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# RATES & FEE SCHEDULE

## FISCAL YEAR

### 2009-2010

#### Residential Sewer

Base Fee

\$12 per connection

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### Usage (Per 1,000)

0-3	\$3.25
3-6	\$3.50
6-10	\$4.50
10+	\$4.65

**Flat Rate Fee Sewer Only (Non Metered)** \$50

### Commercial Sewer

#### Base Fee

¾" Meter	\$20
1" Meter	\$35
2" Meter	\$50
Over 2" Meter	\$75

### Usage (Per 1,000)

All Usage (0-6000)	\$4.00
All Usage (6001 above)	\$5.50

### Tap Fees

To be done by licensed and insured utilities contractor hired and paid directly by customer . Inspected by BRWS with inspection fee applied

Cost + 10% if hired and paid by H2GO

### Sewer Impact Fees

Residential	\$2100 per House
Commercial	\$2100 per 360 gallons

### Sewer Transmission Capital Recovery Fee

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Residential	\$1000 per House
Commercial	\$1000 per 360 gallons

\*Capital Recovery Fee and Impact Fee for **commercial** are calculated using equaling **10800** gallons of water per month or **360** gallons per day, based on information submitted by Owner or Owner's Engineer or as allowed by North Carolina State standard (as defined in 15A NCAC 02T .0114).

## Residential Water

<b>Base Charges</b>	<u><a href="#">3/4" Residential Meter</a></u>	\$10
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<a href="#">1" Residential Meter</a>	\$16
<a href="#">2" Residential Meter</a>	\$25
<a href="#">Multiple Connections</a>	\$10 per connection

### Usage (Per 1,000)

0-3	\$3.25
3-6	\$3.50
6-10	\$3.85
10+	\$4.00

### Water Tap Fees (Not Including Cost of Meter)

To be done by licensed and insured utilities contractor hired and paid directly by customer . Inspected by BRWS with inspection fee applied.

Cost + 10% if hired and paid by H2GO

Irrigation split out	Cost of Meter, MXU and Box
Irrigation stand alone	Cost of Meter, MXU and Box

### Water Impact Fees

¾" Meter	\$860 per House
1" Meter	\$860 per House

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2" Meter	\$1000 minimum or \$860 per 360 Gallon
3" per	\$2000 minimum or \$860 per 360 Gallons
4" Meter	\$3000 minimum or \$860 per 360 Gallons
6" Meter	\$4000 minimum or \$860 per 360 Gallons

Irrigation is same as above impact fees based upon meter size.

## Water Capital Recovery Fees

Residential, Irrigation	\$300 per House
Commercial	\$300 per 360 gallons

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## Commercial Water

### ¾" Commercial Meter

Base Fee	\$16
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All Usage (0-6000) \$3.75 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$5.00 per 1000

### 1" Commercial Meter

Base Fee (Plus Usage) \$20

All Usage (0-6000) \$4.25 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$5.50 per 1000

### 2" Commercial Meter

Base Fee (Plus Usage) \$24

All Usage (0-6000) \$5.00 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$6.25 per 1000

### 3" Commercial Meter

Base Fee (Plus Usage) \$28

All Usage (0-6000) \$5.75 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$6.75 per 1000

### 4" Commercial Meter

Base Fee (Plus Usage) \$32

All Usage (0-6000) \$5.75 per 1000

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All Usage (6001 above) \$6.75 per 1000

### 6" Commercial Meter

Base Fee (Plus Usage) \$36

All Usage (0-6000) \$5.75 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$6.75 per 1000

### **Temporary Hydrant Meter**

3/4" Deposit \$200

Base Charge Per Day \$5

All Usage (0-6000) \$3.75 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$4.25 per 1000

Hookup Fee \$50

3" Deposit \$1000

Base Charge Per Day \$15

All Usage (0-6000) \$3.75 per 1000

All Usage (6001 above) \$4.25 per 1000

Hookup Fee \$50

**Hydrant Flow Testing** \$200.00

### **Irrigation Water**

Base Charge (Plus Usage)

