

Fire Sprinkler Systems Charges

Charges for fire sprinkler systems are payable monthly at the following rates for each system:

System Size	Monthly Rate
1 1/2 inch	\$1.00
2 inch	\$1.50
3 inch	\$2.00
4 inch	\$5.00
6 inch	\$10.00
8 inch	\$15.00
10 inch	\$30.00
12 inch	\$45.00

Wastewater Surcharge Rates

Industrial and commercial water users that discharge high-strength waste to the wastewater system are charged a cost recovery surcharge, based on the following:

Concentration subject to surcharge (mg/l)	Rate per 1,000 pounds
Five-day BOD5:	
251-500	\$46.00
501-750	\$92.00
751-1,000 (maximum level)	\$138.00
Total Suspended Solids:	
251-500	\$103.00
501-750 (maximum level)	\$135.00
Oil and Grease:	
101-150	\$80.00
151-200 (maximum level)	\$160.00

The mission of the Public Utilities Department is to maintain the financial stability and operational quality and integrity of the Water Treatment/Distribution and Wastewater Treatment/Collection Systems.



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Visit our website, which has a bill calculator and billing information
www.accpublicutilities.com

For additional information call:

• Engineering Management	706.613.3490
• Meter Management	706.613.3479
• Water Business/Billing	706.613.3500 706.613.3870
• Water Conservation	706.613.3729
• Water/Sewer Line Construction	706.613.3495
• Water/Sewer Capital Projects	706.613.3470

Monthly Water & Sewer Service Rates & Fees

Effective July 1, 2009



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Rates & Fees for:

- **Residential**
- **Non-Residential**
 - Commercial
 - Institutions
 - Industrial
 - Health & Safety
- **Fire Sprinkler Systems**
- **Wastewater Surcharge Rates**



Residential Rates & Fees

Residential Water Use is billed on a 4-tiered pricing system, based on Winter Average (WA) water use or 100 gallons a day multiplied by the number of days in the billing cycle, whichever is greater. The minimum WA is 3,000 gallons per month. The WA is the average amount of water used during December, January, February and March of 2005-2006. Outdoor water use meter readings are combined with indoor use in calculating the WA.

Tier 1 Winter Average

WA water use at a rate of \$3.85 per 1000 gallons

Tier 2 Up to 10% over Winter Average

Additional water use up to 10% over the WA at a rate of \$4.81 per 1000 gallons

Tier 3 More than 10% to 25% over Winter Average

Additional water use more than 10% up to 25% over WA at a rate of \$5.76 per 1000 gallons

Tier 4 More than 25% of Winter Average

Additional water use more than 25% over the WA at a rate of \$9.63 per 1000 gallons

Residential Sewer Use is equal to 100% of water consumption. The residential sewer rate is \$3.14 per 1000 gallons.

Non-Residential Sewer Use is equal to 100% of water consumption unless approved differently by the Public Utilities Director. The non-residential sewer rate is \$3.14 per 1000 gallons.

Customer Service Fees

Monthly customer service fees cover the overhead costs for meter reading, meter maintenance and billing operations.

Water Monthly Customer Service Fee

is based on meter size. Residential homes typically have 5/8 or 3/4 inch water meters. Residential customers **are not** charged an additional customer service fee for irrigation meters.

Meter Size	Fee
5/8 or 3/4 inch	\$7.17
1 inch	\$7.85
1 1/2 inch	\$9.54
2 inch	\$25.36
3 inch	\$33.16
4 inch	\$43.20
6 inch	\$96.08
8 inch	\$124.89

Sewer Monthly Customer Service Fee = \$6.82



Non-Residential Rates & Fees

Non-Residential Water Use is billed on a 4-tiered pricing system, based on the 2006 Annual Average (AA) of monthly water use. Outdoor water use meter readings are billed at Tier 4.

Tier 1 Annual Average

AA water use at a rate of \$3.54 per 1000 gallons

Tier 2 Up to 10% over Annual Average

Additional water use up to 10% over the AA at a rate of \$4.43 per 1000 gallons

Tier 3 More than 10% to 25% over Annual Average

Additional water use more than 10% up to 25% over AA at a rate of \$5.31 per 1000 gallons

Tier 4 More than 25% of Annual Average

Additional water use more than 25% over the AA and all outdoor water use meters at a rate of \$8.85 per 1000 gallons