

ORDINANCE NO. 110213

An ordinance of the City of Gainesville, Florida, amending Appendix A, Schedule of Fees, Rates and Charges by revising fees and charges for adult performance establishments, escort services, and escort licenses; alcoholic beverage bottle club licenses; cable franchises; cemetery; controlled vehicular parking area decals/permits; fire/rescue fire alarm operators, false alarm, prohibited devices, fire alarm monitoring companies, fire alarm system contractors, fire inspection, burning leaves, brush, clean wood or other vegetative debris, annual burning permit, pyrotechnic display; home occupation permit; peddlers, solicitors and canvassers; burglar alarm operators, monitoring companies, systems contractors, and systems; roam towing trespass towing application process fee, registration -owners, operators and vehicles, immobilization; registered domestic partnerships; secondhand goods dealers; permits for congregating on streets and sidewalks; permit to remove, construct, alter curb, driveway, gutter, etc.; traffic and motor vehicle parking violations and delinquency and immobilization; solid waste and recyclables - residential services; vehicles for hire; and vending; making scribes revisions; providing directions to the codifier; providing a severability clause; providing a repealing clause; and providing an effective date.

WHEREAS, at least 10 days notice has been given once by publication in a newspaper of general circulation notifying the public of this proposed ordinance and of a public hearing to be held in the City Commission Auditorium, City Hall, City of Gainesville; and

WHEREAS, the Public Hearings were held pursuant to the published notice described at which hearings the parties in interest and all others had an opportunity to be and were, in fact, heard.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Portions of Appendix A of the Code of Ordinances, relating to fees, rates or charges for adult performance establishments, escort services, and escort licenses; alcoholic beverage bottle club licenses; cable franchises; cemetery; controlled vehicular parking area decals/permits; fire/rescue fire alarm operators, false alarm, prohibited devices, fire alarm monitoring companies, fire alarm system contractors, fire inspection, burning leaves, brush, clean wood or other

1 vegetative debris, annual burning permit, pyrotechnic display; home occupation permit; peddlers,
2 solicitors and canvassers; burglar alarm operators, monitoring companies, systems contractors, and
3 systems; roam towing trespass towing application process fee, registration -owners, operators and
4 vehicles, immobilization; registered domestic partnerships; secondhand goods dealers; permits for
5 congregating on streets and sidewalks; permit to remove, construct, alter curb, driveway, gutter, etc.;
6 traffic and motor vehicle parking violations and delinquency and immobilization; solid waste and
7 recyclables - residential services; vehicles for hire; and vending; are amended as set forth in Exhibit
8 "A," attached to this ordinance and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein. The
9 remaining portions of Appendix A remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

10 **Section 2.** It is the intention of the City Commission that the provisions of Section 1
11 shall become and be made a part of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Gainesville, Florida,
12 and that the Sections and Paragraphs of this Ordinance may be renumbered or relettered in order
13 to accomplish such intentions.


14 **Section 3.** If any word, phrase, clause, paragraph, section or provision of this ordinance
15 or the application hereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid or unconstitutional, such
16 finding shall not affect the other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given
17 effect without the invalid or unconstitutional provisions or application, and to this end the
18 provisions of this ordinance are declared severable.

19 **Section 4.** All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith are to the extent of
20 such conflict hereby repealed.

21 **Section 5.** This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption; provided
22 however, the fees, rates and charges set forth herein shall be applicable to fees, rates and
23 charges which are due and payable after 12:01 A.M. on October 1, 2011.

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ATTEST:


MARION J. RADSON
CITY ATTORNEY

This Ordinance passed on second reading this 15th day of September, 2011.

