

## RESOLUTION NO. 12-24

### A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT SURETY AND PERMIT FEE SCHEDULES FOR THE GENERAL UTILITY/STREET CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR (GUS) PERMIT

WHEREAS, The Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Commission, in order to adopt uniform standards and procedures for utility and street work within public rights-of-way and easements, did approve Ordinance No. 222 in September, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 222 provides that surety and permit fee schedules shall be set by resolution of the Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Board of Commissioners;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Board of Commission that for purposes of implementing Ordinance No. 222, the following surety and permit fee schedules are hereby adopted:

#### **General Utility/Street Construction and Repair (GUS) Permit Surety Schedule**

- 1. Major Street Work/Multiple Projects:** Major street work generally means extensive street excavation to repair, install, or replace water and/or sewer mains, gas mains, fiber optic, CATV, telephone, or electric lines. Major street work impacts more than one property and may encompass an entire block or more. Required surety: **110%** of the cost estimate for the entire project. Documentation of the cost estimate is also required. If the work is to be done on a Montana state route, the applicant must obtain the proper permits from MDT and no surety will be required by ADLC.
- 2. Minor Street Work:** Minor street work generally means service for a localized area (often just a single property), and usually involves service lines (water, sewer, gas, electric, etc.) as opposed to mains. Minor street work includes service line work in alleys whether paved or unpaved. Required surety: **\$3,000**. If power supply lines for a public streetlight will be disrupted for the proposed work, the surety amount shall be **\$4,500**. For work on Montana state routes, the applicant must obtain the proper permits from MDT and no surety will be required by ADLC.
- 3. Minor Sidewalk/Curbing/Driveway Work:** This category of work is for the minor patching, repair, or replacement of curbs, gutters, and/or driveways within the R/W. This type of work is described in Sec. 4 of the ordinance and the permit may be issued to a homeowner. Required surety: **\$250\***. For projects on state routes, the applicant should contact the Montana Department of Transportation.

\*While the GUS Permit ordinance technically prohibits company or personal checks for sureties, as a matter of policy, the County may opt to accept local checks for sureties in this category only.

### Permit Application Fee Schedule

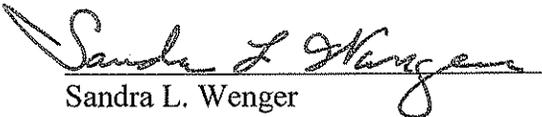
1. **Major Street Work/Multiple Projects: 2% of the cost estimate used to calculate the required surety.**
2. **Minor Street Work: \$150 (If work continues onto private property, it can all be accomplished under the GUS permit and no additional fee or ADP is required.)**
3. **Minor Sidewalk/Curbing/Driveway Work: \$25**

Approved this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012.



Mark Sweeney, Chair  
Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Commission

ATTEST:



Sandra L. Wenger  
Clerk of the Commission