



Code Update Newsletter

The Public Works and Engineering Department
Planning and Development Services Division

"Providing information pertaining to the Codes and how they affect you"

FEE INCREASE NOTICE

Effective January 3, 2012

Starting **January 3, 2012** all permit fees, including the administrative fee will be automatically increased by 3.23% as required by Section 1-13 of the City of Houston Code of Ordinances. This percentage is based on the Consumer Price Index.

The administrative fee associated with all permits will now be \$25.80. The minimum fee and some of the license fees will not be increased.

Permits applied for prior to the effective date of this change will be grandfathered under the previous fees.

Forms, publications and web pages will be updated soon to reflect the new fees.

For an explanation of the fees, please email us at permits_office@houstontx.gov.

CODE ENFORCEMENT CONTACT INFORMATION

PLAN REVIEW

Commercial- (832) 394-8810

One-Stop - (832) 394-8820 (*Commercial Remodels and Residential*)

INSPECTIONS

Building - (832) 394-8840

Mechanical - (832) 394-8850

Electrical - (832) 394-8860

Plumbing - (832) 394-8870

Occupancy/Life Safety - (832) 394-8880

Sign Administration - (832) 394-8890

PERMIT OFFICE

General - (832) 394-8899

Dacoma Office - (713) 686-6224

Kingwood Office - (281) 361-9580

Utility Releases - (832) 394-8847

OTHER INFORMATION

Customer Assistance & Code Development Office - (832) 394-9000

Automated Inspection Request Line - (713) 222-9922

Other City Departments- Dial 311

For Additional Permit Information:

You may obtain information about permits by visiting our website at www.houstonpermits.com. You will then be linked to our database of sold permits. If you have questions about any of these permits, please contact our Code Enforcement Group at (832) 394-9000.

To Reach Other City of Houston Departments:

<http://www.houstontx.gov> or dial 311

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