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- 1 e. Single grave ~~304.00~~ 319.25
- 2 f. Baby grave (under 6 years) ~~146.25~~ 153.50
- 3 (2) *Exchange of interment rights* (§ 7-19): ~~18.50~~ 19.00
- 4 plus ~~\$6.25~~ 6.50/quit claim deed
- 5 (3) *Grave Space (includes Perpetual Care)*
- 6 a. Adult ~~1,210.25~~ 1,270.75
- 7 b. Infant ~~213.25~~ 224.00
- 8 c. Cremains ~~335.00~~ 351.75
- 9 (4) *Interments: Weekday/Overtime*
- 10 a. Adult ~~364.50/486.25~~ 382.75/510.50*
- 11 b. Infant ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 12 c. Cremains ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 13 *Disinterments*
- 14 d. Adult ~~547.00~~ 574.25**
- 15 e. Infant ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 16 f. Cremains ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 17 *Reinterments*
- 18 g. Adult ~~364.50/486.25~~ 382.75/510.50*
- 19 h. Infant ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 20 i. Cremains ~~121.50/182.50~~ 127.50/191.75*
- 21 * Overtime rates charged on Fridays, Saturdays (no services on Sundays) and after 4:30 pm
- 22 weekdays
- 23 ** Scheduled for weekdays only
- 24 (5) *Annual Care*
- 25 a. Full Lot 32 × 32 ~~364.50~~ 382.75
- 26 b. Partial Lot 32 × 20 ~~232.50~~ 244.25
- 27 c. Half Lot ~~182.50~~ 191.75
- 28 d. Quarter Lot ~~91.25~~ 95.75

e. Single Grave ~~36.75~~ 38.50

f. Baby Grave ~~24.50~~ 25.75

(6) *Foundations*

Size of Foundation Amount

8" × 16" ~~31.50~~ 33.00

24" × 12" ~~31.50~~ 33.00

34" × 12" ~~31.50~~ 33.00

36" × 12" ~~36.75~~ 38.50

36" × 16" ~~36.75~~ 38.50

42" × 12" ~~36.75~~ 38.50

42" × 16" ~~36.75~~ 38.50

48" × 12" ~~46.25~~ 48.50

48" × 16" ~~46.25~~ 48.50

60" × 12" ~~48.25~~ 50.75

60" × 16" ~~48.25~~ 50.75

66" × 12" ~~48.25~~ 50.75

66" × 16" ~~48.25~~ 50.75

72" × 12" ~~58.75~~ 61.75

72" × 16" ~~58.75~~ 61.75

78" × 12" ~~61.00~~ 64.00

78" × 16" ~~61.00~~ 64.00

78" × 32" ~~72.50~~ 76.25

84" × 36" ~~76.75~~ 80.50

78" × 36" ~~76.75~~ 80.50

CONTROLLED VEHICULAR PARKING AREA DECALS/PERMITS (Chapter 26, Article III, Division 4);

(1) *Residential decal/permit:*

a. Annual ~~18.50~~ 19.50

b. Replacement ~~6.25~~ 6.50

(2) *Temporary decal/permit* no charge

(3) *Commercial permit* ~~18.50~~ 19.50

(4) *Visitor permit* no charge

(5) *Fraternity/sorority meal decal* ~~18.50~~ 19.50

(6) *Service permit* ~~18.50~~ 19.50

(7) *Fee to appeal revocation* ~~121.50~~ 127.50

(8) *Fee for reinstatement after revocation* ~~121.50~~ 127.50

FIRE/RESCUE:

(1) *Fire alarm operators:*

Application for fire alarm or annual renewal application ~~15.75~~ 16.50

Application for fire alarm or annual renewal for integrated fire and burglar alarm system
0.00

(Note: proportionately adjusted for initial periods exceeding one year (section 10-32))

(2) *False alarms:*

First with valid permit 0.00

First without valid permit, or second with valid permit, each ~~117.50~~ 123.50

Third and fourth, each ~~117.50~~ 123.50

Fifth, sixth and seventh, each ~~270.00~~ 283.50

Eighth and above, each ~~680.00~~ 714.00

(Note: reduced to ~~\$10.50~~ 11.00 if false fire alarm caused by system malfunction and proof of timely service/repair is submitted to the fire department (section 10-33(d))

Non-permitted system, additional fee ~~220.50~~ 231.50

(Note: reduced to ~~\$55.25~~ 58.00 if application filed within 10 days (section 10-33)

Fire alarm permit reinstatement fee after revocation (section 10-34) ~~55.25~~ 58.00

Failure to respond when requested by the fire department (section 10-36) ~~55.25~~ 58.00

Resetting of an activated fire alarm prior to arrival of fire department and approval for resetting ~~137.75~~ 144.75

