

## MEATH COUNTY COUNCIL

### FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

#### Subject: Charges for Fire Services

**Manager's Order:** In accordance with the provisions of Section 35(3) of the Fire Services Act, 1981, the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (No. 2) Act, 1983, and Local Government (Financial Provisions) Act, 2000, the following charges are effective from 5<sup>th</sup> September 2013.

#### Fire Brigade Attendance

Domestic Fires (Chimney Fires)	€100
Domestic Fire ( Less than 60 minutes)	€100
Domestic Fires (After the initial 60 minutes)	€12 / minute i.e. €720 / hour
Domestic call-out (no service provided / false-alarms)	€250
Special (i.e. all other fires, RTA's & non-Fire incidents etc.)	€360 (minimum charge)
	€12 / minute i.e. €720 / hour
Special call-out* (no service provided / false-alarms)	€500

\* includes false-alarm call-outs to apartment buildings

The Council reserves the right to charge for each attending Fire Station at an incident.

#### Other Charges

Request for fire report	€100
Request for other reports, documents or information	€100
Request for fire safety certificate information	€100

#### Requested Fire Officer Inspections i.e.:

Publican Licence	€400
Restaurant Licence	€250
Public Dance-hall Licence	€250
Public Music & Singing	€250
Occasional Licence	€250
Club Licence	€200
Gaming & Lottery Licence	€200
Community Hall Licence	€200
Transfer of Licence	€200
Any Subsequent Inspection (of the above)	€100
Inspection under Explosives Act	€250
Other Requested Inspection	€100
Dangerous Substances Act Inspection	€250
Declaratory Orders	€500

Calculated costs in relation to Enforcement Notices and Court appearances under Sections 8, 9, 10 and 12 of the Building Control Act, 2007. This will include a minimum enforcement notice charge of €500 and a €250 minimum charge for each subsequent site visit.

The above scale of inspection charges does not imply an obligation to carry out an inspection, which is governed by the relevant legislation.