



City of Amsterdam

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Plumbing Permits

- A. Plumbing Permit Inspection Fee – \$50, plus \$10 per fixture

- B. Homeowner’s Plumbing Permit Fee - only for an individual owner that legally resides at a one or two family home and submits an “Affidavit for Homeowner’s Residential Plumbing Permit” - \$50, plus \$10 per fixture.

- C. Water and Sewer Inspection Fees – for hookup and disconnection
 - 1. Each water lateral up to one inch diameter, flat fee of \$50
 - 2. Each water lateral over one inch diameter, flat fee of \$100
 - 3. Sanitary and storm sewer - \$100 (per connection or disconnection)
 - 4. Water or sewer lateral repair inspection (from curb valve box to structure) - \$100 (Curb valve is the property owner’s responsibility).

- D. Trenching Permits – \$50 plus \$5 per square foot of excavation opening

- E. Sprinkler Systems – Installation - \$100 flat fee up to 100 sprinkler heads, with an additional charge of \$1 per each head over 100 heads.

- F. The above fee schedule shall be doubled if a Stop Work Order has been issued for work that was commenced without the prior issuance of a required permit.

Plumbing Licenses

Licensed Master Plumber Class A License Fees:

Licensed Master Plumber shall be required to pay an initial fee of \$200, and an annual renewal fee of \$200. Licenses expire December 31 each year and must be renewed with all insurance documentation on or before January 31 of the following year. In the event of late filing, a penalty of \$50 shall be added to the annual license fee. An inactive Licensed Master Plumber can maintain their license for an annual fee of \$50.00.

Non-Resident Licensed Master Plumber Class B License Fees:

Licensed Master Plumbers from another State, County, City, or Town, shall be required to pay a fee of \$200 per residential structure, and \$300 per commercial structure.

Heating and Cooling Permits

A. An electrical permit is also required in conjunction with the heating/cooling permit

B. Gas, Oil, or Electric Heating and/or Cooling Equipment

Inspection fees shall be as follows:

1. \$50 per heating unit up to 300,000 BTUs
2. \$100 per heating unit above 300,000 BTUs
3. \$25 per hot water heater (gas, oil, electric) up to 100,000 BTUs;
\$50 over 100,000 BTUs
4. Central Air Conditioning (Inspection fee) \$50

C. Solid Fuel Heating Equipment (i.e. wood stoves, pellet stoves, fireplaces) –
Inspection fee shall be \$50

D. The above fee schedule shall be doubled if a Stop Work Order has been issued for work that was commenced without the prior issuance of a required permit.