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**A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING AND REPLACING RESOLUTION 92-62; PROVIDING FOR ASSISTANCE WITH PUBLIC WORKS, PUBLIC SAFETY, AND PLANNING, PERMITTING AND INSPECTION FEES; SETTING CERTAIN LIMITATIONS, RESCINDING RESOLUTION 92-62 AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS, Ordinance 92-26, adopted September 8, 1992, provides authority to conduct a Manatee County Fee Assistance Program for residents who are living below or close to poverty level; and**

**WHEREAS, Ordinance 92-26, provides that allowable family earnings and assets criteria shall be based upon the poverty level guidelines published by the Federal government; and**

**WHEREAS, Ordinance 92-26, provides that assistance shall be based upon a sliding scale with the highest levels of assistance granted to eligible recipients whose total family income and assets, as adjusted to reflect family size, are the lowest; and**

**WHEREAS, on October 27, 1992, the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, herein the "Board", approved Resolution 92-62, adopting fee assistance criteria and allowable fees to qualified low-income individuals as allowed by Ordinance 92-26; and**

**WHEREAS, Resolution 92-62 shall be rescinded to provide for additional fees and limits of assistance for individuals; and**

**WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County has determined that Resolution 94-35 constitutes a valid public purpose and is in the best interest of the County.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, that:**

1. Levels of assistance granted to eligible recipients shall be based upon a sliding scale entitled "Annual Poverty Level Guidelines to 200%" attached hereto as Attachment "A".
2. Unless otherwise amended by the County, the earnings and assets criteria contained within Attachment "A" shall be automatically updated in accordance with the Federal Poverty Level guidelines released by the Department of Health and Human Services and published annually in The Federal Register.
3. Individuals meeting the criteria established in Section 5.C.1. of Ordinance 92-26 shall be eligible for assistance for those fees identified in Attachment "B", "C", and "D".

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4. Individuals meeting the criteria established in Section 5.C.2. of Ordinance 92-26 exclusive of Section 5.C.2.k. shall be eligible for assistance solely for those fees identified in Attachment "C".
5. Eligible recipients shall be limited to assistance one (1) time per client lifetime for fees shown in Attachment "C", Animal Control Division fees.
6. The Board of County Commissioners, in its sole discretion, shall on an annual basis determine and designate funds available to fulfill the purpose of Ordinance 92-26. The provision of funds in any year may be limited to the extent of funds are available and appropriated by the Board of County Commissioners.
7. Any amendment to this Resolution which may alter, delete or cause fees to be added shall adhere to the provisions of Ordinance 92-26.
8. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption and Resolution 92-62 is hereby rescinded.

ADOPTED, this open session with a quorum present and voting, this 15th day of March, 1994.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Stan Stephens  
CHAIRMAN

ATTEST: R. B. SHORE  
CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT

BY: [Signature]

ATTACHMENT "A"

ANNUAL POVERTY GUIDELINES TO 200%

FAMILY SIZE	100%	120%	140%	160%	180%	200%
1	6,970	8,364	9,758	11,152	12,546	13,940
2	9,430	11,316	13,202	15,088	16,974	18,860
3	11,890	14,268	16,646	19,024	21,402	23,780
4	14,350	17,220	20,090	22,960	25,830	28,700
5	16,810	20,172	23,534	26,896	30,258	33,620
6	19,270	23,124	26,978	30,832	30,686	38,540
7	21,730	26,076	30,422	34,768	39,114	43,460
8	24,190	29,028	33,866	38,704	43,542	48,380
EACH ADDITIONAL ADD	2,460	2,952	3,444	3,936	4,428	4,920
COUNTY SHARE OF FEE	100%	90%	70%	50%	30%	10%
OWNER SHARE OF FEE	0	10%	30%	50%	70%	90%

ASSET LEVEL FOR FEE ASSISTANCE - 6,970

Effective 4/12/93

**ATTACHMENT "B"**

**FEEES FOR INDIVIDUALS**

**DEPARTMENT: Planning, Permitting and Inspections**

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**DESCRIPTION OF FEE**

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**Address Assignment**

**Administrative Permits**

**Appeals/Variance**

**Building Permits (all types):**

- Aluminum Structures
- Concrete
- Demolition
- Electric
- Fence
- Fire Repair
- Manufactured Homes
- Mechanical
- Modular Buildings
- New Additions (RESIDENTIAL ONLY)
- Plumbing
- Renovation
- Residential (one/two family)
- Roofing

**Construction Plan Review**

**Determination of Improvement Cost**

**Floodplain Information Request**

**Floodplain Management Permit**

**Floodway "No Rise" Certificate**

**Pre Application Conference**

**Private Street Approval**

**Site Plan (general, preliminary,  
final, plot, revised)**

**Special Permits**

**Subdivision Plat (preliminary, modif.  
to preliminary & final)**

**Tree Removal**

**Zoning Atlas Amendment (Rezone)**

**Temporary Use Permit**

**ATTACHMENT "C"**

**FEEs FOR INDIVIDUALS**

**DEPARTMENT: Public Safety**

**DIVISION: Animal Control**

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**DESCRIPTION OF FEE**

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**Redemption Fee  
Boarding Charges**

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**DEPARTMENT: Public Safety**

**DIVISION: E.M.S.**

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**DESCRIPTION OF FEE**

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**Ambulance Service**

**ATTACHMENT "D"**

**FEEES FOR INDIVIDUALS\***

**DEPARTMENT: Public Works Department**

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**DESCRIPTION OF FEE**

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**Water Facility Investment Fee (FIF)  
Sewer Facility Investment Fee (FIF)  
Water Connection Fee  
Water Line Extension  
Sewer Line Extension**

**\* For these fees, the assistance provided within this resolution applies only to existing construction only and a recipient who has elected to enter into a 15 year time payment agreement where applicable. Eligibility must be established every three months. These provisions do not apply to the one time assistance provided in connection with Community Development Block Grant Programs.**