- 1 Failure to deactivate fire alarm within 15 minutes (section 10-37) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 2 (3) *Prohibited devices:*
- 3 Automatic dialing device (section 10-41 (a)) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 4 One Plus Panic Alarm or single-action switch (section 10-41(b) and (c)) ~~55.25~~ 58.00
- 5 Auxiliary power supply less than four-hour minimum (section 10-42) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 6 (4) *Fire alarm monitoring companies:*
- 7 Annual registration fee (section 10-38) ~~110.25~~ 115.75
- 8 Failure to register or to maintain records for one year (section 10-42) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 9 Failure to monitor in accordance with the Florida Fire Prevention Code (section 10-38)
- 10 ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 11 Failure to verify alarm (section 10-39) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 12 (5) *Fire alarm system contractors:*
- 13 Annual registration fee (section 10-40(a)) ~~110.25~~ 115.75
- 14 Failure to register annually (section 10-40(a)); failure to meet UL or NFPA 72 standards
- 15 (section 10-40(d)); activation of unpermitted fire alarm (section 10-40(e)) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 16 Causing false fire alarm during servicing or inspection—each violation (section 10-60(f))
- 17 ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 18 Installation, maintenance, repair, alteration or servicing by unregistered contractor, each
- 19 violation (section 21-40(b)) ~~137.75~~ 144.75
- 20 Failure to furnish agents with identification cards, each violation (section 10-40(c)) ~~55.25~~
- 21 58.00
- 22 Failure to provide fire alarm operators with permit applications, each violation (section 10-
- 23 40(g)) ~~55.25~~ 58.00
- 24 (6) *Fire inspection* (Chapter 10)
- 25 square footage of inspected structure:
- 26 0—3,000 ~~60.00~~ 63.00
- 27 Over 3,000—5,000 ~~70.00~~ 73.50
- 28 Over 5,000—10,000 ~~80.00~~ 84.00
- 29 Over 10,000—50,000 ~~90.00~~ 94.50
- 30 Over 50,000—100,000 ~~100.00~~ 105.00

- 1 Over 100,000—150,000 ~~110.00~~ 115.50
- 2 Over 150,000—200,000 ~~120.00~~ 126.00
- 3 Over 200,000 ~~150.00~~ 157.50
- 4 (7) Burning leaves, brush, clean wood or other vegetative debris § 10-60(2)
- 5 Residential, per event ~~50.00~~ 52.50
- 6 Commercial, per event ~~100.00~~ 105.00
- 7 (8) Annual burning permit for each burn barrel and/or outdoor wood-fired boiler § 10-60(4)
- 8 ~~50.00~~ 52.50
- 9 (9) Pyrotechnic display § 10-60(8) ~~100.00~~ 105.00
- 10 HOME OCCUPATION PERMIT:
- 11 An application for a permit shall be submitted for each home occupation (section 30-58).
- 12 1) Initial filing fee, per application submitted, per application ~~66.25~~ 69.50
- 13 2) Permit processing fee, annually per permit ~~11.00~~ 11.50
- 14 3) Reinspection fee, per permit (required every three years) ~~55.25~~ 58.00
- 15 PEDDLERS, SOLICITORS AND CANVASSERS:
- 16 *Annual Spring Arts Festival* (§ 19-1):
- 17 a. Permit application fee (nonrefundable) ~~6.25~~ 6.50
- 18 b. Permit to authorize exhibition in the designated competitive area ~~24.50~~ 25.75
- 19 c. Permit to authorize exhibition in the designated noncompetitive area ~~12.25~~ 12.75
- 20 Vending booth permit (§ 19-92) ~~58.00~~ 61.00
- 21 Itinerant food vendor permit (§ 19-92) ~~58.00~~ 61.00
- 22 POLICE:
- 23 *Burglar alarm operators:*
- 24 Application for alarm or annual renewal application ~~18.50~~ 19.50
- 25 Note: Proportionately adjusted for initial periods exceeding one year (§ 21.52)
- 26 First false alarm with valid permit ~~No cost~~ 0.00
- 27 First false alarm without valid permit or second false alarm, each ~~60.00~~ 63.00
- 28 Third and fourth false alarms, each ~~60.00~~ 63.00

1 Fifth and sixth false alarms, each ~~115.75~~ 121.50

2 Seventh and eighth false alarms, each ~~231.50~~ 243.00

3 Ninth and above false alarms, each ~~463.00~~ 486.25

4 False alarm from non-permitted system, additional fee* ~~231.50~~ 243.00

5 *Note: Reduced to \$~~55.25~~ 58.00 if application filed within ten days and issued within
6 ten days thereafter (§ 21-53)

