



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#20-0618

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: September 15, 2020

TITLE: First Reading - Ordinance Amending Section 28-51 of the City's Code of Ordinances - Permit Classifications, Application; Deleting the Existing Fee for Outside Sanitary Sewer Service Construction Permits and Providing a Reference to the New Fee in Section 25-325(i) of the City's Code of Ordinances - **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt, on first reading, an Ordinance amending Section 28-51 of the City's Code of Ordinances deleting the existing fee for Outside Sanitary Sewer Service construction permits and providing a reference to the newly adopted fee in Section 25-325(i) of the City's Code of Ordinances.

Background

At the September 1, 2020 City Commission meeting Ordinance C-20-29 was adopted on second reading amending Chapter 25 to establish new fees for the review and inspection of construction permits for work within the rights-of-way and other support services provided by the engineering divisions of the Department of Sustainable Development through a study by the City's financial consultant, Matrix Consulting Group.

This Ordinance is to reconcile a conflict between the proposed engineering permit fees and the existing Code of Ordinances.

The proposed amendments would delete the existing permit fee for the installation of Outside Sanitary Sewer Services in Section 28-51 and reference Section 25-325(i) of the Code of Ordinances that establishes the newly adopted fee for that permit type.

If the City Commission approves this item, the proposed effective date for the Code amendments is October 21, 2020.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Internal Support Focus Area
- Goal 8: Be a leading government organization, managing our resources wisely and sustainably
- Objective 1: Maintain prudent fiscal management

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035* Vision Plan: We are United.

Attachment

Exhibit 1 - Ordinance

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