



Wastewater Program Fee Summary: Effective 7/1/2015
[All fees adopted by the Vermont State Legislature: Title 3 VSA, Section 2822](#)

| Permit/Discharge Description | Fee Category | Application Type | Fee (per gallon) ** | Min. Fee (per outfall) | Max Fee (per permit/application) |
|--|--------------------|---|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| * Administrative Processing Fee | Administrative | * | N/A | \$240 per permit/application | |
| Municipal Discharges | Application Review | Original, amendment for increased flows, or amendment for change in treatment process | \$0.003 | \$100 | \$30,000 |
| | | Renewal, transfer or minor amendment | \$0.002 | \$50 | \$5,000 |
| | Annual Operating | Municipal discharges | \$0.003 | \$200 | \$12,500 |
| Industrial Noncontact Cooling Water and Thermal Discharges | Application Review | Original, amendment for increased flows, or amendment for change in treatment process | \$0.003 | \$100 | \$30,000 |
| | | Renewal, transfer or minor amendment | \$0.002 | \$50 | \$5,000 |
| | Annual Operating | Industrial, noncontact cooling water and thermal discharges | \$0.0015 | \$200 | \$210,000 |
| Pretreatment | Application Review | Original, amendment for increased flows or amendment for change in treatment process | \$0.20 | \$100 | N/A |
| | | Renewal, transfer or minor amendment | \$0.002 | \$50 | N/A |
| | Annual Operating | Pretreatment | \$0.04 | \$200 | \$27,500 |

*Applicable to all applications, for new/original individual permits, permit amendments (including name changes), renewals, or transfers. Includes Notice of Intent (NOI) applications for authorization under a general permit (authorizations under a general permit do not have application review or annual operating fees).

** **Application Review fees** are per gallon of design flow; **Annual Operating fees** are per gallon of permitted flow

Refund Policy for administrative processing fees and application review fees.

- If an application is modified, withdrawn or denied after technical review has commenced; all fees are retained.
- If an application is withdrawn prior to administrative review; all fees will be refunded.
- If an application is withdrawn after administrative review but prior to commencement of technical review, deemed administratively incomplete and returned to applicant, or determined that a permit is not required; administrative fees are retained, and application review fees will be refunded.

