ORDINANCE NO. 737

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE EXEMPTION OF BUILDING AND MECHANICAL PERMIT FEES FOR LOW INCOME PERSONS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF PRINEVILLE ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Permit Fee Exemption. Subject to Section 2 of this ordinance, any low income person as herein defined who resides within the corporate limits of the City of Prineville may obtain a building permit and/or a mechanical permit as provided for in City Ordinance No. 725 without paying the permit fee as set out in Section 2a of said Ordinance No. 726. Said permit fee exemption shall apply only to the applicant's place of residence.

Section 2. Low Income Person Defined. Any person whose yearly <u>gross</u> income does not exceed the following schedule shall be considered as low income and eligible for said permit fee exemption:

Number In Household	Gross Income
<u> </u>	\$2,000.00
2	\$3,000.00
3	\$4,000.00
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5	\$6,000.00

Section 3. Application. The request for a building permit and/or a mechanical permit fee exemption shall be made to the City Recorder by the person who is the head of the household, spouse or authorized representative.

Documentary proof and verification of income shall be provided by applicant and made available to the City Recorder at the time of application.

Section 4. Appeal. Any person denied a permit fee exemption by the City Recorder may appeal to the City Council either in writing or in person within ten (10) days after said denial.

Section 5. Penalties. Any person falsifying information to the City Recorder in order to obtain a building and/or mechanical permit fee exemption shall upon conviction thereof be guilty of a misdemeanor, and punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100.00 or 30 days in jail or both at the discretion of the Municipal Judge.

Passed by the City Council this 22nd day of Oct., 1974

Approved by the Mayor this 23^{cd} day of 0.6, 1974.

Dr. Riley Allen, Mayor

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