

**LANDS DEPARTMENT
SURVEY & MAPPING OFFICE**

**Information Sheet on
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1,000	\$ 935	\$ 914	\$ 1,324	\$ 1,295	\$ 1,873	\$ 1,831	\$ 2,649	\$ 2,590
3,000	\$ 1,619	\$ 1,583	\$ 2,294	\$ 2,243	\$ 3,244	\$ 3,172	\$ 4,588	\$ 4,486
5,000	\$ 2,091	\$ 2,044	\$ 2,962	\$ 2,896	\$ 4,188	\$ 4,095	\$ 5,923	\$ 5,791
7,000	\$ 2,474	\$ 2,419	\$ 3,504	\$ 3,426	\$ 4,956	\$ 4,845	\$ 7,008	\$ 6,853
10,000	\$ 2,957	\$ 2,891	\$ 4,188	\$ 4,095	\$ 5,923	\$ 5,791	\$ 8,377	\$ 8,190
12,000	\$ 3,239	\$ 3,167	\$ 4,588	\$ 4,486	\$ 6,488	\$ 6,344	\$ 9,176	\$ 8,972
14,000	\$ 3,498	\$ 3,421	\$ 4,956	\$ 4,845	\$ 7,008	\$ 6,853	\$ 9,911	\$ 9,691
16,000	\$ 3,740	\$ 3,657	\$ 5,298	\$ 5,180	\$ 7,492	\$ 7,326	\$ 10,596	\$ 10,360
18,000	\$ 3,967	\$ 3,878	\$ 5,619	\$ 5,494	\$ 7,947	\$ 7,770	\$ 11,238	\$ 10,989
20,000	\$ 4,181	\$ 4,088	\$ 5,923	\$ 5,791	\$ 8,377	\$ 8,190	\$ 11,846	\$ 11,583
25,000	\$ 4,675	\$ 4,571	\$ 6,622	\$ 6,475	\$ 9,365	\$ 9,157	\$ 13,244	\$ 12,950
30,000	\$ 5,121	\$ 5,007	\$ 7,254	\$ 7,093	\$ 10,259	\$ 10,031	\$ 14,509	\$ 14,186
35,000	\$ 5,531	\$ 5,408	\$ 7,836	\$ 7,661	\$ 11,081	\$ 10,835	\$ 15,671	\$ 15,323
40,000	\$ 5,913	\$ 5,782	\$ 8,377	\$ 8,190	\$ 11,846	\$ 11,583	\$ 16,753	\$ 16,381
45,000	\$ 6,272	\$ 6,132	\$ 8,885	\$ 8,687	\$ 12,565	\$ 12,286	\$ 17,769	\$ 17,374
50,000	\$ 6,611	\$ 6,464	\$ 9,365	\$ 9,157	\$ 13,244	\$ 12,950	\$ 18,730	\$ 18,314
70,000	\$ 7,822	\$ 7,648	\$ 11,081	\$ 10,835	\$ 15,671	\$ 15,323	\$ 22,162	\$ 21,670
100,000	\$ 9,349	\$ 9,142	\$ 13,244	\$ 12,950	\$ 18,730	\$ 18,314	\$ 26,489	\$ 25,900
150,000	\$ 11,451	\$ 11,196	\$ 16,221	\$ 15,861	\$ 22,940	\$ 22,430	\$ 32,442	\$ 31,721
200,000	\$ 13,222	\$ 12,928	\$ 18,730	\$ 18,314	\$ 26,489	\$ 25,900	\$ 37,461	\$ 36,629

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