

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-1

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act, as amended, has placed the responsibility of enforcing said Act throughout Tulpehocken Township upon the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township has retained the services of a certified Sewage Enforcement Officer; and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to adopt a schedule of permit fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Tulpehocken Township hereby adopts the following fee schedule for Sewage Enforcement Officer's services:

Fees for sewage enforcement activities to be paid by applicants:

Residential Repair Permit not requiring testing (e.g., failed septic tank, crushed pipe) (includes Permit and Inspection)		\$ 125.00
Residential Repair permits requiring soils testing and perc tests (includes everything associated with permit: Testing, Design Review, Inspections, etc.)		\$ 535.00
Non-Residential Repairs to be billed at the SEO 1 or SEO 2 / Principal hourly rate for all time spent on the project	SEO 1	\$ 50.00
	SEO 2 / Principal	\$ 56.25
Additional Probes (beyond initial 2) (Repair)		\$ 41.00
Additional Perc Test (Repair)		\$ 225.00
Inground Permit (includes Design Review, Issuing Permit and 3 Installation Inspections)		\$ 325.00
Sandmound and Drip Irrigation Permit (includes Design Review, Issuing Permit and 4 Installation Inspections)		\$ 390.00
Design Review		\$ 85.00
Issue/Transfer Permits		\$ 52.50
Inspections Additional		\$ 65.00
Annual Holding Tank Inspections		\$ 51.25
Other SEO Work (Hourly Rate)	SEO 1	\$ 50.00
	SEO 2 / Principal	\$ 56.25

Other SEO Work (Repair)	\$ 28.75
Administrative Costs	\$ 40.50

Fees for services where reimbursement is not available (subdivision testing):

Initial 2 Probes	\$ 135.00
Additional Probes	\$ 67.50
Percolation Tests (6-hole Perc Test)	\$ 410.00
Percolation Tests (12-hole double test for primary and alternate areas)	\$ 700.00

NOTE: Hourly rate will be billed for Planning Module review, verification of prior testing, miscellaneous site visits at property owner's request, and other items not covered by basic fee schedule.

Compensation of the Sewage Enforcement Officer:

The appointed Sewage Enforcement Officer shall be compensated at a rate of \$50.00 or \$56.25 per hour plus out of pocket expenses, including mileage at the prevailing PA DEP rate, and a digging and presoak fee of \$54.75 for each perc test performed.

It is further resolved that the appointed Sewage Enforcement Officer is hereby authorized to collect the above-mentioned fees on behalf of the Township.

All previous Sewage resolutions of Tulpehocken Township are hereby superceded by this resolution.

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Tulpehocken Township on January 2, 2007

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Attest:

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