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While I understand there might be a revenue need for increasing fees, my belief is this will create more unlicensed activity. I believe there are many Massage Therapists now who work without a license for whatever the reason. They know there are not enough inspectors to go around so they are comfortable working without a license. I believe this increase in fees will cause more free lance Massage Therapists to not renew.

Then if you have someone with multiple license such as nursing and massage therapy, the fees start to add up. Maybe you could make the renewal amount slightly less than the large jump that is currently being proposed.

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