



## Small Cell-Wireless Communication Facilities **General Plan Maintenance Fee Refund**

**Effective 10/19/2020**

On October 13, 2020, the San Diego City Council exempted the General Plan Maintenance Fee (GPMF) from Right-of-Way permit applications associated with small cell-wireless communication facilities (i.e. 5G) as a result of Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Order 18-133.

Permit applicants who paid the GPMF for Right-of-Way permit applications associated with small cell-wireless communication facilities on or after September 27, 2018 are eligible to apply for a refund. Please note the refund only applies to the GPMF paid.

To request a refund, eligible applicants may submit the Planning Department's [Fee Refund Application \(Form PL-100\)](#) available here:  
<https://www.sandiego.gov/planning>

For additional reference please review the legislative materials associated with [Item 332](#) on the October 13, 2020 City Council agenda. For questions please contact the Planning Department at (619) 533-4775 for assistance.