related permitting
 - Storage
 - Product Testing
- Public fireworks displays by a licensed pyrotechnic
 - Indoor
 - Outdoor

a	Annual Fireworks/Pyrotechnic Testing and Storage Permit	\$500
b	Each Public Fireworks Display submission <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Includes a pre-display site inspection, a standby of fire/rescue personnel and equipment during the display for at least 1 hour, and post-display site inspection</i> 	\$500
c	Public Fireworks Display standby (<i>beyond the initial hour</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Equipment costs – Current F.E.M.A. Schedule of Equipment Rates ▪ Personnel cost – per Fire District employee pay and benefits rates 	



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4 STANDBY SERVICES

This will include, but not be limited to the provision of Fire District personnel and equipment for:

- Required standbys:
 - Fire Watch
 - Incidents
 - Events
- Requested Standbys
 - a Equipment costs - Current F.E.M.A. Schedule of Equipment Rates
 - b Personnel cost – per Fire District employee pay and benefits rates
 - c Supply cost – the actual replacement cost for any supplies

5 FALSE ALARMS

This will include, but not be limited to the following types of false alarms:

- Malfunction
- Nuisance alarms
 - a False alarm fee 1-2* No Charge
 - b False alarm fee 3+* \$250.00

*Occurring in any given twelve (12) month period.