7 Alarm permit reinstatement fee after revocation (§ 21-54) ~~58.00~~ 61.00

8 Failure to respond when requested by police (§ 21-56) ~~58.00~~ 61.00

9 Failure to deactivate alarm within 15 minutes (§ 21-57) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

10 Prohibited devices:

11 Automatic dialing device (§ 21-61(a)) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

12 "One Plus Panic Alarm" or single-action switch (§ 21-61(b) and (c)) ~~58.00~~ 61.00

13 Auxiliary power supply less than four-hour minimum (§ 21-62) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

14 *Burglar alarm monitoring companies:*

15 Annual registration fee (§ 21-58) ~~115.75~~ 121.50

16 Failure to register or to maintain records for one year (§ 21-58) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

17 Failure to verify alarm (§ 21-59) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

18 *Burglar alarm system contractors:*

19 Annual registration fee (§ 21-60(a)) ~~115.75~~ 121.50

20 Failure to register annually (§ 21-60(a)) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

21 Failure to meet UL or ANSI standards (§ 21-60(d)) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

22 Activation of unpermitted alarm (§ 21-60(e)) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

23 Causing false alarm during servicing or inspection, each violation (§ 21-60(f)) ~~144.75~~
24 152.00

25 Installation, maintenance, repair, alteration or servicing by unregistered contractor,
26 each violation (§ 21-60(b)) ~~144.75~~ 152.00

27 Failure to furnish agents with identification cards (§ 21-60(c)) ~~58.00~~ 61.00

28 Failure to provide operators with permit application - each violation (§ 21-60(g))
29 ~~58.00~~ 61.00

1 *Burglar alarm systems:*

2 Assessment fee per false alarm ~~12.25~~ 12.75

3 *Roam towing:*

4 Trespass towing application process fee (section 14.5-2629(a)(6))

5 a. Properties 1—5, each ~~51.75~~ 54.25

6 b. Properties 6—10, each ~~38.50~~ 40.50

7 c. Properties 11—15, each ~~33.00~~ 34.75

8 d. Properties 16—20, each ~~27.50~~ 29.00

9 e. Properties 20 or more, each ~~16.50~~ 17.25

10 *Registration—Owners, operators and vehicles:*

11 (a) Owners and vehicles ~~No charge~~ 0.00

12 (b) Operators permit ~~10.50~~ 11.00

13 (c) Replacement permits 1/2 permit fee

14 *Immobilization:*

15 a. Annual permit fee ~~288.75~~ 303.25

16 b. Late penalty, annual payment not timely filed, per month ~~26.25~~ 27.50

17 c. Operator permit, per year ~~10.50~~ 11.00

18 d. Replacement permit 1/2 permit fee

19 e. Vehicle (Medallion) permit, biennially ~~26.25~~ 27.50

20 f. Removal ~~63.00~~ 66.25

21 REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIPS:

22 *Filing fee for declaration of registered domestic partnership*

23 City residents ~~10.50~~ 11.00

24 Noncity residents ~~21.00~~ 22.00

25 *Fee for amending or terminating the declaration of registered domestic partnership*

26 City residents ~~10.50~~ 11.00

27 Noncity residents ~~21.00~~ 22.00

28 SECONDHAND GOODS:

1 *Secondhand dealers—Jewelry, metal, coins:*

2 a. Permit (§ 22-18):

3 1. Initial issuance ~~61.00~~ 64.00

4 2. Renewal ~~30.75~~ 32.25

5 b. Change of location (§ 22-19) ~~12.25~~ 12.75

6 STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES:

7 (1) *Permit for congregating on streets and sidewalks* (§ ~~23-42(b)(2)~~ 26-189) ~~30.75~~ 32.25

8 ~~Driveway permits for new construction of a residential home shall not be required; the~~
9 ~~cost is included in the building permit.~~

10 (2) *Permit to remove, construct, alter curb, driveway, gutter, etc. (excluding new*
11 *residential construction)* (§ 23-89(b)):

12 a. First driveway ~~30.75~~ 32.25

13 b. Each additional driveway ~~6.25~~ 6.50

14 TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES:

15 (1) *Parking violations* (§ 26-46(d)(4)):

16 a. Parking in a metered space, the meter for which is expired ~~17.00~~ 17.75

17 b. Unlawfully parking on private property ~~38.00~~ 40.00

18 c. Unlawfully parking in any tow-away zone, except as otherwise herein stated
19 ~~47.00~~ 49.25

