

## 4.1.9 SERVICE AND PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE

**GENERAL: PERMITS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 105 OF THE N.C. BUILDING CODE – FIRE PREVENTION AND ITS APPENDIXES ALONG WITH N.C. AMENDMENTS AND THE CITY OF LINCOLNTON FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION ORDINANCE**

**PERMITS REQUIRED:** Permits required by this code and ordinance shall be obtained from the fire official. Permit fees, if any, shall be paid prior to issuance of the permit. Issued permits shall be kept on the premises designed therein at all times and shall be readily available for inspection by the fire code official.

**TYPES OF PERMITS:** There shall be three types of permits as follows:

- (1) Operational Permit:** An operational permit allows the applicant to conduct an operation or a business for which a permit is required by Section 105.6 of NCBCFPC and this ordinance for either:
  - 1.3 A prescribed period.
  - 1.4 Until renewed or revoked.
- (2) Construction Permit:** A construction permit allows the applicant to install or modify systems and equipment for which a permit is required by Section 105.6 of NCBCFPC and this ordinance.
- (3) Special Use Permits:** Special use permits are for and/or allows special tests, inspections, certain applications, operations, assemblies, to maintain, store or handle certain materials, special events and services for which a permit is required by section 105.6 of NCBCFPC and this ordinance.

#### 4.1.10 SERVICE AND PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE FOR OPERATIONAL PERMITS

##### OPERATIONAL AND SPECIAL USE PERMITS FEES

ABC Permit (Change of use, renter, or business requiring ABC Permit Fire Inspection)	50.00
Amusement Buildings .....	50.00
Aviation Facilities .....	100.00
Carnivals and Fairs .....	100.00
Burning Permits .....	
Residential and Farms.....	25.00
Burning for fire department training .....	NC
Bon Fire .....	25.00
Commercial (Must meet all state, NCBCFPC and this ordinance guidelines) .....	
Clearing of lots to build houses (per lot fee) .....	25.00
Clearing of lots to build commercial and industry (per site fee) .....	300.00
Covered Mall Buildings .....	50.00
Display of Gasoline-powered equipment in covered malls .....	50.00
Exhibits and Trade Shows .....	35.00
Explosives .....	
Blasting Permits	
48 hours .....	50.00
90 days .....	150.00
Year round storage and manufacturing permits .....	500.00
Fireworks for public display, outdoors.....	150.00
Fireworks for public display, indoors .....	450.00
Fumigation and thermal insecticidal fogging .....	50.00
Hazardous Materials .....	150.00
HPM Facilities .....	150.00
High-piled or High-rack storage .....	150.00
Liquid or gas fueled vehicles or equipment in assembly buildings .....	50.00
Open flames and candles ( <b>churches are exempt</b> ).....	35.00
Organic Coatings .....	50.00
Places of Assembly ( <b>churches are exempt</b> ) .....	50.00
Pyrotechnic Special Effects Material and Shows .....	100.00
Pyroxylin Plastic .....	100.00
Special Assemblies such as Gun Shows, Craft Shows, etc. ....	35.00
Spraying or Dipping Operations.....	50.00
Storage of scrap tires and tire by-products .....	50.00
Temporary Tents, Structures, or Stands used for Displays of Fireworks	
7 day permit .....	150.00
14 day permit .....	250.00
30 day permit .....	450.00
Tents and Canopies.....	
Tents for public usage exceeding 200/400 Sq. feet .....	25.00
Use of air structures .....	25.00
Temporary kiosks or displays for merchandising .....	25.00

Tire Rebuilding Plants .....	50.00
Waste Handling (wrecking yards, junk yards, waste material handling facilities) .....	50.00

**4.1.11 SERVICE AND INSPECTION FEE SCHEDULE**

**SERVICE AND INSPECTION  
FEES**

Boarding Houses .....	25.00
Day Care Centers .....	25.00
Dormitories .....	50.00
Family Care Homes .....	NC
Foster Homes .....	NC
Fraternities and Sororities .....	50.00
Institutional (Health Care facilities).....	
Group Homes ( 5 or less ).....	25.00
Group Homes ( 6 or more ).....	50.00
Hospitals .....	50.00
Nursing Homes .....	50.00
Rest Homes .....	50.00

**4.1.12 SERVICE AND PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMITS**

**CONSTRUCTION PERMIT  
FEES**

New Alarm System Installations and Certification Test .....	35.00
New Fixed Fire Suppression System Installations and Certification Test .....	35.00
New Sprinkler Systems (20 heads or more) .....	35.00
New Standpipe Systems.....	35.00
Renovations of Standpipe systems.....	35.00
Renovations of Fixed Fire systems.....	35.00
Renovations of Alarm systems.....	35.00
Renovations of Sprinkler Systems (20 or more heads).....	35.00
Storage Tanks used for Flammable/Combustible Liquids or Hazardous Materials (Aboveground and Underground )	
REMOVAL (per tank) .....	50.00
NEW INSTALLATIONS (per tank) .....	50.00
Inspection of the retrofitting of storage tanks and pipes containing or used for flammable or combustible liquids or hazardous materials .....	50.00

Preliminary Plans Review .....	
<b>Up to 5,000 sq. ft.</b> .....	25.00
<b>5,001 to 10,000 sq. ft.</b> .....	50.00
<b>10,001 to 25,000 sq. ft.</b> .....	125.00
<b>25,001 to 100,000 sq. ft.</b> .....	250.00
<b>Over 100,000 sq. ft.</b> .....	500.00

**4.1.13 ADMINISTRATIVE FEES**

1.	Copy data to diskette .....	10.00
2.	Fire Flow Test .....	25.00
3.	Hydrant Installations ( private contractors only ) .....	25.00
4.	Wasted Trip Fee For Permit Inspections (not having everything ready) .....	75.00
5.	After Hours Inspection Fee .....	
	1 <sup>st</sup> hour .....	100.00
	Each ½ hour after 1 <sup>st</sup> hour .....	50.00