

RESOLUTION 3-08

WHEREAS, the Borough of Quakertown charges fees for various services provided and applications made to the Borough; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council wishes to adopt a schedule of fees for these services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Quakertown, That, the following schedule of fees is adopted:

Code Department		
	Mechanical, Plumbing & Building Fees	
	Value Under \$200	\$ 50.00
	\$200 - \$1000	\$ 100.00
	\$1000 - \$20000	\$100 + \$5 per \$1000 in excess of first \$1000
	over \$20000	\$200 + \$5 per \$1000 in excess of first \$20000
	Use & Occupancy Permit	
	Residential	\$ 30.00
	Commercial	\$ 50.00
	Temporary Permit	
	Use Signs Etc.	\$ 20.00
	Yard Sale Permit	
	Per each sale	No Charge
	Plumber Annual Registration Fee	
	Master Plumber	
	Residential (Quakertown School District)	\$ 25.00
	Non-Residents	\$ 30.00
	Journeyman Plumber	
	Residential (Quakertown School District)	\$ 10.00
	Non-Residents	\$ 15.00
	Street Opening Permit	

	Per 50'	\$ 400.00
Conditional Use Permit Application		
	Residential Use	\$ 500.00 plus associated costs in excess of this amount.
	Commercial Use	\$1,500.00 plus associated costs in excess of this amount.
Sidewalk Permit		
	Per 50'	\$ 45.00
Zoning Ordinance Book		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 45.00
Zoning Map		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 5.00
Subdivision Ordinance Book		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 45.00
Comprehensive Plan		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 45.00
Stormwater Ordinance		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 45.00
Water, Sewer & Highway Specifications		
	Actual cost of production	\$ 45.00
Subdivision		
	Two Lots - Each	\$ 200.00
	Each Additional Lot	\$ 100.00
Site Plan Review		
	Actual cost of production	\$50 plus actual cost of review fees.
Zoning Hearing Board Fees		
	Residential & Non-Profit	\$ 500.00
	Commercial & Industrial	\$ 1,500.00
	Cancellation-less than 48 hr notice	\$ 300.00

Fire Inspection License Fee		
	Small Business (up to 1500 sf)	\$ 25.00
	Medium Business (1500sf - 10000sf)	\$ 40.00
	Large Business (10000sf +)	\$ 150.00
	Apartment Building (under 50 units)	\$ 100.00
	Hotel/Motel	\$ 150.00
	Professional Building	\$ 35.00
	Movie Theatre	\$ 50.00
	Hospital & Nursing Home	\$ 150.00
	School	\$ 100.00
	Day Care Center	\$ 35.00
	Church	\$ -
	Emergency Services Facility	\$ -
Administration		
Return Check		
	Per Incidence	\$25 plus bank fee
Late Fee		
	Per Month - Admin Fee	\$ 25.00
	Per Month - Interest	1.25%
	Deed Registration	\$ 10.00
Utility History Report		
	Per Year, Account or Utility	cost of copies
	Less than one year	cost of copies
Copies		
	Each - double sided	\$ 0.25
Lien Fee		
	Placement and Removal	\$ 125.00
Postage		
		Actual cost per USPS
Parks & Recreation		
Park Pavilion		
	Resident	\$ 50.00
	Non-Resident	\$ 75.00
Bandshell Rental		

		Resident	\$100 plus labor & material
		Non-Resident	\$100 plus labor & material
Electric Department			
	Security Deposit		
		Regular (non-electric heat unit)	\$ 125.00
		Electric Heated Unit	\$ 250.00
	Temporary Electric		
		Up to 100' of pole	\$50 plus labor & material
		Over 100' of pole	\$100 plus labor & material
		Pole	\$ 300.00
	Area Lighting		
		Installation of Pole	\$ 640.00
		Flood Lighting Rental	\$ 225.00
		400 Watt Fixture Rental	\$ 190.00
		175 Watt Fixture Rental	\$ 110.00
	Meter Testing		
		Single Phase	\$ 50.00
		Three Phase	\$ 100.00
		Meter Base Change	\$ 60.00
	Change of Service		
		Commercial & Industrial	\$ 400.00
	Reconnection Fee		
		7a - 3p	\$ 50.00
		After 3p	\$ 250.00
		Weekends and Holidays	\$ 250.00
	Electric Public Services		
		Laborer Services/per hour	Actual Rate plus Fringe Benefits
		Material	Actual Cost plus 10% handling fee
Water Department			

