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**AN ORDINANCE**

**Amending Section 7-2-5-3 of the Evanston City Code Increasing  
Fees for Obstructing Public Ways**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS:**

**SECTION 1:** That Section 7-2-5-3 of the Evanston City Code, 1979, as amended, be and hereby is further amended as follows:

**7-2-5-3: PERMIT FEES:**

Permits for the obstruction of streets, alleys or sidewalks shall be paid in proportion to the street frontage occupied, at the rate of:

Every twenty-five feet (25') of frontage occupied, or fractional part thereof:  
\$25.00 per month

Permits for the closure of street, alleys, or sidewalks shall be paid in accordance with the following schedule:

Sidewalk/parkway	\$25.00/25 lin. ft./month (7 days or less)
Parking lane	\$25.00/25 lin. ft./month (7 days or less)
Traffic lane or alley	\$25.00/25 lin. ft./month (7 days or less)

Sidewalk/parkway	\$50.00/25 lin. ft./month (more than 7 days)
Parking lane	\$50.00/25 lin. ft./month (more than 7 days)
Traffic lane or alley	\$50.00/25 lin. ft./month (more than 7 days)

**PENALTIES:** The penalty shall be \$500 per day if the permit expires and the obstruction remains; however, the Director of Public Works may extend the permit upon request by the applicant. The penalty shall be \$500 per day for obstructing the public way without a permit (except in cases of emergency); however, if all permit requirements are subsequently met and a permit is issued, the penalty may be reduced to an amount equal to the first month's permit fee using the schedule above.

Nothing herein contained shall preclude the City from maintaining an action against the person to recover damage done to any street or sidewalk. (Ord. 38-O-96)

**SECTION 2:** That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 3:** That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication in the manner provided by law.

Introduced: January 22, 2007

Adopted: February 12, 2007

Approved:

March 5, 2007

Lorraine H. Morton  
Lorraine H. Morton, Mayor

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Mary P. Morris, City Clerk

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