

SUMMARY: An Ordinance amending Chapter 25 of the Washoe County Code to clarify the provisions on investigative fees for applications for issuance and renewal of business licenses and permits.

BILL NO. 767

ORDINANCE NO. 594

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 25 OF THE WASHOE COUNTY CODE TO CLARIFY THE PROVISIONS ON INVESTIGATIVE FEES FOR BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATIONS AND RENEWALS.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF WASHOE DO ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. Section 25.023 of the Washoe County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

25.023 Investigations and fees.

1. Upon receipt of an application for a license or permit or renewal thereof the sheriff shall conduct such investigation as is reasonably necessary to determine whether the applicant is qualified to receive the license of permit. Any reasonable investigation costs shall be the responsibility of the applicant and may be demanded in advance by the sheriff.

2. The sheriff may waive all or part of the investigation fee specified in any provisions of this Code in cases of applications for renewal of licenses or permits or where the applicant has been recently investigated and there does not appear to be a significant change of circumstances since that last investigation.

3. The sheriff may charge an applicant a reasonable fee in excess of any amount specified in this code where the circumstances mandate a more extensive investigation than is normally required.

4. The officer charged with the duty of making the investigation or inspection shall make a report thereon, favorable or otherwise, after receiving the application or a copy thereof.

5. All other investigations, except where otherwise provided in this code, shall be made by the sheriff's department or by some other officer designated by the board.

Proposed on the 10th day of January, 1984.
Proposed by Commissioners Williams, King, Lillard, McDowell, Ritter.
Passed on the 14th day of February, 1984.

Vote:

Ayes: Commissioners: Williams, McDowell, and Lillard

Nays: Commissioners: King and Ritter

Absent: Commissioners: None


Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:


County Clerk

This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the
27th day of February, 1984.