	Security Deposit		
		Water Only	\$ 35.00
		Water and Sewer	\$ 80.00
	Meter Testing		\$ 10.00
	Connection Permit		
		Residential	\$ 6,000.00
		Commercial	\$ 7,500.00
	Construction		
		6 months	\$ 150.00
	Reconnection Fee		
		7a - 3p	\$ 50.00
		After 3p	\$ 250.00
		Weekends and Holidays	\$ 250.00
	Water Public Services		
		Laborer Services/per hour	Actual Rate plus Fringe Benefits
		Material	Actual Cost plus 10% handling fee
	Sewer Department		
	Security Deposit		
		Sewer only	\$ 40.00
		Water & Sewer	\$ 80.00
	Permit and Inspection Fee		
		6 months	\$ 75.00
	Sewer Tapping Fee		
		Per Equivalent Dwelling Unit (EDU)	\$ 4,200.00
	Connection Permit		
		Residential	\$ 6,000.00
		Commercial	\$ 7,500.00
	Construction		
		6 months	\$ 150.00

	Sewer Disposal Fees		
		Septic Waste per 500 Gallons	\$ 22.50
		Holding Tank Waste per 500 Gallons	\$ 12.50
	Industrial Pretreatment Program		
		Annual Inspection Fee	\$ 175.00
		Sampling Fee	\$ 75.00
		Analysis Fee	\$150 plus actual Laboratory expenses
	Sewer Public Services		
		Laborer Services/per hour	Actual Rate plus Fringe Benefits
		Material	Actual Cost plus 10% handling fee
	Police Department		
	Impound Lot Fee		
		Release vehicle during off hours (5p-8a)	\$ 35.00
		Storage (12a after day towed)	\$ 40.00
	Kennel Fee		
		Per day or any part of a day	\$ 25.00
	Burglar Alarm		
		First 2 False Alarms in any Calendar Year	\$ -
		3+	\$ 25.00
	Fire Alarm		
		First 2 False Alarms in any Calendar Year	-
		Third	\$ 50.00
		Fourth	\$ 100.00
		Fifth +	\$ 200.00
	Reports		
		Accident Report	\$ 15.00
		Police Report	15.00
		Photographs	\$20 print/\$40 CD

	Fingerprinting		
		Resident or Employed in Borough	\$ -
		Others	\$ 20.00
	Police Services		
		Officer & Vehicle/per hour	\$ 100.00
	Highway Department		
	Municipal Waste License Fee		
		Annual Fee	\$ 100.00
	Branch Pick-up		
		Unbundled to Curb/Alley	\$ 50.00
	Highway Public Services		
		Laborer Services/per hour	Actual Rate plus Fringe Benefits
		Material	Actual Cost plus 10% handling fee
	Equipment Rental		
		Operating per hour or any part of one hour	Current rates from the Rental Rate Blue Book for Construction Equipment
		Required on-site but not operational	50% of Operating Rate
		Traffic Protection & Maintenance Equipment (signs, flashers, barricades, drums)	Current rates from the Rental Rate Blue Book for Construction Equipment

Resolution 1-94 and all other Ordinances or Resolutions inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

ENACTED this 7th day of January, 2008 at a re-organizational and regular meeting of the Borough Council of Quakertown, Pennsylvania.

BOROUGH OF QUAKERTOWN

L. James Roberts, Jr.
President of Council

Attest:

Scott C. McElree
Borough Secretary

NOTE: As amended by Resolution 5-08 (2/7/08). Resolution 42-08 (4/2/08), Resolution 66-08 (5/7/08), Resolution 86-08 (6/4/08).