

RESOLUTION NO. 04-R-115	
<p>A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING FEE SCHEDULES FOR CONTRACTOR LICENSING, CITATION FEES AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.</p> <p>WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida is authorized to establish fees pursuant to Marion County Ordinance No. 01-34; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the Board desires by this Resolution to establish fees for the administration and enforcement of said Ordinance.</p> <p>NOW, THEREFORE, be it Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida:</p>	
<p>SECTION 1. <u>CONTRACTOR LICENSES, COMPETENCY CARDS AND OTHER LICENSING ISSUES.</u> The Building Department shall charge the following fees for Contractor Licenses and Services.</p>	
1A <u>Contractors Licenses and Services</u>	Fees
1A-1 Request for Experior Exam Application Approval	Each Application Request \$25.00
1A-2 Experior Exam Application Process Fee	Each Exam Application \$25.00
1A-3 Process Fee for issuing the following letters: Letter of Reciprocity, Letter of Good Standing Verification of Exam, Other Correspondence	Each Letter \$25.00
1A-4 Issuance of Competency Card (Two Year Renewal) Last Name: A-K Even Years / L-Z Odd Years	Each Trade \$100.00
1A-5 Inactive Status – to change from active to inactive	Per Trade \$30.00
1A-6 Late Renewal of Competency Card	Each Certificate/Per Year of inactivity \$25.00 Plus Calculated Issuance Fee of Card
1A-7 Replace/Re-Issuance of Competency Card	Per Certificate Card \$25.00
1A-8 State Certified Contractors – Local Registration Last Name: A-K Even Years / L-Z Odd Years	Per Trade for Two Years \$50.00 Per Trade for One Year \$30.00
<p>SECTION 2. <u>VIOLATIONS – UNLICENSED/LICENSED INDIVIDUALS AND FIRMS.</u> The following citation fines shall be charged by the Building Department for Unlicensed/Licensed Contractor violations.</p>	
2A <u>Unlicensed Individuals and Firms</u>	Citation Fines
2A-1 Falsely hold himself or a business organization out as a licensee, certificate holder, or registrant.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$350.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-2 Falsely impersonate a certificate holder or registrant.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$350.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-3 Present as his own the certificate, registration, or certificate of authority of another.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$400.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-4 Knowingly give false or forged evidence to the License Review Board and or Member thereof, for the purpose of obtaining a certificate or registration.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$350.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00

2A-5	Use or attempt to use a certificate, registration or certificate of authority which has been suspended or revoked.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$400.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-6	Engage in business or act in the capacity of a contractor or advertise himself or a business organization as available to engage in the business or act in the capacity of a contractor without being duly registered or certified or having a certificate of authority.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-7	Operate a business organization engaged in construction after sixty (60) days following the termination of its only qualifying agent without designating another primary qualifying agent, except as provided in Section 589.1195, F.S.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-8	Commence or perform work for which a building permits is required pursuant to part VII of Chapter 489, F.S. without such a permit being in effect.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd Violation \$300.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-9	Willingly or deliberately disregard or violate any Municipal or County ordinance relating to uncertified or unregistered contractors.	1 st Violation \$250.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-10	Conceal, cause to be concealed, or assist in concealing, from the primary qualifying agent, any material, activities, or information about the contracting firm.	1 st Violation \$150.00 2 nd Violation \$300.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-11	Exclude or facilitate the exclusion of any aspect of the contracting firm's financial or other business activities from the primary qualifying agent.	1 st Violation \$150.00 2 nd Violation \$300.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-12	Knowingly cause any part of the contracting firm's activities, financial or otherwise, to be conducted without the primary qualifying agent's supervision.	1 st Violation \$150.00 2 nd Violation \$300.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2A-13	Assist or participate with any local license holder or local registration holder in the violation of any provision of Chapter 489, F.S.	1 st Violation \$150.00 2 nd Violation \$300.00 3 rd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2B	Licensed Individuals and Firms	Citations Fines
2B-1	Obtaining a local license or local registration by fraud or misrepresentation.	1 st Violation \$300.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2B-2	Allowing one's local license or local registration to be used by any unlicensed or unregistered person.	Each Violation \$500.00
2B-3	Acting in the capacity of a contractor under a different name than that which is on their state license, local license, or registration card.	1 st Violation \$300.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$500.00
2B-4	Commencing any job without obtaining the applicable local building department permits.	Each Violation \$500.00
2B-5	Performing any act which assists a person or entity in engaging in the prohibited unlicensed and unregistered practice of contracting.	Each Violation \$500.00
2B-6	Using a subcontractor not authorized for use on the building permit, without first notifying the building department in writing.	1 st Violation \$200.00 2 nd and Subsequent Violations \$400.00
2B-7	Making any material false statements in an	Each Violation \$500.00

	application for a local license or local registration.		
2B-8	Committing fraud or deceit in the practice of contracting.	Each Violation	\$500.00
2B-9	Knowingly or negligently violating the applicable building codes or laws of the State or County.	Each Violation	\$500.00
SECTION 3. REFUND FEES. No refunds shall be given for processing fees, application fees, licensing fees, or citation fees unless collected in error by the Building Department.			
SECTION 4. REPEAL. Resolution No. 99-R-280, of the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, is hereby repealed.			
SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This resolution shall take effect on October 1, 2004.			

DULY ADOPTED this 20th day of April, 2004.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

DAVID R. ELLSPERMANN, CLERK

ANDY KESSELRING, CHAIRMAN