

**CITY OF METHUEN**  
**Department of Health, Human Services, and Inspections**  
**Inspections Division Fees\***

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**ELECTRICAL / WIRING PERMITS**

- Minimum fee \$50.00
- New construction \$10.00 per \$1,000 stated construction value of electrical work
- *Residential*
  - Additions to building / remodeling \$50.00 for first room + \$25.00 for each additional room
  - Data / telecom system \$30.00 per dwelling unit
  - Dryer \$30.00 per appliance
  - Generator \$50.00 each
  - New service \$50.00 for first 100 amps + \$10.00 for each additional 100 amps
  - Panel change \$30.00 each
  - Security systems \$30.00 each
  - Service repair \$35.00 each
  - Smoke detector installation \$30.00 per dwelling unit
  - Swimming pool \$50.00 each
  - Wall oven / range \$30.00 per appliance
  - Water heater \$30.00 per appliance
- *Commercial*
  - Additions to building / remodeling \$10.00 per \$1,000 stated construction value of electrical work
  - Appliances \$30.00 each
  - Data / telecom system \$50.00 per tenant space
  - Fire alarm installation \$50.00 per tenant space
  - Gas pumps / dispensers \$30.00 each
  - Generators \$75.00 each
  - Lighting Retrofit \$50.00 base fee + \$1.00 for each fixture
  - Meters for new service \$15.00 each additional meter beyond initial meter
  - Motors \$50.00 base fee + \$3.00 per HP for each separate motor
  - New service \$100.00 for first 100 amps + \$15.00 for each additional 100 amps
  - Panel change \$50.00 each
  - Security systems \$50.00 per tenant space
  - Service repair \$35.00 each
  - Signs \$50.00 each
  - Swimming pool \$100.00 each
  - Transformers (<1,000 KVA) \$50.00 base fee + \$1.00 per each additional KVA for each transformer
  - Transformers (1,000 KVA – 5,000 KVA) \$500.00 base fee + \$1.00 per each additional KVA for each transformer

○ Transformers (>5000 KVA)	\$1,500 base fee + \$1.00 per each additional KVA for each transformer
○ Water heater	\$30.00 each
● <i>Other</i>	
○ Institution Permit	\$200.00 each
○ Central AC units	\$50.00 per unit
○ Heating systems	\$50.00 per unit
○ Siding	\$30.00 each
○ Solar	\$10.00 per \$1,000 stated construction value of electrical work
○ Sub-panel	\$30.00 each
○ Temporary service	\$50.00 each
○ Carnival, Circus, Fair	\$50.00 each ride / unit

### **CODE ENFORCEMENT PERMITS / FEES**

● Occupancy Permit	\$50.00 each
● Dumpster Permit (not temporary)	\$50.00 each (per year) <sup>+</sup>
● Temporary / Construction Dumpster	\$25.00 each <sup>+</sup>
● Collection Bin	\$50.00 each (per year) <sup>+</sup>
● Failure to obtain an Occupancy Permit	\$300.00 per day in violation, starting with date of initial citation
● Property Maintenance Code Violations	\$300.00 per day in violation, starting with date of initial citation
● Unregistered vehicles in excess of permitted	\$300.00 per vehicle per day, starting with date of initial citation
● Occupancy Permit Inspection No-Show	\$50.00 per inspection
● Drainlayers Permit	\$100.00 each

\*Approved by Methuen City Council on August 1, 2022.

<sup>+</sup> Approved by the Methuen Board of Health