



City of Cleveland
Justin M. Bibb, Mayor

PERMIT FEES

Right-Of-Way Permits

MAYOR'S OFFICE OF CAPITAL PROJECTS
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Table 1: ROW Obstruction Permit Fees

		Central Business District	Other Commercial	Residential
Sidewalk Area ¹ Only	Partial	\$25/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$85/month/20 linear feet	\$12.50/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$44.50/month/20 linear feet	\$20/month
	Entire	\$50/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$190/month/20 linear feet	\$25/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$85/month/20 linear feet	\$20/month
Street (may include Sidewalk Area)	Partial	\$50/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$190/month/20 linear feet	\$25/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$85/month/20 linear feet	\$20/month
	Entire	\$100/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$380/month/20 linear feet	\$50/week/20 linear feet up to 4 weeks then \$190/month/20 linear feet	\$20/month
Dumpster or Portable Storage Unit		\$20/month and \$50 inspection		\$20/month
Bus Parking		\$50/bus/day		
Special Events	City or qualifying CDC Sponsored	\$0		
	Non-City Sponsored	\$100		
	Block Party	\$25		
	Film or Photography	\$20/location		

Table 2: ROW Excavation Permit Fees

	Small Project	Large Project ²
Sidewalk Area Only	\$45 for 1-200 square feet or single residential parcel, \$90 for 201-1,000 square feet, \$135 for 1,001-5,000 square feet, or \$225 for >5,000 square feet	
Street Only ³	\$313 for first 200 square feet then \$43 for each additional 200 square feet	
Inspection	\$195/month	\$260/month
Earth Retention System or Elevated Bridge Engineer Review	\$4,000/site	

¹ Sidewalk Area is edge of pavement/curb to property line, includes curb, tree lawn, apron, and sidewalk

² Large projects include townhouse/apartments ≥4 units, multiple commercial buildings, or commercial ≥0.5 acres

³ Include required 2 feet overcut in measurements and calculations



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Table 3: ROW General Permit Fees

Cancelation	\$0
Expedite	\$50
Refund	\$25
Modification Prior to Use	\$0

Table 4: Overweight/Oversize Vehicle Movement Permit Fees

		Active Permit	Continuous Permit
Processing		\$29	\$110/month or \$1,200/year up to 1 year
Overweight		\$15 for 80,001-120,000 pounds or \$30 for >120,000 pounds	\$60 for 80,001-120,000 pounds
Oversize	Overlength	\$15 for ≥80 feet	\$60 for ≥80 feet
	Overwidth	\$15 for ≥13 feet	\$60 for ≥13 feet
	Overheight	\$29 for ≥14.5 feet	\$116 for ≥14.5 feet
Return Trip		\$15	\$0

Table 5: Other ROW Permit Type Fees

	New (or Renewal with Changes)	Renewal
Outdoor Patios and Parklets	\$200	\$100
Streetscapes	\$150 and \$10/amenity or \$0 for public bike rack	\$100 and \$10/amenity or \$0 for public bike rack
Decorative Street Painting	\$20	Not Applicable
Newspaper Dispensing Devices	\$25/device	
ROW Contractor Registration	\$100	
Service Provider Registration	\$0	