

103I.208 NOTIFICATION FILING FEES AND PERMIT FEES.

Subdivision 1. **Well notification fee.** The well notification fee to be paid by a property owner is:

(1) for a new water supply well, \$235, which includes the state core function fee;

(2) for a well sealing, \$65 for each well, which includes the state core function fee, except that for monitoring wells constructed on a single property, having depths within a 25 foot range, and sealed within 48 hours of start of construction, a single fee of \$65; and

(3) for construction of a dewatering well, \$235, which includes the state core function fee, for each dewatering well except a dewatering project comprising five or more dewatering wells shall be assessed a single fee of \$1,175 for the dewatering wells recorded on the notification.

Subd. 1a. **State core function fee.** The state core function fee to be collected by the state and delegated community health boards and used to support state core functions is:

(1) for a new well, \$20; and

(2) for a well sealing, \$5.

Subd. 2. **Permit fee.** The permit fee to be paid by a property owner is:

(1) for a water supply well that is not in use under a maintenance permit, \$175 annually;

(2) for construction of a monitoring well, \$235, which includes the state core function fee;

(3) for a monitoring well that is unsealed under a maintenance permit, \$175 annually;

(4) for a monitoring well owned by a federal agency, state agency, or local unit of government that is unsealed under a maintenance permit, \$50 annually. "Local unit of government" means a statutory or home rule charter city, town, county, or soil and water conservation district, watershed district, an organization formed for the joint exercise of powers under section 471.59, a community health board, or other special purpose district or authority with local jurisdiction in water and related land resources management;

(5) for monitoring wells used as a leak detection device at a single motor fuel retail outlet, a single petroleum bulk storage site excluding tank farms, or a single agricultural chemical facility site, the construction permit fee is \$235, which includes the state core function fee, per site regardless of the number of wells constructed on the site, and the annual fee for a maintenance permit for unsealed monitoring wells is \$175 per site regardless of the number of monitoring wells located on site;

(6) for a groundwater thermal exchange device, in addition to the notification fee for water supply wells, \$235, which includes the state core function fee;

(7) for a bored geothermal heat exchanger with less than ten tons of heating/cooling capacity, \$235;

(8) for a bored geothermal heat exchanger with ten to 50 tons of heating/cooling capacity, \$475;

(9) for a bored geothermal heat exchanger with greater than 50 tons of heating/cooling capacity, \$700;

(10) for a dewatering well that is unsealed under a maintenance permit, \$175 annually for each dewatering well, except a dewatering project comprising more than five dewatering wells shall be issued a single permit for \$875 annually for dewatering wells recorded on the permit; and

(11) for an elevator boring, \$235 for each boring.

History: *1989 c 326 art 3 s 10; 1990 c 597 s 34; 1991 c 355 s 24; 1994 c 557 s 21; 1997 c 203 art 2 s 5; 1998 c 407 art 2 s 23; 1999 c 247 s 1; 1Sp2001 c 9 art 1 s 5,6; 2002 c 379 art 1 s 113; 2005 c 106 s 24,25; 1Sp2005 c 4 art 6 s 3,4; 2007 c 147 art 16 s 3,4; 2009 c 79 art 10 s 1; 1Sp2011 c 9 art 2 s 6,7; 2013 c 108 art 12 s 108; 2015 c 21 art 1 s 109*