

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PERMIT FEES
FOR SEPTIC SYSTEM INSTALLATION OR REPAIR
ORDINANCE NO. 90- 4

WHEREAS, there exists in the County of Martin a need for an ordinance providing for the establishment of a septic system installation or repair; and

WHEREAS, The Martin County Commissioners deem it desirable to provide for the permitting and for the collection and disposition of such fees for inspection;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MARTIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, as follows:

SECTION 1:

That before commencement of construction of any building where a residential or commercial on-site sewage disposal system or privy is to be installed or where any alteration, repair or addition to an existing sewage disposal system is planned or required, the owner or agent of the owner shall first obtain a written permit signed by the Martin County Health Officer. The application for such permit shall be made on a form approved by the Indiana State Board of Health, which application shall be supplemented by any plans, specifications and other information as deemed necessary by the Martin County Health Officer. The County Health Officer may require that plans and specifications for a residential sewage disposal system be submitted to the Indiana State Board of Health for approval and shall require this for a commercial on-site sewage disposal system.

SECTION 2:

A fee of Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars shall be paid for a residential sewage disposal permit application and a fee of Forty (\$40.00) Dollars shall be paid for a commercial on-site sewage disposal system.

SECTION 3:

If the residential or commercial on-site sewage disposal system has not been constructed, installed, altered or repaired within one (1) year from the date of the permit issuance, the application and any permit that may have been issued shall automatically be terminated.

SECTION 4:

The Martin County Health Officer shall deny an application if the information on the application is incomplete, inaccurate or indicates that the applicable standards of the Indiana State Board of Health will not be met.

SECTION 5:

A receipt shall be issued by the Martin County Health Department for each such fee collected; that the revenues so collected shall be periodically, and not less than monthly, delivered to the Auditor of Martin County. And such revenues received from the fees authorized by this Ordinance shall be deposited into the County Health Fund.

SECTION 6:

The Martin County fiscal body shall appropriate the money collected in the County Health Fund.

SECTION 7:

Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a Class C Infraction.

SECTION 8:

Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remainder of said ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 9:

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after its adoption and its publication as required by law, or July 1, 1990, whichever the later of the two dates shall be.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Martin County Commissioners of Martin County, Indiana this 14th day of May, 1990.

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VINCENT J. WILLIAMS, Commissioner

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MARTIN TOW, Commissioner

Larry R. Harding
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ATTEST:

Victor P. Crew
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