

Title 10—DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES
Division 50—Oil and Gas Council
Chapter 1—Organization, Purpose,
and Definitions

10 CSR 50-1.050 Assessment of Costs

PURPOSE: This rule establishes a fee structure for activities conducted under 10 CSR 50.

(1) Beginning January 1, 2017, the following fees shall be assessed and deposited in the Oil and Gas Resources Fund:

(A) A fee of \$250 shall be paid upon the submittal of an application for an operator license; except that an applicant for a license who solely operates a non-commercial gas well shall pay a fee of \$50.

(B) A fee of \$250 shall be paid by each operator upon submittal of an operator license renewal form; except that an operator who solely operates a non-commercial gas well shall pay a fee of \$50.

(C) A fee of \$100 shall be paid upon submittal of an application for a permit to drill, deepen, plug-back, or recomplete as follows:

1. Any new application for permit to drill, deepen, plug-back, or recomplete any well;
2. Any application for modification to the permit to drill, deepen, plug-back, or recomplete; or
3. Blanket requests to drill, deepen, plug-back, or recomplete wells proposed to depths no greater than one thousand five hundred feet (1500').

(D) A fee of \$100 shall be paid upon submittal of an application for a permit to inject as follows:

1. Any new application for a permit to inject in any well; or
2. Any application for modification to the initial injection well permit, including but not limited to an increase in the maximum injection pressure and/or the maximum injection rate.
3. No fee shall be assessed for a notice of permit modification as specified in 10 CSR 50-2.055(5)(B).

(E) A fee of \$25 shall be paid upon submittal of an application for extension of the shut-in status of a well.

(F) A fee of \$50 shall be paid upon submittal of a plugging record for each well plugged.

(G) A fee of \$0.60 on each barrel of oil sold or marketed each month shall be assessed to each operator. The fee and assessment shall apply only to the first purchase of oil from the operator and shall be collected and submitted by the first purchaser of oil.

(H) A fee of \$0.071 on each one thousand (1,000) cubic feet of gas sold or marketed each month shall be assessed to each operator. The charge and assessment shall apply only to the first purchase of gas from the operator and shall be collected and submitted by the first purchaser of gas.

(I) In the event any required form or report is not submitted per Chapter 259, RSMo, or implementing regulations, a late fee of no more than \$100 per month shall be assessed against the responsible party, and shall be assessed each month until the form or report has been submitted. In no case, however, will a late fee exceed one thousand two hundred dollars (\$1200) per violation for each well.

(2) Fee nonrefundable. Once paid, each fee shall be nonrefundable.

AUTHORITY: sections 259.052 and 259.080, RSMo.