

**WEST SLOPE WATER DISTRICT**

RESOLUTION NO. 07-2019

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RATES, FEES, AND OTHER CHANGES FOR THE WEST SLOPE WATER DISTRICT; DECLARING EFFECTIVE DATE; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO**

WHEREAS, an open public hearing was held by the Board of Commissioners of the West Slope Water District ("District") on September 18, 2019 for the purpose of considering increases in both the Water Consumption Rate and the Water Base (Meter) Rate; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners is authorized to set water rates and charges by resolution; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 264.312, notice of said public hearing and the purpose thereof was given by mailed notice to all District billing customers in accordance with the requirement of said statute; and

WHEREAS, based on the recommendations of the District staff and the testimony heard, received and considered by the Board from such public hearing, the Board of Commissioners finds that:

- (1) The District purchases all of its water supply for distribution within the District from the City of Portland; and
- (2) It is necessary to adopt increased water rates in accordance with the Exhibit A - Schedule of Rates set forth below in order to cover the increased cost of water from the City of Portland

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE WEST SLOPE WATER DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: Effective September 19, 2019 - The rates and charges shown in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein, shall be adopted by the District.

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED THIS 18TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2019.

**WEST SLOPE WATER DISTRICT**

By Carol M Wild  
Carol Wild, Chair

ATTEST:  
By Noel Reiersen  
Noel Reiersen, Secretary

**Exhibit A****SCHEDULE OF RATES**

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**COMMODITY**

Water Charge	\$5.41 per 100 Cubic Feet (CCF)
Water Charge – Out of District	\$7.46 per 100 Cubic Feet (CCF)

**FIXED CHARGE**

Water Meter Rate Code	Water Meter Size Rate Description	Monthly Water Meter Base Charge
W11	5/8x3/4" Meter	\$ 17.65
W21	1" Meter	30.00
W31	1 1/2" Meter	49.26
W41	2" Meter	75.45
W51	3" Meter	164.10
W61	4" Meter	248.10
W71	6" Meter	455.65
F21	2" Fire Meter	26.25
F41	4" Fire Meter	71.21
F61	6" Fire Meter	137.31
F81	8" Fire Meter	216.63
FS1	1/2 6" Fire Meter	68.66
FT1	Target Fire Meter	331.15
WH2	Hydrant Use	74.37
X11	5/8x3/4" Meter (Out of District)	19.78

**APPLICATION AND INSTALLATION OF A NEW WATER SERVICE AND/OR METER**

The charges shall be (excluding any pavement restoration):

		Application/ Installation	SDC	Total
District provided service from main to meter	5/8x3/4" Meter	\$2,103	\$1,552	\$3,655
District installed meter – drop-in fee	5/8x3/4" Meter	273	1,552	1,825
District provided service from main to meter	1" Meter	2,152	3,103	5,225
District installed meter – drop-in fee	1" Meter	331	3,103	3,434
District provided service from main to meter	1 1/2" Meter	3,711	7,758	11,469
District installed meter – drop-in fee	1 1/2" Meter	440	7,758	8,198
District provided service from main to meter	2" Meter	4,898	12,414	17,312
District installed meter – drop in fee	2" Meter	557	12,414	12,971
Customer installed from main and meter	3" Meter	123	24,827	24,950
Customer installed from main and meter	4" Meter	123	38,793	38,916
Customer installed from main and meter	6" Meter	123	77,586	77,709
Customer installed from main and meter	8" Meter	123	124,137	124,260
Customer installed from main and meter	10" Meter	123	178,447	178,570
Customer installed from main and meter	12" Meter	123	349,135	349,258

**OTHER SERVICE CHARGES AND PENALTIES**

1. Turning on water by Water District personnel:
  - a. With an approved Turn On order from office staff during regular office hours No Charge
  - b. After office hours, weekends, and holidays No Charge
2. Special Service: Shut Off and/or Turn On at customer's/owner's request:
  - a. During regular office hours No Charge
  - b. After office hours, weekends, and holidays No Charge
3. Shutting Off and Turning On service for water non-payment:
  - a. During regular office hours \$100.00
4. Additional charges, if necessary, to enforce payment of a bill and/or charges:
  - a. Removal of the water meter \$25.00
  - b. Reinstallation of the meter No Charge
  - c. Turning on water after hours weekends or holidays \$200.00
  - d. Turning on and/or using water without authority from The District \$25.00
  - e. Installation or removal of a lock on a meter \$25.00
  - f. Repair of any breakage/damage to locking mechanism (curb stops, etc.) Parts & Labor + 15%
  - g. Shutting off water at the main or reinstating service Parts & Labor + 15%
  - h. Check returned by bank for non-payment (NSF) \$25.00
  - i. Electronic fund transfer (NSF) \$25.00
  - j. Replacing destroyed locks \$25.00
  - k. Notice of Shut Off placed on doorknob \$25.00
5. Decreasing or increasing the size of the meter Parts & Labor + 15%
6. Increasing the size of the service from the main New Service Charge
7. Testing water meters at the customer's or owner's request:
  - a. Testing on premises (1-inch or smaller) No Charge
  - b. Removal of meter for testing (1-inch or smaller) No Charge
  - c. Testing of meters larger than 1-inch No Charge

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| 8. Usage of a meter key (must be within the District)   | No Charge           |
| 9. Removal of a meter during construction<br>(Considered as vandalism and/or illegal use of water)      | Parts & Labor + 15% |
| 10. Fire hydrant permit (Mandatory by rule to use a hydrant for others besides the District and the FD) |                     |
| a. Permit – Rate Code WH2   | \$66.40             |
| b. Special usage (consumption only)   | \$4.83 per CCF      |
| c. Penalty for unauthorized hydrant use   | \$500.00            |
| d. Penalty for using a non-approved, non-inspected filling tank   | \$500.00            |