



ATTENTION CITY WATER CUSTOMERS.....

The City Council has adopted a new consumption based rate structure that goes into effect December 1, 2005 for water consumed during November.

The new rate is entirely consumption based, no minimum consumption and no flat rate (except for the \$18.00 Nacimiento Water surcharge). Everyone pays the same rate beginning with the first gallon consumed (measured in units = 1 unit = 100 cubic feet = 748 gallons). It puts you in greater control of your own water bill.

For some customers, depending on consumption, it will result in lower monthly water bills and for others, higher water bills. The new rate is \$1.32 per unit (unit = 100 cubic feet = 748 gallons).

To calculate your own bill, simply multiply \$1.32 times the estimated/actual consumption units. Historically consumption data is provided on your water bill and is updated with each monthly statement.

#1 for example, if you use 50 units, your monthly bill for water, under the new structure, will be \$84.00 (\$1.32 times 50 units + \$18 for Nacimiento Water).

#2 for example, if you use only 10 units, your bill for water, under the new structure, will be \$31.20 (\$1.32 times 10 + \$18 for Nacimiento Water).

The above examples do NOT include fees for sewer service. For more information, please call 237-3996.



NOTICE OF NEW WATER SERVICE FEES & PENALTIES.....

Unfortunately, the cost of water services has risen to a level that penalty and special services fees must be imposed in order to provide a greater degree of equity and fairness to all customers.

For many years, all customers have paid the cost of special services that are used by a few. Examples of these services include door hanger notification for discontinuing water service, meter re-reads, promissory notes, after hour connections, and service restoration (after water service has been discontinued).

The quantities of these services have risen to a level that requires either additional staff (costing all customers more \$\$ in the way of higher rates) or imposing fees to discourage certain behavior.

The new fees are identified as follows:

Special Door Hanger	\$38
Routine Door Hanger	\$28
Meter Re-Read¹	\$33
Bench/Calibration Test¹	\$164
After Hours Connection	\$328
Fire Hydrant Relocation	\$126
Promissory Note	\$28
New Account Activation	\$38
New Account Deposit	\$82
Service Restoration	\$82

¹ If meter reading is determined to have been mis-read or meter is reading inaccurately, no fee will be imposed.

**THE FEES, adopted by City Council 9/20/05, adjusted every July 1, by CPI.
The fees are effective 7/1/08**

For more information, please call 237-3996.