

**REVISED LEGISLATIVE DIGEST**

(3/13/2018, Amended in Board)

[Public Works Code - Fees for Autonomous Delivery Device Testing and Nighttime Work Permits]

**Ordinance amending the Public Works Code to establish fees for Autonomous Delivery Device Testing permits and appeals of Public Works Director's decisions regarding such permits, and to increase fees for Nighttime Work permits.**

Existing Law

The Public Works Code does not yet establish any fees for Autonomous Delivery Device Testing permits, or for appeals of Public Works Director's decision regarding such permits.

Public Works Code Section 2.1.1(p) establishes a fee of \$115.45 for nighttime work permits.

Amendments to Current Law

The proposed legislation would establish the following fees for Autonomous Delivery Device Testing permits:

- Application fees: for one device - \$860; for two devices - \$1,540; and for three devices - \$1,995;
- Permit extension fees: for one device - \$555; for two devices - \$1010; and for three devices - \$1,465; and
- For Referrals to Department of Public Health: The Department of Public Health may charge up to \$191 per hour for referrals sent by Public Works.

The proposed legislation would also increase the fees for nighttime work permits from \$115.45 to \$123.

Background Information

As of December 12, 2017, an ordinance establishing a permitting scheme for Autonomous Delivery Device Testing was pending before the Board of Supervisors (see Board File No. 170599).

On March 1, 2018, the Board of Supervisors Budget and Finance Committee removed the proposed increase to Section 2.1.1's nighttime work permit fee, but on March 13, 2018, the Board of Supervisors amended the ordinance to reinstate the proposed increase.

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