



WATER RATES, BILLING STRUCTURE & TAP FEES

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WATER CONSUMPTION CHARGES

Usage (cubic feet)	Rate/CCF (Inside City)	Rate/CCF (Outside City)
First 500	1.716	2.059
Next 1,500	1.490	1.788
Next 5,500	1.310	1.572
Next 22,500	1.153	1.384
Next 90,000	0.905	1.086
Over 120,000	0.701	0.841

MONTHLY WATER MINIMUM CHARGE

Meter Size	Minimum Usage (Cubic feet)	Minimum Usage (Approx. Gallon Equivalent)	Minimum Monthly Charge (Inside City)	Minimum Monthly Charge (Outside City)
5/8"	452	3,380	7.76	9.31
3/4"	675	5,050	11.19	13.43
1"	1,260	9,420	19.90	23.88
1½"	3,053	22,840	44.72	53.66
2"	5,711	42,720	79.54	95.45
3"	14,090	10,540	178.96	214.75
4"	26,163	19,570	318.16	381.79
6"	69,073	51,670	716.02	859.22
8"	133,701	100,010	1,272.95	1,527.54
10"	235,781	176,360	1,988.53	2,386.24
12"	360,542	269,690	2,863.10	3,435.72

WATER SERVICE FUND CHARGE (WATER LEAK INSURANCE)

Each customer is assessed a monthly charge of **\$2.00**, which is used solely for the repair and/or replacement of leaking water service lines.

BULK SALES CHARGES

Sales tanker trucks or other bulk users shall be metered or estimated where metering is not feasible and the rates and charges shall apply except there shall be a minimum charge of **\$24.00** per month. Public Fire Protection Charges will not apply to Temporary connections used to meter bulk sales volumes.



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FIRE PROTECTION CHARGES

All customers located within 1,000 feet of a public fire hydrant shall pay a monthly public fire protection charge as follows:

METER SIZE	PUBLIC FIRE HYDRANT		PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION	
	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
5/8"	2.25	2.70		
3/4"	2.25	2.70		
1"	5.77	6.92	2.96	3.55
1½"	12.98	15.58		
2"	23.06	27.67	5.98	7.18
3"	51.90	62.28	11.96	14.35
4"	92.28	110.74	23.90	28.68
6"	207.62	249.14	29.63	35.56
8"	369.08	442.90	50.88	61.06
10"	576.70	692.04	79.53	95.44
12"			114.66	137.59

NON-RECURRING CHARGES

Disconnect for Nonpayment	11.00
Reconnect	8.00
Non-Sufficient Funds Checks	20.00
Service Initiation	20.00
Meter Downsize (to change a meter that is 1" or smaller without re-plumbing)	32.00
Frozen Meter (1" or smaller)	40.00
Damages or Lost Meter	At Cost
Inspection & Testing Fee for Backflow Prevention Devices	
1½" meter or smaller	50.00
2" meter or larger	75.00
Return Trip	15.00
Unauthorized User of Water System	200.00
Late Payment Charge	
On First Three Dollars (\$3.00) of the water charge	10%
Amount in Excess of Three Dollars (\$3.00) of the water charge	3%



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TAP FEES

The charge for installation of a 1-inch tap is **\$185.00** inside the City and **\$222.00** outside of the City. Tap fees include the installed tapping valve and the material for the curb valve and box, but do not include any service line. Charges for taps larger than 1-inch are at cost:

2" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
6 x 2"	857.00	1,028.40
8 x 2"	864.00	1,036.80
10 x 2"	870.00	1,044.00
12 x 2"	875.00	1,050.00
16 x 2"	933.00	1,119.60
20 x 2"	1,050.00	1,260.00
24 x 2"	1,150.00	1,380.00
30 x 2"	1,350.00	1,620.00

4" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
4 x 4"	2,058.00	2,469.60
6 x 4"	2,129.00	2,554.80
8 x 4"	2,165.00	2,598.00
10 x 4"	2,272.00	2,726.40
12 x 4"	2,361.00	2,833.20
16 x 4"	2,714.00	3,256.80
20 x 4"	2,867.00	3,440.40
24 x 4"	3,000.00	3,600.00

6" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
6 x 6"	2,335.00	2,802.00
8 x 6"	2,371.00	2,845.20
10 x 6"	2,502.00	3,002.40
12 x 6"	2,603.00	3,123.60
16 x 6"	3,064.00	3,676.80
20 x 6"	3,169.00	3,802.80
24 x 6"	3,280.00	3,936.00

8" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
8 x 8"	2,829.00	3,394.80
10 x 8"	2,990.00	3,588.00
12 x 8"	3,151.00	3,781.20
16 x 8"	3,474.00	4,168.80
20 x 8"	3,747.00	4,496.40
24 x 8"	4,050.00	4,860.00

10" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
10 x 10"	3,780.00	4,536.00
12 x 10"	3,911.00	4,693.20
16 x 10"	4,294.00	5,152.80
20 x 10"	5,047.00	6,056.40
24 x 10"	5,900.00	7,080.00

12" TAPS		
Water main and tap size	Inside City	Outside of City
12 x 12"	4,971.00	5,965.20
16 x 12"	5,354.00	6,424.80
20 x 12"	6,587.00	7,904.40
24 x 12"	6,868.00	8,241.60