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## **Foothills Health District Fee Schedule Update**

March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

**Dear Permit Holders,**

The Foothills Health District's Board of Health voted to adopt a revised permit fee schedule during its regularly scheduled meeting on **March 11, 2026**.

The updated fee schedule includes revisions to existing permit fees and the establishment of additional administrative and late fees.

The effective dates are as follows:

- **All permit fees, including late fees, related to Title 5 shall take effect on May 1, 2026.**
- **The remainder of the fee schedule shall take effect on July 1, 2026.**

This notice is issued to inform the public and applicants of the upcoming changes to the Foothills Health District permit fees. Applicants should review the updated fee schedule before submitting applications on or after the effective dates.

Late fees will begin to be applied to **overdue** applications **one month after the fee schedule becomes effective**, as follows:

- Title 5 Late Fees: **Effective June 1, 2026**
- Re-inspection and Late Fees for all other applications: **Effective August 1, 2026**

The new fee schedule can be found attached, and on our website:

<https://www.foothillshealth.org>

Sincerely,  
Foothills Health District

# Foothills Health District -- Uniform Fee Schedule

*serving Goshen, Westhampton, Whately, Williamsburg*

All permit fees, including late fees, related to **Title 5** shall take effect on **May 1, 2026**.

The **remainder** of the fee schedule shall take effect on **July 1, 2026**.

Permit Application	Fee
<b>Title 5</b>	
<b>Witnessing</b>	
Title 5 Inspection	\$175
Perc Test	\$300 for the first 3hrs, +\$100/each additional hour in increments of 15 minutes
<b>DSCP</b>	
New Construction	\$350
Repair	
Component Repair	\$150
<b>Septic Installer</b>	
Per Town	\$150
<i>Regional</i>	\$525
<b>Septic Hauler</b>	
Per Town	\$150
<i>Regional</i>	\$525
<b>Late Fees (will not be prorated)</b>	
Failure to submit Title 5 Official Report (30 Days) & Soil Suitability/Perc Test (60 Days)	\$50/month
Failure to submit required documentation for CoC (30 Days post BoH approval for final cover)	\$100/month
<b>Well</b>	
Construction/Decommission	\$200

<b>Trash Hauler</b>	
Per Town	\$250
<i>Regional</i>	\$925
<b>Body Art</b>	
Body Art Establishment	\$200
Body Art Artist	\$100
Body Art Apprentice	\$50
Body Art Guest Artist	\$50
<b>Recreation</b>	
Pool/Spa (Public & Semi-Public)	\$200
Bathing Beach (Public & Semi-Public)	\$200
Commercial Family Campground	\$200
Recreational Camp for Children	\$300
<b>Tanning</b>	
Tanning Establishment	\$200
<b>Lodging</b>	
Cabin, Motel, Inn, Lodging House, & Trailer Park	\$150
Bed & Breakfast	\$100
<b>Tobacco</b>	
Tobacco Sales	\$200
<b>Food</b>	
Food Service Establishment	\$250
Retail Food Establishment	\$100
Residential/Cottage Food Establishment	\$125
Bed & Breakfast	\$100
Religious Organization/Non-Profit Food Establishment*	\$100
<i>*Organizations fully complying with M.G.L. c. 94, § 328 (Good Samaritan Food Law) are exempt from paying fee, but STILL need a food permit</i>	
Seasonal Food Service Establishment	\$125
Milk Pasteurization Facility	\$50
Cider Mill	\$100
Frozen Dairy Dessert	\$100
Catering	\$100

<b>Mobile Food Unit/Push Cart</b>	
Per Town	\$100
<i>Regional</i>	\$325
<b>Temporary Food</b>	
Temporary Food Event	\$75
Application Late fee ( <i>Application must be submitted no later than 10 days before the event or fee applies</i> )	\$50
<b>Housing</b>	
MRVP, Section 8, Pre-Rental, etc.	\$100
Court Filing Fee - Criminal	\$100
Court Filing Fee - TRO	\$150
Court No Show	\$100
Occupancy after Condemnation Without Inspection	\$500
Occupancy after No Occupancy Agreement Signed	\$500
<b>Funeral Homes</b>	
Funeral Director	\$75
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	
Beaver Removal	\$75
Demolition Permit/Inspection Fee	\$100
<b>Re-inspection/Late Fees (will not be prorated)</b>	
Second & subsequent re-inspections (Any re-inspection needed after the initial re-inspection)	\$100
Failure to renew annual permit by December 31 <sup>st</sup> .  Failure to obtain seasonal or any other applicable permit before operating.	\$100/first 30 days + \$200/each month subsequent