

AN ORDINANCE     **99745**

ESTABLISHING AND AMENDING VARIOUS FEES CHARGED BY THE CONVENTION FACILITIES DEPARTMENT FOR CONVENTION FACILITY ROOM AND EQUIPMENT RENTALS AND AMENDING THE CORRESPONDING SECTIONS OF THE CITY CODE TO REFLECT SUCH CHANGES.

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**WHEREAS**, rates for room and equipment rental at the City's Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center, Lila Cockrell Theater, and Municipal Auditorium (the "Convention Facilities") were established through Ordinances 88496, 90500, and 93084 and these fees are codified in the City Code of the City of San Antonio (the "City Code") Sections 22-35.1, 22-35.2, and 22-35.3; and

**WHEREAS**, the Convention Facilities Department has recommended, and the City Council concurs, that the rental cost of rooms used for Social Events in the Lower Level of Municipal Auditorium be increased; fees for chair rental, standard microphone rental, and house technician labor be increased; and fees for the rental of new equipment to be made available to customers of the Convention Facilities be established; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council authorizes the amendment of the City Code to reflect said increases and newly established fees and that the amendments are to be effective on October 1, 2004; **NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

**SECTION 1.** The City Code of the City of San Antonio, Section 22-35.1 is hereby amended to reflect the following increases in fees for services at the City's Convention Facilities:

The rental rate for Social Events in the Lower Level of Municipal Auditorium is increased from \$800.00 to \$1,200.00.

Chair rental is increased from \$0.30 to \$0.60.

Standard microphone rental is increased from \$20.00 to \$25.00.

House technician labor is increased from \$20.00/per hour to \$25.00/per hour.

**SECTION 2.** The City Code of the City of San Antonio, Sections 22-35.1, is hereby amended to include the following fees for service and equipment rental available at the City's Convention Facilities:

Sound and Light Board Operator	\$25.00/per hour (standard)
Sound and Light Board Operator	\$35.00/per hour (overtime)
Cassette Recorder/Player	\$30.00/per day

Single Compact Disc Player	\$40.00/per day
Dual Stereo Cassette Recorder/Player	\$45.00/per day
S-VHS Playback	\$75.00/per day
8 Channel Mixer	\$60.00/per day
12-16 Channel Mixer	\$90.00/per day
24-36 Channel Mixer	\$150.00/per day
Active Press Box 16 Channel	\$60.00/per day
Mini Disc Recorder	\$75.00/per day
Microphone Cable Pack	\$30.00/per pack
Reverb Effects Package	\$75.00/per day
Exhibit Booth PA System	\$50.00/per day
Medium Audio System	\$500.00/First Day
Medium Audio System	\$250.00/Subsequent Day After First Day Purchase
Audio-In Patch Fee	\$35.00/\$700.00 max per event
Video Patch/Tie Fee	\$15.00/per patch
Video Patch/Tie Fee	\$300.00/per event
Modulator	\$15.00/per channel
Reverse Modulator	\$250.00/per day
Satellite Tie-In Fee	\$50.00/per patch
Scrims and Screens	\$100.00/per event
Video Message System Programming Fee	\$100.00
Video Message System Reprogramming Fee	\$50.00
Video Message System	\$200.00/per day
Enhanced Microphone Package	\$320.00/per event
Premium Wired Microphone	\$35.00/per day
Mini-Snake Box	\$20.00/per event
Audio Snake Box	\$50.00/per event
Monitor Mix Package I	\$75.00/per day
Monitor Mix Package II	\$100.00/per day
Audio Patch Cables	\$5.00/per patch
Yellow Jacket Cable Ramp Protectors	\$15.00/per section
Standard Lectern	\$35.00/per day
Oak Ballroom Lectern	\$70.00/per day
Translation Transmitter	\$35.00/per day
Translation Receiver Belt Pack	\$10.00/per day
One (1) Set of Three (3) Bleacher Sections	\$600.00/per set-up/teardown
One (1) Set of Four (4) Bleacher Sections	\$800.00/per set-up/teardown
Entire Set of ten (10) Bleacher Sections	\$1,700.00/per set-up/teardown
Digital Console	\$300.00/per day
House Amplification and Speakers Only	\$600.00/per day

**SECTION 3.** The fees and rates set out in Sections 1 and 2 of this Ordinance supersede any and all rates established for those purposes in prior Ordinances of the City Council. A copy of the "San Antonio Convention Facilities Rental Rates" and "San Antonio Convention Facilities Rental Policies" revised with the changes authorized by this Ordinance are attached as Exhibit I and Exhibit II and are hereby made a part of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** The fees and rates set out in Exhibit I and Exhibit II approved and revised by Ordinances 88496, 90500, and 93084 and this Ordinance establish the fees and rates for the rental of each identified service and item at the City's Convention Facilities and shall replace City Code Section 22-35.1.

**SECTION 5.** This Ordinance shall become effective on and after October 1, 2004.

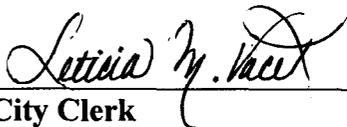
**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 2004.



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ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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for City Attorney