

SOUTHEAST METRO STORMWATER AUTHORITY  
acting by and through  
SEMSWA WATER ACTIVITY ENTERPRISE

RESOLUTION 23-18  
Adoption of Revised SEMSWA Fee Schedule

WHEREAS, on September 21, 2016, pursuant to Resolution 16-26, the SEMSWA Board of Directors adopted a Budget Policy whereby the Board will annually adjust the Annual Stormwater Fee Schedule, hereinafter "Fee Schedule", to account for the effects of inflation on SEMSWA's annual budget; and

WHEREAS, the three-year average of the Denver-Aurora-Lakewood Consumer Price Index (CPI) for 2020, 2021, and 2022 is 4.501%; and

WHEREAS, on June 24, 2009, the Board of Directors of SEMSWA acting by and through SEMSWA Water Activity Enterprise, passed Resolution 09-20, which adopted and authorized the implementation of the System Development Fee (SDF) Policy, including an SDF Schedule for the watersheds in the SEMSWA service area; and

WHEREAS, SDFs should also be adjusted to account for the effects of inflation; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with the aforementioned policies, SEMSWA has created a revised Fee Schedule (Fee Schedule effective January 1, 2024) containing a 4.501% increase in Annual Stormwater Fees and SDFs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Board approves the revised Fee Schedule, attached hereto and effective January 1, 2024, replacing the Fee Schedule adopted on September 21, 2022, and said Fee Schedule is hereby adopted in its entirety and the amounts set forth therein shall apply until changed by resolution.

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Date: September 20, 2023

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

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Chairperson

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
Attorney for  
Southeast Metro Stormwater Authority

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Edward J. Krisor

# Southeast Metro Stormwater Authority Fee Schedule

## Section I. Annual Stormwater Fees

1/1/2024

<b>Fee Type</b>	<b>Impervious Area</b>	<b>Fee or Rate</b>
SFR Tier 1	>100 to 2,000	\$68.50
SFR Tier 2	2,001 to 2,900	\$91.84
SFR Tier 3	2,901 to 3,900	\$119.50
SFR Tier 4	3,901 to 7,500	\$160.30
SFR Tier 5	>7,501	\$348.31
NSFR 1	2% to 40%	\$23.50 per 1,000 Sq Ft Impervious
NSFR 2	41% to 70%	\$36.18 per 1,000 Sq Ft Impervious
NSFR 3	71% to 100%	\$48.82 per 1,000 Sq Ft Impervious
One-time stormwater delinquency fee		\$47.00 per parcel

Section II. Review and Permit Fees

1/1/2024

Review Fee Category	Fee in City	Fee in County
<b>Construction Drawings</b>		
< 1 acre	\$1,000	\$605
1-4.99 acres	\$1,375	\$825
5-9.99 acres	\$1,660	\$995
10-19.99 acres	\$1,975	\$1,185
>20 acres	\$2,660	\$1,595
<b>Drainage Reports</b>		
Phase III		
< 1 acre	\$1,000	\$605
1-4.99 acres	\$1,375	\$825
5-9.99 acres	\$1,660	\$995
10-19.99 acres	\$1,975	\$1,185
>20 acres	\$2,660	\$1,595
Letter of Compliance / Technical Letter	\$735	\$440
Phase II or Transition		
< 1 acre	\$735	\$440
1-4.99 acres	\$1,000	\$600
5-9.99 acres	\$1,270	\$760
10-19.99 acres	\$1,475	\$885
>20 acres	\$1,995	\$1,195
Phase I		
< 5 acres	\$530	\$320
5 to 20 acres	\$665	\$400
Greater than 20 acres	\$800	\$475
<b>Operations and Maintenance</b>		
O&M Manual & Standard Maintenance Agreement	\$750	\$665
<b>GESC Plan and Report</b>		
Low Impact GESC / Single Family Individual Lot	\$250	\$250
Standard GESC:		
0-4.99 acres	\$1,135	\$1,135
5-9.99 acres	\$1,595	\$1,595
10-19.99 acres	\$1,900	\$1,900
>20 acres	\$2,925	\$2,925
Water Control Plan	\$1,135	\$1,135
<b>Floodplain Modification Analysis</b>		
Floodplain Modification Study/CLOMR	\$3,195	\$3,195
LOMR	\$1,595	\$1,595
Floodplain Modification Study Only (no CLOMR)	\$2,395	\$2,395
No Impact Certification	\$250	\$250
No Impact Analysis <sup>1</sup>	\$450	\$450
<sup>1</sup> Analysis is defined as submittal and staff time required to determine if "No Impact"		
<b>Easements</b>		
Legal Description and Exhibit & Standard Easement Agreement	\$665	N.A.

