## Understanding costs to set up your ESM program

For buildings built <u>before</u> 1 July 1994	For buildings built or altered after 1 July 1994
(where no upgrades have been undertaken)	
Step 1 Obtain a Maintenance Determination from a Registered Building Surveyor which will outline your ESM Maintenance Schedule COST \$1500-\$2000 (upfront one off cost)	Step 1 Display your Occupancy Permit in the foyer of your building OR if you cannot locate the Occupancy Permit, contact your Local Council to obtain a copy, there may be a small fee for this charged by the Council <b>COST \$TBC</b> (if need to obtain copy from Council – one off cost)
Step 2 Service/maintain (including testing) your ESMs in accordance with the Occupancy Permit or ESM Maintenance Schedule. COST \$TBC (is specific to each building)	Step 2 Service/maintain (including testing) your ESMs in accordance with the Occupancy Permit or ESM Maintenance Schedule. COST \$TBC (is specific to each building)
Step 3 Obtain an Annual Essential Safety Measures Report (AESMR). At least 12 months' evidence of testing is required to complete an AESMR. If you are not utilising Statcom, email your completed AESMR and evidence to aesmr@victas.uca.org.au COST \$850 (billed quarterly )	Step 3 Obtain an Annual Essential Safety Measures Report (AESMR). At least 12 months' evidence of testing is required to complete an AESMR. If you are not utilising Statcom, email your completed AESMR and evidence to aesmr@victas.uca.org.au COST \$850 (billed quarterly )
[First quarter \$350, Second quarter \$150, Third quarter \$150, Fourth quarter \$150]	[First quarter \$350, Second quarter \$150, Third quarter \$150, Fourth quarter \$150]
Total costs to set up your ESM program	Total costs to set up your ESM program
<b>COST \$2350 - \$2850</b> <b>plus</b> cost of contractors to maintain/test ESMs per step 2	<b>COST \$850</b> <b>plus</b> cost of contractors to maintain/test ESMs per step 2 and any fee Council charges to obtain Occupancy Permit
Ongoing annual costs	Ongoing annual costs
<b>COST \$600 (Statcom)</b> (billed \$150 per quarter) <b>plus</b> cost of contractors to maintain/test ESMs per step 2	<b>COST \$600 (Statcom)</b> (billed \$150 per quarter) <b>plus</b> cost of contractors to maintain/test ESMs per step 2