

ORDINANCE NO. O-03-10

**Amending City Code Sections 18-144, 18-146 and 18-147
Regarding Electrical Permit Fees**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GADSDEN, ALABAMA, as follows:

Section 1. Section 18-144 of the Gadsden City Code is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 18-144. Permit fees generally.

Every applicant for a permit as required by section 18-141 shall pay a fee therefor in accordance with the following schedule:

(1) Meter loops, including service wires supplying meter loops, based on switch of the following size:

Each

Up to 100 amp meter service.....	\$6.00
200 amp meter service.....	\$8.00
400 amp meter service.....	\$11.00
600 amp meter service.....	\$14.00
800 amp meter service.....	\$19.00
1,000 amp meter service.....	\$21.00
1,200 amp meter service.....	\$25.00
1,600 amp meter service.....	\$32.00
2,000 amp meter service.....	\$45.00
3,000 amp meter service.....	\$65.00
4,000 amp meter service.....	\$80.00
5,000 amp meter service.....	\$90.00
Temporary service.....	\$10.00
Repair or relocate service.....	\$10.00

(2) Outlets, switches and fixtures:

1 to 10.....	\$5.00
11 to 25.....	\$8.00

- 26 to 50.....\$12.00
- 51 to 100.....\$14.00
- 101 to 200.....\$18.00
- 201 to 500.....\$25.00
- 501 and over.....\$25.00 plus \$.03 each additional
- (3) Motors, transformers, generators, capacitors and welders (each).....\$8.00
- (4) Gasoline pumps (per pump).....\$6.00
- (5) Electric heat and air conditioner installation.....\$8.00
- (6) 220 outlets, electric range, water heater, dryer and window air conditioner units.....\$5.00
- (7) Each inspection.....\$10.00

Section 2. Section 18-146 of the Gadsden City Code is amended to read as follows:
 Sec. 18-146. Minimum fee.

The minimum electrical fee shall be \$15.00.

Section 3. Section 18-147 of the Gadsden City Code is amended to read as follows:
 Sec. 18-147. Fee for additional inspection trips.

In cases where an extra inspection is necessary for any reason, there shall be a charge or fee of \$15.00 for each extra trip.

Section 4. A violation of this ordinance shall be punished as provided in Section 1-8 of the Gadsden City Code.

Section 5. The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective on publication.

Section 6. The sections, subsections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this ordinance are severable. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a valid judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect the validity of any other section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase of this ordinance. The city council declares that it is its intent that it would have enacted this ordinance without such invalid or unconstitutional provisions.

Section 7. The provisions of this ordinance repeal any prior ordinance or provision of the Gadsden City Code to the extent of any conflict.

I certify that the City Council of the City of Gadsden, Alabama, duly adopted this ordinance at an open public meeting held on January 5, 2010.

Iva Nelson, City Clerk

APPROVED on January _____, 2010

Sherman Guyton, Mayor