

Resolution 99 - 17531**A RESOLUTION TEMPORARILY REDUCING BUILDING, ELECTRICAL,
PLUMBING AND MECHANICAL PERMIT FEES**

WHEREAS, the City of Billings provides administrative and enforcement services for building, electrical, plumbing and mechanical codes, and

WHEREAS, City of Billings Resolution 93-16708 establishes fees for the permits associated with these services, and

WHEREAS, Section 50-60-106, Montana Codes Annotated, specifies that permit fees collected in excess of operation costs be placed in a reserve account, that the reserve account be limited to no more than the amount necessary to conduct the local building department operation for a 12-month period, and that permit fees must be adjusted if necessary to avoid exceeding the 12-month operating reserve amount, and

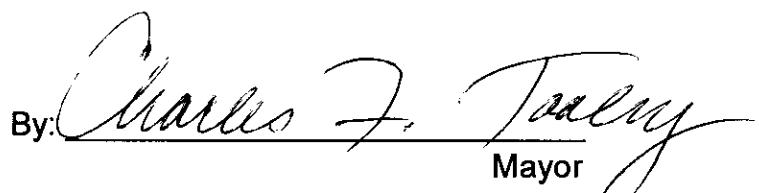
WHEREAS, the City of Billings' Building Fund Reserve Account, as of the close of business June 30, 1999, exceeds the amount allowed by Section 50-60-106, Montana Codes Annotated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BILLINGS, MONTANA, as follows:

1. BUILDING, ELECTRICAL, PLUMBING AND MECHANICAL PERMIT FEES. The permit fees established by Resolution 93-16708, passed by the City Council and approved August 2, 1993, included by reference herein, are hereby temporarily reduced by 25% for all permit classes.
2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This resolution shall be effective January 1, 2000, and shall remain in effect through June 30, 2000.

PASSED by the City Council and APPROVED Dec. 13, 1999.

CITY OF BILLINGS

By: 
Charles J. Teary
Mayor

ATTEST



Marita Herold
City Clerk