



DURHAM CITY-COUNTY INSPECTIONS DEPARTMENT

ELECTRICAL PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE
(Effective 7/1/18—Includes Technology Surcharge)

Inspections

***SURCHARGE FOR PAPER APPLICATION

A \$5.00 surcharge will be added to the total for each plumbing, electrical, or mechanical application that is submitted manually (paper submittal) as opposed to an electronic submittal (paperless submittal).

SCHEDULE A

New Residential Dwellings (One and Two Family, Including Townhouse Unit Ownership) and Multi-Family Residential (Apartments, Condominiums, Triplex, and Fourplex):

Table with 2 columns: Description and Fee. Rows: 100 amp to 200 amp service (\$156.00), 400 amp service (\$187.00)

SCHEDULE B

Outlets for lights, receptacles and switches, which are installed on general-purpose branch circuits having two (2) or more outlets, except for main service switches and feeder distribution switches, small appliances of less than five hundred (500) watts or motor drivers of one-eighth horsepower or less, such as kitchen or hood fans, bell ringing transformers, etc.:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Fee. Rows: 1 - 10 outlets (\$ 21.00), Each additional outlet (\$.83)

SCHEDULE C

Fixtures:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Fee. Rows: 1 to 10 fixtures (\$21.00), Each additional fixture (\$.83)

SCHEDULE D

Motors and Generators of One-Sixth Horsepower or Larger:

Electric Motors and Generators:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Fee. Rows: Minimum charge (\$18.00), Each motor (\$3.22), Additional charge per hp or fraction thereof, applied against total hp (\$.62)

SCHEDULE E

Branch Circuits Supplying Appliances, Devices or Equipment:

Disposal under 1 hp.....	\$10.90
Dryers & dishwashers.....	\$10.90
Electric water heaters or boilers.....	\$10.90

Electric signs and outline lighting:

First circuit.....	\$10.90
Each additional circuit for same sign.....	\$3.22

Electric heat:

Wall or baseboard heaters, first unit.....	\$10.90
Each additional unit.....	\$3.95

Electric unit heaters:

First KW.....	\$10.90
Each additional KW.....	\$1.56

Electric furnaces, duct heating units, supplementary or auxiliary units installed in ducts or plenums:

First KW.....	\$10.90
Each additional KW.....	\$1.56

All other devices, appliances or equipment which are installed on individual branch circuits and not covered in other schedules, each.....

	\$10.90
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SCHEDULE F

Miscellaneous Wiring Not Covered in Schedules A,B,C,D or E:

Lampholders for marquee and/or festoon lighting.....	\$55.00
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Service equipment as determined by ampacity of buses in equipment:

Up to 100 amperes.....	\$34.00
Each additional 100 amperes or fraction thereof.....	\$6.97

Transformers, dry or liquid type, each:

Up to 45 KVA.....	\$33.00
46 to 150 KVA.....	\$43.00
Over 150 KVA.....	\$55.00

Feeders of all types:

Each feeder up to 100 amps.....	\$10.90
Additional charge per 100 amps or fraction thereof applied against total ampacity after deducting 100 amps per feeder.....	\$1.56

SCHEDULE G

Miscellaneous:

Solar panel inspections

Residential.....	\$100.00
Commercial roof top.....	\$150.00
Commercial ground mounted.....	\$150.00
Commercial ground-mounted, charge per.....	\$ 50.00
trip after 3rd and subsequent inspections	

Service or saw pole:

One inspection only.....	\$65.00
Extra inspection.....	\$47.00/ea

Temporary Service Connection:

Residential.....	\$100.00
Commercial.....	\$150.00

Mobile Home:

One inspection only.....	\$65.00
Extra inspection.....	\$47.00/ea

Modular Unit.....\$69.00

Commercial reinspection.....\$65.00

Minimum electrical permit fee.....\$65.00

Reinspection fees:

Not ready for inspection.....	\$100.00
5 or more code violations found.....	\$100.00
2 nd reinspection.....	\$100.00
3 rd reinspection.....	\$200.00
4 th reinspection.....	\$300.00

HVAC replacement – one inspection.....\$65.00

HVAC replacement – addition inspections, each.....\$50.00

Work begun without a permit.....Double Fee

Voiding of permits.....15% of permit cost
(no maximum)

Minimum fee for any permit requiring a rough-in inspection:

Commercial.....	\$150.00
Residential.....	\$100.00

SCHEDULE H:

After Hours Inspections - Scheduling after hours inspections requires 24 hour notice to the Chief Inspector/Supervisor of the applicable trade. After hours inspections are scheduled based solely on the availability of an inspector. The fee must be paid at the time the inspection is scheduled.

\$125.00 per hour - Minimum of two hours directly following work hours.

\$125.00 per hour - Minimum of three hours if the inspector has to leave their home to perform the inspection.