3/4" Residential Meter \$10

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<u>1" Residential Meter</u>	\$16
<u>2" Residential Meter</u>	\$25
<u>Multiple Connections</u>	\$10 per connection

**Usage**

0-3	\$4.50 per 1000
3-6	\$4.75 per 1000
6-10	\$5.00 per 1000
10-20	\$5.25 per 1000
20-50	\$5.50 per 1000
50+	\$6.00 per 1000

<b>Return Check Charge</b>	\$25
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Party Collection Fee</b>	\$35% of Unpaid Account Balance
<b>Credit Card Convenience Fee</b>	2.85% (minimum \$1.00) <b>Online</b> \$3.00 <b>Phone</b>
<b>Application Fee</b>	<b>\$50</b> (Non-Refundable)
<b>Current Customer request for return of Deposit</b>	\$3.00
<b>Processing Fee</b>	
Impact Retainage Fee	10% of total Impact Fees

**Security Deposit Water, Sewer & Irrigation (Separate Deposit for each service)**

H2GO shall consider the status of the applicant and act according to the following criteria:

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### Residential Service Applicants

1. New-service applicants who pose no credit risk (Green Light returned on ONLINE Utility Exchange) will be charged no deposit.
2. New-service applicants who pose minimal risk (Yellow Light returned on ONLINE Utility Exchange) will be charged a deposit of \$50 per service. (Services to include Water, Sewer, and Irrigation)
3. New-service applicants who pose substantial credit risk (Red Light returned on ONLINE Utility Exchange) will be charged a deposit of \$75 per service.
4. Any existing customer who has no deposit and becomes delinquent (i.e. have not paid current bill for 30 days, or has had two or more delinquencies in any consecutive 24-month period), shall be deemed to have an unsatisfactory payment record and may be required to pay a maximum deposit to continue service.
5. Any request for extension where the customer has had existing service for six months or more, shall have a new ONLINE Utility Exchange pulled and, if the decision indicates credit risk, the deposit shall be required to be increased to the appropriate deposit amount.
6. A customer who has had service terminated for non-payment shall be required to pay a maximum deposit prior to reconnection to the District's Utility System.
7. A service applicant who provides a social security number that is returned as deceased, non-issued, belonging to a person under the age of 18, or belonging to a person other than the applicant, or is fraudulent, shall be **required to provide a valid social security number as well as additional proof of identity i.e. valid drivers license, Social Security Card, etc. before service will be activated.**
8. H2GO cannot demand that an applicant provide their social security number as a requirement for service. However, it is our policy that applicants who refuse to provide their social security number pose a greater credit risk and shall be charged the maximum deposit.

### Commercial Applicants

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1. Commercial applicant's deposit will be determined in the following manner:

A. Water and Irrigation Service - Based on Meter Size:

3/4" - 1"	\$ 75 per service
2" - 3"	\$150 per service
4"	\$300 per service
6"	\$400 per service

B. Sewer Service:

2" Forcemain	\$ 75
4" Gravity	\$ 75
6" Gravity	\$175

### Irrigation Ban Fines

1<sup>st</sup> Offense=WARNING

2<sup>nd</sup> Offense=\$50.00

3<sup>rd</sup> Offense=\$100.00

4<sup>th</sup> Offense=\$250.00

5<sup>th</sup> Offense=\$1000.00

Reconnect Fees 9:00-5:00 \$35.00

### Copies

Maps

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GIS/As-Builts 11x17	\$5.00 per Map
GIS/As-Builts 24x36	\$10.00 per Map
8 ½" x 11 Black & White	\$.25 per page
Mailed 8 ½" x 11 Black & White	\$.65 for first page \$.25 each additional

### Labor & Equipment Charges

<u>Personnel</u>	<u>Per Hour</u>	
Director	\$75.00	
Assistant Director	\$60.00	
Utilities Director	\$50.00	
WW Plant Superintendent	\$40.00	
WW Plant ORC	\$35.00	
Collections Superintendent	\$40.00	
Back-up Collections Superintendent	\$35.00	
Inspector	\$35.00	
Maintenance Mechanic	\$30.00	

