



TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL

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Legislation Text

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Amend the Town's Planning and Development Services Fee Schedule to Add a Fee for Wireless Facilities Applications.

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Planning and Development Services

Overview: Legislation passed by the North Carolina General Assembly (HB310) on July 21, 2017 requires that local governments limit the payment for consultant review of small cell wireless facilities in public rights-of-way to \$500. The Town's existing fee for wireless consultant technical review is \$1,000. The proposed change would correct this fee discrepancy. The fee schedule amendment is necessary for the Town to collect the statutorily allowable fee and be able to pay the consultant to provide technical review of wireless applications.



Recommendation(s):

That the Council amend the fee schedule to add a fee for Wireless Facilities Applications.

Fiscal Impact/Resources: No fiscal impact, as fees collected are transferred to consultant. Technical review by wireless consultant provides important resource support to staff for this type of review which we expect to be increasing in the future.



Attachments:

- Resolution

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES FEE SCHEDULE
ADOPTED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-18. (2018-03-07/R-3)**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that the Council hereby adopts the following addition as an amendment to the Planning and Development Services user fee policies and schedules as adopted on June 12, 2017, as follows:

Wireless Communications Facility:

Facility in Right-Of-Way, Consultant review \$500

This the 7th day of March, 2018.

The Agenda will reflect the text below and/or the motion text will be used during the meeting.

By adopting the resolution, the Council amends the Fiscal Year 2017-18 fee schedule to add a \$500 fee for Wireless Facilities Applications.