

UNION COLONY FIRE/RESCUE AUTHORITY
OPERATIONS PERMIT AND PLANS REVIEW FEE SCHEDULE
EFFECTIVE January 1, 2006

Required operational permits. The Fire Chief is authorized to issue operational permits and collect fees for the uses and operations set forth in this schedule.

TYPE OF PERMIT	DESCRIPTION	FEE
CANDLES AND OPEN FLAMES IN ASSEMBLY AREAS.	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to use open flame or candles in connection with assembly areas, dining areas of restaurants or drinking establishments.	\$20.00 per use (\$100.00 annual permit for fixed use)
EXPLOSIVES OR BLASTING AGENTS.	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to manufacture, store, handle, sell or use any quantity of explosive, explosive materials at a fixed facility. For fireworks sales, fireworks displays and pyrotechnical events see the specific section.	\$100.00
FIREWORKS, DISPLAY, OUTDOORS	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to conduct an outdoors fireworks display.	\$200.00
FIREWORKS, DISPLAY, INDOORS	See "pyrotechnical special effects material"	
FIREWORKS, SALES, INSIDE AN ESTABLISHED PERMANENT STRUCTURE	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to store, handle or sell fireworks within a permanent structure.	\$1000.00
FIREWORKS, SALES, INSIDE A TEMPORARY STRUCTURE	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to store, handle or sell fireworks within a temporary structure.	\$1000.00
FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to use flammable or combustible liquids at a temporary construction site or special event.	\$50.00
LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GASES	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to store, use, handle or dispense LP-gas.	\$50.00 per tank or cage
LIQUID OR GAS-FUELED VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT IN AN ASSEMBLY BUILDING	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to display, operate or demonstrate liquid or gas-fueled vehicles or equipment in an assembly building.	\$50.00
MALL, COVERED	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to use a covered mall in the following manner: Placing or constructing temporary kiosks, display booths, concession equipment or the like in the mall; To use a mall as a place of assembly; To use open-flame or flame-producing devices; To display any liquid or gas-fueled powered equipment;	\$50.00
OPEN BURNING	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit for the kindling or maintaining of an open fire or a fire on any public street, alley, road or other public or private ground as a use of any non- agricultural based use.	\$20.00
PYROTECHNICAL SPECIAL EFFECTS MATERIAL.	For permits for pyrotechnical special effects material before a proximate audience.	\$200.00
TEMPORARY MEMBRANE STRUCTURES.	This fee is required to obtain an operations permit to operate an air-supported temporary membrane, tent or canopy regulated by the adopted fire code.	\$25.00 per temporary structure

Required plan reviews. The Fire Chief is authorized to collect fees for plans review charges as set forth in this schedule.

PLAN REVIEW	DESCRIPTION	FEE
ALTERNATIVE COMPLIANCE/PERFORMANCE BASED	This fee is required to obtain a permit to install performance based alternatives.	\$200.00
ALTERNATIVE EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS	This fee is required to obtain a permit to install alternative extinguishing systems.	\$100.00
AUTOMATIC SPRINKLER SYSTEM, MODIFICATION ALL	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to extend, modify or alter an existing automatic sprinkler system (minimum of 4 heads to be added or relocated before a fee is required).	\$100.00 +\$1.00 per device
AUTOMATIC SPRINKLER, 13 AND 13R	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install a new automatic sprinkler systems in multi-family residential, hotel, business or commercial facilities	\$200.00 +\$1.00 per device
AUTOMATIC SPRINKLER 13D	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install new automatic sprinkler systems in single-family detached housing.	\$75.00 +\$1.00 per device
FIRE ALARM SYSTEM, NEW	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install a new fire alarm system or to replace a fire alarm system.	\$300.00 +\$1.00 per device
FIRE ALARM SYSTEM, MODIFICATION	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit for extensions, modifications or alterations of fire alarm system (minimum of 4 devices to be added or relocated before a fee is required).	\$ 75.00 + \$ 1.00 per device (initiating or notification device)
FIRE PUMP	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install of fire pump in a building or structure.	\$200.00 + system fee
FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID TANKS	This fee is required to obtain a permit to install or remove flammable or combustible liquid tanks.	\$150.00 +\$50.00 per additional tank
FUEL DISPENSERS	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install or modify fuel dispensers.	\$15.00 per dispenser
HOOD AND DUCT PROTECTION SYSTEM	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install hood and duct protection systems.	\$150.00 +\$1.00 per device
LP-GAS INSTALLATION PERMANENT	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install LP-gas systems	\$50.00 per tank
LP-GAS INSTALLATION TEMPORARY	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install LP-gas systems or containers for a period less than six months	\$50.00 per tank
OIL WELL	This fee is required to obtain a review and inspection of oil well equipment and facilities.	\$100.00
SPRAY BOOTHS OR ROOMS	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install booths or equipment or construct rooms used for the spraying, dipping or drying of flammable or combustible liquids.	\$100.00
STANDPIPE	This fee is required to obtain a construction permit to install standpipe system	\$50.00 per floor

Miscellaneous Charges. The Fire Chief is authorized to collect fees as set forth in this schedule.

MISC. CHARGES	DESCRIPTION	FEE
ADDITIONAL PLANS REVIEW	This fee shall be paid for the review of plans when changes are made to the plans that have been previously approved.	\$50 per hour (\$25.00 paid at time of submittal)
AFTER HOURS INSPECTION	This fee shall be assessed whenever, at the request of a contractor or building owner, the Authority conducts an inspections after or before the normal business hours of 08:00 and 17:00 Monday through Friday or any time on weekends.	\$ 100.00 for each inspector, for the first two hours. \$ 50.00 per hour per inspector for each additional hour.
COPIES	This fee is required to obtain copies of inspection or incident reports.	\$2.00 for first page +.40 for each additional page
FIRE HYDRANTS AND FLOW TESTING.	This fee is required to obtain flow data information intended for fire-suppression or engineering purposes.	\$50.00 per location
REMOVAL OF STOP WORK ORDER	This fee shall be paid in order to remove a “Stop Work Order” issued by the Authority. In addition to this fee, a re-inspection fee shall be paid and if after normal working hours the cost of the after-hours inspection will be assessed and shall be paid prior to the lifting of the “Stop Work Order”.	\$100.00 for first offense, double the previous fee for every stop work order issued there after.
REINSPECTION FEE	This fee shall be assessed for each re-inspection when: an inspection is called and is not complete when the inspector arrives; when corrections called out on a previous inspection are not made; or when a contractor does not have the permit card or the plans are not available to the inspector.	\$50.00 per hour
RESEARCH AND RETRIEVAL	This fee is required to obtain research and retrieval of records for specific locations or information.	\$35.00 per hour (min one hour charge)

Notes:

- 1. Fees may be waived by the Fire Chief for non-profit organizations or other governmental agencies. The agency must apply in writing to the Fire Chief to waive such fee.**
- 2. Plan review fees include one complete round of code compliance inspections for the given process. Additional re-inspection fees may be incurred. See Re-inspection fee description.**