  

<u>Equipment</u>	1 <sup>st</sup> Hour	All After
Backhoe/Mini Excavator	\$100.00	\$50.00

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Vac Truck	\$250.00	\$125.00
Dump Truck	\$70.00	\$35.00
Service Truck	\$60.00	\$30.00
Rented Equipment	Cost + 10%	
Parts & Supplies	Cost + 10%	
<b>Service Call</b>	\$50 per hour	
	After business hours \$100 per hour	

**Backflow Testing Fines**                      **\$100.00 plus Service Call IF NOT TESTED**

(If irrigation service is disconnected due to lack of backflow test there will be a \$35.00 reconnect fee and a \$50.00 service call to reconnect.)

**Illegal or Unapproved Connection**                      **\$1,000.00 plus any state imposed fines.**

**Grease Trap Fines**                                      **\$500.00 plus disposal cost if not regularly maintained**

**Reconnect Fee Water**                                      \$35

**Sewer Reconnect Fee**                                      \$100

### Inspection Fee

1<sup>st</sup> Inspection      NO FEE

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2<sup>nd</sup> and Subsequent Inspections of same project \$50.00 per utility.

**Plan Review Fee**

1<sup>st</sup> Review no fee to be charged with comment.

2<sup>nd</sup> and Subsequent review of same project \$50.00 per utility.

**Meter Tampering Fee**

1<sup>st</sup> offense \$100 2<sup>nd</sup> offense \$500 3<sup>rd</sup> offense \$1000

**Water Meter Testing**

Meter Testing ¾" and 1" \$50.00

Meter Testing 2" and larger \$100.00

**Meter Costs**

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<b>3/4" Domestic</b>	<b>\$103.00</b>
<b>1" Domestic</b>	<b>\$168.00</b>
<b>2" Domestic</b>	<b>\$397.00</b>
<b>Meter Box</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>
<b>Meter Register</b>	<b>\$58.00</b>
<b>Meter Yoke</b>	
3/4"	\$65.00
1"	\$130.00
2"	\$1000.00
<b>Golf Box</b>	<b>\$180.00</b>
<b>Lock</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>
<b>Duel Port MXU</b>	<b>\$155.00</b>
<b>Single Port MXU</b>	<b>\$145.00</b>

### Adjustments in Sewer Bill for Water Leaks

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Verify that there was a leak. Once leak has been determined verify that the repairs have been made. Customer must provide proof of repair in order to receive leak adjustment. Average usage for 12 months and charge regular rate for this amount. Once the amount is determined deduct the excess amount from the sewer bill only for up to a maximum of two consecutive months. **(Limit two adjustments per year)**

For pool adjustments there will be a minimum of 6,000 gallons usage and this shall be limited to one time per calendar year deducted from sewer bill only.

### **Water Disruption Charge**

When a water main is cut or otherwise damaged without having been located or the located line has been hit within three (3) feet of marking causing a major loss of potable water and or interruption of water service to residents a **\$1000.00 minimum plus clean up and repairs will be charged to the responsible party or parties.**

### **Sewage Disruption Charge**

When a force main, gravity line or sewer service is cut or otherwise damaged without having been located or the located line has been hit within three (3) feet of marking a **\$1000.00 minimum plus all clean up, line repair costs and any fines imposed by NCDWQ will be charged to the responsible party or parties.**

### **Infiltration Treatment Charge**

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When a force main, gravity line or sewer service is cut or otherwise damaged and infiltration of water, sand or other debris occurs without having been located or the located line has been hit within three (3) feet of marking a **\$1000.00 minimum plus all required line, lift station and plant cleaning along with any fines imposed by NCDWQ will be charged to the responsible party or parties.**

**NOTE: When both Sewage Disruption Charge and Infiltration Treatment Charge are imposed only one (1) \$1000.00 minimum shall apply.**

As ADOPTED the 17th Day of November, 2009

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Perry Davis,-Chairman

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Poe Butler, Secretary

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Teresa Long, Clerk to the Board