20 d. Unlawfully parking in a space, including the access area, provided for the
21 disabled, either by governmental or nongovernmental entities ~~247.00~~

22 e. Unlawfully parking in a fire hydrant or fire station safety zone ~~54.00~~ 30.00, plus a
23 \$3.00 surcharge ~~(to be used for fund firefighter training programs pursuant to and~~
24 ~~as authorized by (per section 316.008(5), F.S.) for all fire hydrant and fire station~~
25 ~~safety zone parking violations.~~

26 f. All other violations, including parking in a space for a time longer than lawfully
27 permitted in the parking space ~~27.00~~ 28.25

28 (2) *Parking in fire lanes* (§ 26-47.1) ~~47.00~~ 49.25, plus a \$3.00 surcharge to fund
29 firefighter training programs (per § 316.008(5), F.S.) ~~3.00~~

30 (3) In addition to any other fee or charge required under subsections (1) and (2) above, a
31 \$3.00 surcharge shall be assessed for each violation to fund the school crossing guard
32 program.

(4) Parking in the Central City District in violation of § 26-50.1 ~~121.50~~ 127.50

(5) In addition to any other fee, charge or cost required under subsection (1), (2), (3) and (4) above and (8) below, \$2.00 shall be assessed as court costs for each court contested infraction to fund criminal justice education degree programs and training courses, including basic recruit training as authorized by F.S. §§ 318.18(11) and 938.15.

(6) Delinquent administrative fees (§ 26-46(d)):

Administrative fees not paid within:

a. Seven calendar days of citation being issued or, within four days, excluding weekends and holidays, of denial of an affidavit of explanation, whichever is later ~~10.00~~ 10.50

b. Fourteen calendar days of citation being issued ~~25.00~~ 26.25

Delinquency fees referenced in (6)a. and (6)b. are cumulative.

(7) An administrative fee of \$63.00 shall be assessed for the costs associated with booting/immobilizing a vehicle that has three or more unpaid parking tickets (§ 26-53).

UTILITIES:

(2) *Solid waste and recyclables:*

a. Residential service (§ 27-76):

1. Redemption of impounded containers:

(i) First impoundment, per container 5.00

(ii) Subsequent impoundments within 12 months from the same place, per container 10.00

2. Rates:

(i) Uniform curbside service for each single family residence or dwelling unit or living unit, or multifamily unit (any building containing two but not more than four permanent living units) or mobile home unit, per month:

18 gallon cart ~~14.53~~ 15.25

35 gallon cart ~~18.90~~ 19.75

64 gallon cart ~~23.25~~ 24.50

96 gallon cart ~~29.06~~ 30.50

(ii) Other charges:

1 Account set up charge 10.00
 2 Pre-paid approved bag, each, not to exceed 2.25
 3 Exchange of cart for larger size 12.00
 4 Exchange of cart for smaller size ~~no charge~~ 0.00
 5 Fixed cost of service per month (for computing vacation credit) 5.00
 6 (iii) Backyard service, per month:
 7 18 gallon cart ~~24.41~~ 25.75
 8 35 gallon cart ~~28.42~~ 29.75
 9 64 gallon cart ~~34.56~~ 36.25
 10 96 gallon cart ~~42.35~~ 44.50
 11 VEHICLES FOR HIRE
 12 Franchise fee/per year (section 28-5) ~~289.50~~ 304.00
 13 Medallion/permit (biennially - per vehicle) ~~26.25~~ 27.50
 14 Individual driver permit fee (new, transfers and renewals) ~~21.00~~ 22.00
 15 Individual driver permit fee (duplicates for lost, stolen or destroyed ~~11.50~~ 12.00
 16 Airport rates and charges (annual — per vehicle): As established by Resolution of the
 17 Gainesville Alachua County Regional Airport Authority.
 18 Late penalty, annual report, payment not timely filed, incomplete or inaccurate (section 28-
 19 5), per month ~~26.25~~ 27.50
 20 VENDING: (Note to codifier: these fees have been moved to the appropriate chapter, refer to
 21 page 9, lines 20 and 21 of this ordinance.)
 22 ~~Vending booth permit (§ 19-92) 58.00~~
 23 ~~Itinerant food vendor permit (§ 19-92) 58.00~~
 24