



# Albemarle County

## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 19-431, **Version:** 1

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**AGENDA DATE:** 8/7/2019

**TITLE:**

Ordinance to Amend the Albemarle County Fire and Rescue Office of the Fire Marshal Fee Schedule

**SUBJECT/PROPOSAL/REQUEST:** Public hearing to consider an ordinance to amend the Fire Marshal fee schedule to include homestay inspection fees

**ITEM TYPE:** Regular Action Item

**STAFF CONTACT(S):** Richardson, Walker, Kamptner, Farley, Eggleston, Lagomarsino

**PRESENTER (S):** Greg Kamptner

**LEGAL REVIEW:** Yes

**REVIEWED BY:** Jeffrey B. Richardson

**BACKGROUND:** In 2015, the Board of Supervisors adopted a schedule for fees that the Fire Marshal's Office may charge for its inspection services. The proposed amendment would add a fee of \$50.00 to inspect annually any location that qualifies as a "homestay."

**STRATEGIC PLAN:** Quality Government Operations. Ensure County government's capacity to provide high quality service that achieves community priorities.

**DISCUSSION:** Consideration of this ordinance should be made parallel to ZTA2017-01 ("Homestay Zoning Ordinance Amendments"), also to be considered by the Board on August 7.

**BUDGET IMPACT:** The proposed \$50.00 homestay inspection fee correlates to the fee for an inspection/review program similar to this one. The fee would be utilized to off-set the cost of additional part-time staffing, overtime costs, or an FTE to help address the impact to staff capacity.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends that the Board adopt the attached Ordinance (Attachment A).

**ATTACHMENTS:**

A - Fire Marshal Fee Schedule Ordinance