

MONTGOMERY COUNTY EXECUTIVE REGULATION

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Subject
Annual Apartment License – Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3

Originating Department
Department of Housing and Community Affairs

Number
18-25T

Effective Date
April 25, 2025

Department of Housing and Community Affairs Montgomery County Temporary Regulation on:

ESTABLISHMENT OF ANNUAL RENTAL FACILITY LICENSE FEES FOR PROCESSING CLASS 1, CLASS 2 AND CLASS 3 APARTMENT LICENSES

Issued by: County Executive
COMCOR 29.20.01
Authority: Code Section 29-20
Supersedes: Executive Regulation 3-25

Council Review Method (3) Under Code Section 2A-15

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SUMMARY: The temporary regulation revises the annual license fee charged per dwelling unit

for Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 rental housing licenses.

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COMCOR 29.20.01 Establishment of Annual Rental Facility License Fees

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COMCOR 29.20.01.02 Fees.

- (a) The annual license fees for rental dwelling units are hereby established as follows:
 - (1) For a Class 1 multi-family rental facility license \$76.00 per dwelling unit in an apartment complex or an accessory apartment approved by special exception and \$73.00 per dwelling unit for all others.
 - (2) For a Class 2 single-family rental facility license \$130.00 per dwelling unit.
 - (3) For a Class 3 accessory apartment license \$125.00 per unit.
- (b) The annual license fee shall not be prorated and must be made payable to Montgomery County, Maryland.
- (c) Failure to obtain a rental facility license is a Class A violation under Section 1-19 of the Montgomery County Code.
- (d) In addition to the annual license fee, the following fees for a Class 3 accessory apartment license are hereby established as follows:
 - (1) The application filing fee is \$260.00 of which \$130.00 is refundable if the Director finds the proposed accessory apartment does not meet the requirements of the zoning ordinance prior to the Department's inspection of the proposed accessory apartment to ascertain whether it complies with Chapter 26 of the Montgomery County Code.
 - (2) The sign fee is \$230.00 of which \$115.00 is refundable if the sign is returned to the Department within 15 days of the end of the posting period.
 - (A) The sign fee is not refundable if the sign is not returned or is returned but damaged.



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- (B) If the sign is lost during the posting period, the original sign fee of \$230.00 will not be refunded and a new sign fee of \$230.00 will be charged.
- (3) The fee for the transfer of an accessary apartment license is \$250.00.

Approved:

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