

St. Helens Universal Fee Schedule

ENGINEERING FEES		
Right-Of-Way Permit: Required for work performed in the public right-of-way, including pavement cuts, utility construction, maintenance, or repair, sidewalk construction or repair, driveways, curb cuts, aerial work, temporary street/right-of-way use, and parklets.	\$ 100.00	Fee waived for projects with a value of less than \$1,500 or if part of a permit for the construction of public improvements.
Pavement Disturbance Fee: Assessed to the Right-of-Way Permit fee for work in the public right-of-way that cuts, damages, removes, replaces, mars, trenches, digs, bore, or disturbs pavement. Includes paved streets, bikeways, driveways, curbs, sidewalks, or other paved areas in the right-of-way.	\$ 100.00	Fee waived for projects with a value of less than \$1,500 or if part of a permit for the construction of public improvements.
Plan Review for Public Improvements: Design plan review is the first step for private development projects that require improvements to or expansion of streets, sidewalks, curbs, driveways, storm drainage facilities, sanitary sewer, water main extensions, or other improvements in the public right-of-way.	2.0% based on the Engineer's Preliminary Project Cost Estimate	Plan Review fee includes up to three plan review iterations, after which additional plan review fees will apply.
Plan Review - Additional Reviews		Plan review fees for plan reviews that exceed three review iterations.
Permit for the Construction of Public Improvements	on the Engineer's Final Project Cost	Permit issued after plans have been reviewed and approved by the Engineering Division. Fee includes the cost of inspections.
Blasting Permit: Required for all blasting operations and the use of explosives in City limits.	Estimate \$ 1,200.00	Fee includes Blast plan compliance inspections.
Engineering Services for Building Permits	\$320 each	Fee includes System Development Charges (SDCs) review, plan review, and up to three inspections, including final inspection.
Fee for Additional Engineering Inspections	\$75/hour, 1 hour minimum	Engineering inspections for any work performed in the public right-of-way not covered by an existing permit or fee.

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