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Electrical Fee Schedule – (Effective: February 1, 2005)(Modified 10-1-2017)

TYPE OF PERMIT	FEE	MINIMUM FEE
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RESIDENTIAL

NEW CONSTRUCTION	\$200.00 - Dwelling Unit	\$ 200.00
REMODELING & ADDITIONS	(Minimum)	\$ 45.00
- Switches, Receptacles & Fixtures	Minimum plus \$1.00 each	\$ 45.00 +
- Major Appliances [Ranges, Countertop Units, Hot Water Heaters, Gas & Oil Burners, Electric Heat/Room, Generator, A/C].	Minimum plus \$10.00 each	\$ 45.00 +
SERVICES Not Over 200 AMPS	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
- Each 100 AMPS Additional	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00 +
- Each Additional Meter or Panel	\$ 25.00	
TEMPORARY SERVICES	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
FIRE ALARMS <i>(Battery powered smoke detectors 45.00 flat fee)</i>	\$ 45.00+\$2.00 per hard wired device	\$ 45.00 +
BURGLAR ALARMS <i>(Wireless System \$45.00 flat fee)</i>	\$ 45.00+\$2.00 per hard wired device	\$ 45.00 +
CATV, VOICE, DATA	\$ 45.00+2.00 per hard wired device	\$ 45.00 +
SWIMMING POOLS	\$ 45.00 Per Inspection	\$ 45.00
SOLAR RESIDENTIAL/COMMERCIAL	3% COST OF TOTAL CONTRACT. CONTRACT MUST BE ATTACHED WITH APPLICATION as per MGL 143 Section 3L 780 CMR 105.3(5)	

COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL

NEW CONSTRUCTION ONLY	3% Total Electrical Cost	\$ 50.00
Contracts \$3000.00 and over is 3% of Total Electrical Cost Contract must be received with the Electrical Application as per MGL 143 Section 3L 780 CMR 105.3 (5)		
Contract less than \$3000.00 use table below for cost		
- Switches, Receptacles & Fixtures	\$ 50.00 + \$ 2.00 each	\$ 50.00 +
- Major Appliances [Machinery, Ranges, Cook top Ovens, Dryers, Disposals, Dishwashers, Hot Water Heaters, Electric Heat/Unit, Gas & Oil Burners, A/C Per Unit, Generators, Transformers, etc.].	\$ 50.00 + \$ 15.00 each	\$ 50.00 +
SERVICES up to 200 AMPS	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
- Each 100 AMPS or portion of	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
- Each additional Meter or Panel	\$ 25.00	

CARNIVALS, RIDES & CONCESSIONS	\$ 50.00 + \$ 25.00 each	\$ 50.00 +
FIRE ALARMS, SECURITY, CATV, VOICE, DATA	\$ 50.00 + \$ 2.00 per device	\$ 50.00 +
SWIMMING POOLS, POOL SHEDS, HOT TUBS	\$ 50.00 + \$ 25.00 each additional	\$ 50.00 +
ANNUAL PERMIT FEE	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
SIGNS	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
LIGHTNING PROTECTION COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL	3% COST OF ENTIRE PROJECT	
SNAKE WIRING RESIDENTIAL/COMMERCIAL	REQUIRES 2 INSPECTION	\$45.00 PER INSPECTION \$50.00 PER INSPECTION

NOTES

TIME LIMIT ON ISSUANCE: Permits issued from the Inspector of Wires will be held no longer than (6) six months, after which time, a new application will have to be taken out.

ADDITIONAL FEES: An additional charge of \$ 35.00 shall be made and paid for by the Electrician doing work for each additional inspection and includes re-inspections as a result of defective work, improper mechanical execution of electrical work, job not complete, improper information on application, wrong address and other concerns in the opinion of the Inspector. Failure to take out a permit will cause the fees to double.

AFTER HOURS: For inspections and hourly services provided on weekends, holidays, or after 4:00 P.M. on workdays, add an additional \$ 50.00 per hours, per person for a minimum of three 3) hours.