Review Fee Category	Fee in City	Fee County
<b>Agreements</b>		
Public Improvement Agreement (PIA) & Engineer's Cost Estimate	\$800	N.A.
License or Offsite Agreement	\$550	N.A.
Non-Standard Agreement (Including Intergovernmental Agreement, Easement & Maintenance)	\$550 + Actual Cost (Attorney) (Per agreement)	N.A.
<b>Site Plans and Plats</b>		
Site Plans	\$1,000	N.A.
Plats	\$400	N.A.
<b>Expedited Reviews</b>		
Half of Assigned Time	2 x the review fee	2 x the review fee
<b>Recordation Charges</b>		
PIAs, O&M Manuals, Agreements, Easements, and other documents will be assessed the recording fees charged by the Arapahoe County Recorder's Office + \$2 per document for electronic recording when document is electronically recorded.		

Permit Fee Category	Fee in City	Fee in County
<b>Grading, Erosion &amp; Sediment Control (GESC)</b>		
Low Impact GESC	\$470	\$470
Single Family Individual Lot	\$1,135	\$1,135
Annual Dry Utility:		
Single Site	\$500	\$500
Multiple Sites	\$2,500	\$2,500
Annual District: Multiple Sites	\$3,500	\$3,500
GESC Permits:		
< 1 acre	\$1,135	\$1,135
1 - 4.99 acres	\$1,760	\$1,760
5 - 9.99 acres	\$2,620	\$2,620
10 - 19.99 acres	\$3,460	\$3,460
20 - 49.99 acres	\$4,485	\$4,485
>50 acres	\$4,485 + \$20/acre	\$4,485 + \$20/acre
<b>Stormwater Public Improvement Permit (SPI)</b>		
<b>Cost from Engineers Estimate:</b>	<b>Cost from the Stormwater Public Improvement ECE</b>	<b>Water Quality cost from the County SIA ECE</b>
0-\$9,999	\$650	\$650
\$10,000-\$49,999	\$1,950	\$975
\$50,000-\$149,999	\$3,000	\$1,500
\$150,000-\$249,999	\$4,000	\$2,000
>\$250,000	\$5000+\$500/ every additional \$50,000 on the ECE	\$2500+\$500/ every additional \$50,000 on the ECE
<b>Floodplain Development Permit</b>		
No Impact Permit	\$80	\$80
Standard Permit	\$720	\$720
Annual Permit (No Impact Only): Multiple Sites	\$500	\$500

Miscellaneous Fees			Applies To		
Fee Category	Fee in City	Fee in County	GESC Permit	SPIP	FPDP
<b>Permit Fees</b>					
Failure to obtain permit	½ permit value/day of work without permit (max)	½ permit value/day of work without permit (max)*	Yes	Yes	City Only
Permit Renewal	1/2 current permit fee prior to Initial Close Out (ICO) or Probationary Acceptance (PA); \$250 after ICO or PA; \$0 if GESC Low Impact	1/2 current permit fee prior to Initial Close Out (ICO) or Probationary Acceptance (PA); \$250 after ICO or PA; \$0 if GESC Low Impact	Yes	Yes	Yes
Permit Transfer	\$250	\$250	Yes	Yes	Yes
Permit Amendment	1/2 current permit fee	1/2 current permit fee	Yes	Yes	Yes
Permit Reinstatement	2x current permit fee (max)	2x current permit fee (max)*	Yes	Yes	City Only
Site Re-inspection Fee	Tier 1: \$160; Tier 2: \$500; Tier 3: \$1000	Tier 1: \$160; Tier 2: \$500; Tier 3: \$1000	Yes	Yes	City Only
Weekend or After Hours Inspections	\$80.00/hour, 2 hour minimum	\$80.00/hour, 2 hour minimum*	Yes	Yes	City Only
<b>Plan Renewal</b>					
GESC Plan, Drainage Report & CDs	\$250 (per document)	\$250 (per document)			
<b>Plan Amendment</b>					
GESC Plan, Drainage Report & CDs	½ current plan review fee (per document)	½ current plan review fee (per document)*			

\*For projects in Arapahoe County jurisdiction, this fee only applies to GESC documents and/or permits.

