

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

ORDINANCE NO. 545

An ordinance establishing rules for determining fees and charges to be levied by Multnomah County for street and road widening permits and traffic signal construction and reconstruction permits, and amending Multnomah County Code Chapter 5.10.

Multnomah County ordains as follows:

SECTION I Policy and Purpose

In order that each permittee be charged his proportionate share of the cost of providing public improvements through the permit process, fees shall be charged for design, construction supervision and administrative services performed in connection with public right-of-way improvements. The fees shall be based upon the county's actual cost of providing the services, such costs to include allowances for overhead and fringe benefits, as well as salaries for the county employees performing the services. Records shall be maintained to document the time expended by county staff for such services.

SECTION II Amendment

MCC 5.10.120(A) is amended to read as follows:

(A) [For design and inspection services performed in connection with construction of streets by permit and road widening by permit, fees shall be charged as follows:

| <u>Estimated Construction Cost</u> | <u>Fee Schedule</u> |
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| \$ 0 - \$50,000 | \$ 300 + 15% over \$ 2,000 |
| \$50,000 - and over | \$7,500 + 10% over \$50,000] |

The Director of the Department of Environmental Services shall adopt administrative rules establishing a flexible fee schedule for public right-of-way improvements through a permit process for design and construction administration, establishing billing utilizing current cost accounting system and other procedures necessary for administration of the fees authorized by this section. These rules shall include a procedure by which any permittee may obtain a review of his charges by a qualified county official who is not employed within the Department of Environmental Services.

SECTION III Adoption

This ordinance, being necessary for the health, safety and general welfare of the people of Multnomah County, shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption, pursuant to Section 5.50(1)(a) of the Charter of Multnomah County.

ADOPTED this 18th day of December, 1986, being the date of its second reading before the Board of County Commissioners for Multnomah County, Oregon.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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(SEAL)

Gretchen Kapany / waw
Presiding Officer

AUTHENTICATED this 22nd day of December, 1986.

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