Fees and Review Periods

Blue shows the default, Red one/two family exceptions, and Green accelerated or special review

Category	Zoning/Use	he default, Red one/two family exceptions, and G Building	Sign	Electrical + Plumbing
Application Fee	\$25 One/Two-Family \$100 All Other Uses \$420 Accelerated Review	\$0 EZ Permit Applications \$25 One/Two Family \$100 All Other Uses \$540 Accelerated Review	1 Zoning Permit Application + 1 Wall Sign Application IF sign requires construction, also 1 building permit application \$100 Wall Sign Application (City documents imply this is free, but in practice they charge \$100)	\$100 All Permits — Electrical is technically "up to \$100" and so may come in lower \$540 Accelerated Review Varies: For Electrical, There are several inspections that are required throughout the work process, conducted by agencies licensed by L&I.
Appeal Fee	\$125 One/Two Family \$300 All Other Properties \$200 Admin Review by ZBA \$725 (up to \$2,250) Accelerated Hearing	\$50 Existing One/Two Family \$200 Buildings <5 Stories + 30,000 ft ² \$600 Other Buildings \$500 Method or Material Approval \$1,700 Special Hearing	City will assess Zoning and/or Building appeal fees — inquire	Unclear — in this event, you'd probably be going to the BBS, so those fees would likely apply. Inquire.
Permit Fee	\$50 Complete Demolition \$150 New Constr. One/Two-Family \$150 Use Registration Permits (note: some exceptions apply, e.g. daycare) \$500 All Other New Constr. \$40 Revisions to Lots w/ Existing One/Two Family Buildings \$200 Revisions, Lots up to 30k ft² \$500 Revisions, Lots over 30k ft² \$200 Each Floor/Height Bonus \$350 Preliminary Review or Conditional Zoning Approval	Note: There are 52 Building Permit Fees. Most common listed here. \$1050 New Constr. One/Two Family \$450 Industrialized/Manufactured Constr. One/Two Family \$900 Industrialized Bldgs Not One/Two Family \$60 Addition \$45 Per 100 Sq. Ft. for Additions over 500 Sq. Ft. \$200 All Other Construction UP TO 500 Sq. Ft. \$350 Foundation 500-2500 Ft.² \$600 Foundation over 2500 Ft.² \$60 Non-Load-Bearing Demolition Partitions \$4 Non-Load-Bearing Demolition for each 100 Sq. Ft. over 4,000 Sq. Ft. in Space \$20 General Demolition per 100 square feet (max. \$40,000; minimum \$200)	\$325 Accessory Sign +\$200 for Each Additional Accessory Sign \$4 per page scanning charge Note: the City's Permit Guide has a different accessory sign pricing: \$200/sign permit + \$125 for each registered use \$250 Outdoor Advertising [BUILDING] \$315 Outdoor Advertising [ZONING]	Electrical \$25 Per Each \$1,000 of Electrical Contract \$50 Minimum Fee \$15,000 Maximum Fee Plumbing Note: Only Most Common Listed \$40 New One/Two-Family Additions or Alterations (+ \$18 Each Fixture After 7th) \$225 All Other Construction (+ \$20 Each Fixture After 7th) \$200 New water distribution and drainage system \$150 Alterations that DO NOT include replacement of water distribution, building drain, building sewer or trap (+ \$18 Each Fixture After 7th)
Review Time (in Business Days)	Application 5-15 Days Use Variance 15 Days 1-2 Family 20 Days all others 5-10 Days Accelerated Appeal 20 Days to be scheduled Varies if accelerated	Application 15 Days One/Two Family 20 Days all others 5-10 Days Accelerated Appeal 20 Days to be scheduled Varies if accelerated	Follows Building Permit Schedules	Follows Building Permit Schedules