**Definition of Terms:**

*Transfer* : Change in responsible party identified on Permit

*Reinstatement* : Permit renewal after Stop Work Order and/or Notice of Violation (NOV)

*Renewal* : Re-approval after expiration (no changes to plan)

*Amendment*: Re-approval due to plan changes prior to expiration

Section III. SDF Fees

1/1/2024

Basin	Impervious Acre	Basin	Impervious Acre (\$)
<b>Basin Group 1</b>		<b>Basin Group 2b</b>	
Bear Creek	\$11,710	Dove Creek	\$2,789
Big Dry Creek	\$12,000	Lone Tree Creek	\$2,648
Coon Creek	\$11,710	Windmill Creek	\$1,851
Dutch Creek	\$12,000	<b>Basin Group 3</b>	
Greenwood Gulch	\$12,000	East Toll Gate Creek	\$12,000
Lee Gulch	\$12,000	Unnamed Creek	\$3,341
Little Dry Creek	\$12,000	West Toll Gate Creek	\$1,213
Little's Creek	\$12,000	<b>Basin Group 4</b>	
SJCD(N)	\$11,710	Coal Creek	\$1,436
SJCD(S)	\$11,710	First Creek	\$12,000
Slaughterhouse Gulch	\$12,000	Murphy Creek	\$12,000
UDFCD ID 66	\$11,710	Sand Creek	\$12,000
UDFCD ID 67	\$11,710	Lower Senac Creek	\$8,273
Willow Creek	\$9,679	Upper Senac Creek	\$9,142
<b>Basin Group 2a</b>		<b>Basin Group 5</b>	
Antelope Creek	\$12,000	5000	\$3,908
Cottonwood Creek	\$7,960	Harvard Gulch	\$3,908
Happy Canyon Creek	\$12,000	Lower Cherry Creek	\$3,908
Piney Creek	\$12,000	Lower Goldsmith Gulch	\$3,908
Saddle Rock Ranches	\$12,000	Westerly Creek	\$12,000
Sampson Gulch	\$12,000		
UDFCD ID 4406	\$10,205		
Upper Cherry Creek	\$8,859		
Upper Goldsmith Gulch	\$10,205		

Section III. SDF Fees

2023/2024

Basin	Impervious Acre (\$)		Basin	Impervious	
<b>Basin Group 1</b>			<b>Basin Group 2b</b>		
Bear Creek	\$11,042	\$11,710	Dove Creek	\$1,923	\$2,789
Big Dry Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000	Lone Tree Creek	\$1,826	\$2,648
Coon Creek	\$11,042	\$11,710	Windmill Creek	\$1,276	\$1,851
Dutch Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000	<b>Basin Group 3</b>		
Greenwood Gulch	\$12,000	\$12,000	East Toll Gate Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000
Lee Gulch	\$9,660	\$12,000	Unnamed Creek	\$2,304	\$3,341
Little Dry Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000	West Toll Gate Creek	\$836	\$1,213
Little's Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000	<b>Basin Group 4</b>		
SJCD(N)	\$11,042	\$11,710	Coal Creek	\$966	\$1,436
SJCD(S)	\$11,042	\$11,710	First Creek	\$8,779	\$12,000
Slaughterhouse Gulch	\$12,000	\$12,000	Murphy Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000
UDFCD ID 66	\$11,042	\$11,710	Sand Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000
UDFCD ID 67	\$11,042	\$11,710	Lower Senac Creek	\$5,568	\$8,273
Willow Creek	\$6,675	\$9,679	Upper Senac Creek	\$7,863	\$9,142
<b>Basin Group 2a</b>			<b>Basin Group 5</b>		
Antelope Creek	\$10,533	\$12,000	5000	\$2,695	\$3,908
Cottonwood Creek	\$5,490	\$7,960	Harvard Gulch	\$2,695	\$3,908
Happy Canyon Creek	\$11,012	\$12,000	Lower Cherry Creek	\$2,695	\$3,908
Piney Creek	\$10,533	\$12,000	Lower Goldsmith Gulch	\$2,695	\$3,908
Saddle Rock Ranches	\$10,533	\$12,000	Westerly Creek	\$12,000	\$12,000
Sampson Gulch	\$10,533	\$12,000			
UDFCD ID 4406	\$8,842	\$10,205			
Upper Cherry Creek	\$6,109	\$8,859			
Upper Goldsmith Gulch	\$11,067	\$10,205			