Joint Permit Application Fees

State Fees, Federal Fees, Minor Project (MP) Categories, and General Permit (GP) Categories

STATE FEES

A fee, in accordance with the following fee schedule, shall be submitted to the Water Resources Division (WRD) with all permit applications for projects located on an inland lake or stream, a Great Lake, or within a wetland or floodplain regulated by Part 301, Inland Lakes and Streams; Part 303, Wetlands Protection; Part 325, Great Lakes Submerged Lands; the Floodplain Regulatory Authority found in Part 31, Water Resources Protection; Part 315, Dam Safety; Part 353, Sand Dunes Protection and Management; or Part 323, Shorelands Protection and Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA). Fees are not cumulative, with the exception of dam and critical dune projects. The highest of all other fees will be charged. Final fee determination will be based upon the final administrative review of the plans and specifications provided with the permit application. The applicant will then be notified if additional fees are required.

CATEGORY	FEE
Preapplication meetings for Parts 301, 303, or 353 (see www.Michigan.gov/JointPermit for information on preapplication meetings)	$0 to $1,100
All projects not covered below.	$500
GENERAL PERMIT CATEGORIES issued under Part 301, Part 303, and Part 325	$50
MINOR PROJECT CATEGORIES is issued under Part 31, Part 301, Part 303, and Part 325	$100
MINOR PROJECT CATEGORIES issued under Part 31	$50
Transfer of an existing permit responsibility, coverage, and liability (Part 303)	$250
Minor revision to an existing permit that does not increase the overall effect to wetlands and that is within the original scope (Part 303)	$250
Minor revision to an existing permit that does not increase the overall resource impacts and that is within the original scope (Parts 301 and 325) See General Permit Categories	$50
Marina Construction, Expansion, or Reconfiguration Projects under Parts 301 or 325:	
• Expansion or Reconfiguration of 1-10 slips	$50
• New marina of 1-10 slips	$100
• Expansion or Reconfiguration of 11-50 slips	$250
• New marina of 11-50 slips	$500
• New, expansion, or reconfiguration of over 50 slips	$10/additional slip
• Existing marina maintenance dredging of 10,000 cubic yards or more; the addition of seawalls, bulkheads, or revetments of 500 feet or more	$1,500
Major Projects: Categories as listed below under Parts 301, 303, or 325	$2,000
• Dredging of 10,000 cubic yards or more (wetlands excepted)	
• Seawalls, bulkheads, or revetments of 500 feet or more in length	
• New commercial docks or wharves of 300 feet or more in length	
• Stream relocations of 500 feet or more in length	
• Filling of 10,000 cubic yards or more (wetlands included)	
• New dredging or upland boat basin excavation in suspected contamination areas	
• Filling or draining of 1 acre or more of contiguous coastal or inland wetland	
• Stream enclosures of 100 feet or more in length	
• Subdivisions, condominiums, or new golf courses	
• Shore projection that extends 150 feet or more into a lake or stream	
Critical Dune Area Projects under Part 353 (fees for Part 353 are in addition to other fees listed):	
• Decks with a cumulative area of 225 square feet or smaller	$150
• Removal of blow sand to maintain an existing use (5 year permit); installation of retaining walls or other erosion protection devices up to 100 feet in cumulative length; removal of more than two but less than ten trees, not related to a commercial logging activity; decks greater than a cumulative area of 225 square feet	$250
• A request to modify an existing permit that has not expired	$250
• Additions, garages, gazebos, and storage buildings; retaining walls and erosion protection devices larger than 100 feet in cumulative length; parking areas not associated with a special-use project; new, replacement, or maintenance of utilities for a single-family home, including a septic system; removal of ten or more trees, not related to a commercial logging activity; expansion of any road or driveway; demolition or removal of a building.	$600
• All other uses not listed, including: construction of a single-family home and associated infrastructure; construction of each additional home, cottage or guest dwelling on one property; relocation of a single-family home and associated infrastructure; construction of a driveway serving 1 single-family home	$1,300
• An industrial or commercial use where the area of impact will be no larger than 1/3 of an acre	$2,000
• Construction of a road or driveway if the road or driveway has the potential to serve a multi-family development of more than 2 homes or to serve a special-use project; an industrial or commercial use where the area of impact will be larger than 1/3 of an acre; a multi-family use of more than 3 acres; a multi-family use of 3 acres or less if the density of use is greater than 4 individual residences per acre; a project that would damage or destroy features of archaeological or historical significance	$4,000
• An Application for Special Exception (in addition to the above fees)	$2,000
High Risk Erosion Area Projects under Part 323:	
• Additions to an existing single-family home, garage, septic system	$50
• Construction of a single-family home, other single-family building, or building relocation	$100
• Construction of a commercial or multi-family residential project	$500
Hydraulic review fee charged to Floodplain Projects where engineering computations are required to assess the impact of a proposed floodplain alteration on flood stage or discharge characteristics (this is in addition to the required application fee)	$1,500
Dam Projects under Part 315 (fees for Part 315 are in addition to the fees listed above):	
• Dam height of 6 feet or more, but less than 10 feet	$500
• Dam height of 10 feet or more, but less than 20 feet.	$1,000
• Dam height of 20 feet or more	$3,000
• Dam repair, alteration, removal, or abandonment	$200
• MINOR PROJECTS pursuant to Section 27(1)	$100

The Joint Permit Application is to be submitted online through the MiEnviro database. Statute, administrative rule, and MP/GP category information may be downloaded at hyperlinks above and at www.Michigan.gov/JointPermit or by contacting the WRD.

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FEDERAL FEES

All activities within the waters of the United States regulated by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) under the authority of Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. 403) and associated waters under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344) may also require a permit from the USACE. The USACE will notify you of the appropriate federal filing fee once their permit application review has been completed and a preliminary determination has been made that an USACE permit will be required. Fees are assessed as follows:

CATEGORY	FEE
• Commercial or industrial users	$100
• Noncommercial users	$10

DO NOT SUBMIT ANY FEE TO THE USACE UNTIL YOU ARE NOTIFIED OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNT.

NOTE: The federal filing fee paid to the USACE is separate and additive from any fee required by the State of Michigan.