

STEP 1 - EFF: 45 DAYS FROM PASSAGE OF ORDINANCE

- (C) **APPLICABILITY**
Applicable within the entire territory served
- (C) **AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE**
Available for residential, commercial, governmental, industrial and resale water service.
- (C,I) **RATES (Customers with metered water supply)**
 First 1,000 gallons used per month \$ **31.20** per 1,000 gallons
 Next 3,000 gallons used per month \$ **22.70** per 1,000 gallons
 Next 16,000 gallons used per month \$ **20.15** per 1,000 gallons
 All over 20,000 gallons used per month \$ **18.80** per 1,000 gallons
- (I) **MINIMUM CHARGE**
Each customer shall pay a minimum charge of **\$31.20** per month. (Equivalent to 1,000 gallons of water usage)
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| 5/8 inch meter | \$ 31.20 per month |
| 1 inch meter | \$ 78.00 per month |
| 1-1/4inch meter | \$ 113.88 per month |
| 1-1/2inch meter | \$ 156.00 per month |
| 2 inch meter | \$ 249.60 per month |
| 3 inch meter | \$ 468.00 per month |
| 4 inch meter | \$ 780.00 per month |
| 6 inch meter | \$ 1,560.00 per month |
| 8 inch meter | \$ 2,496.00 per month |
- FLAT-RATE CHARGE (Customers with non-metered water supply)**
Each customer shall pay a minimum charge of **\$99.30** per month. (Equivalent to 4,000 gallons of water usage)

- TAP FEE**
The following charges are to be made whenever the utility installs a new tap to serve an applicant.
- A tap fee (shown below) will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.
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| 5/8 inch meter | \$ 450.00 |
| 1 inch meter | \$ 550.00 |
| 1-1/2 inch meter | \$ 650.00 |
| 2 inch meter | \$ 750.00 |
| 3 inch meter | \$ 850.00 |
| 4 inch meter | \$ 950.00 |
- SECURITY DEPOSITS**
Not to exceed one-twelfth (1/12) of the annual estimated charge for residential service, or one-sixth (1/6) of the annual estimated charge for commercial service, or fifty dollars, whichever is greater.
- CALL OUT CHARGES**
A fee of **\$50.00** will be charged to customers for call outs after working hours or on holidays for problems other than the Town's responsibility. This charge will be assessed if the problem originates in an area beyond the Utility's point of service is so determined at the time of the call out by the Town.
- LEAK ADJUSTMENT**
\$0.71 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when a bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

EFT, ACH, CREDIT CARD AND DROP BOX PAYMENTS
A service charge will be imposed on EFT, ACH, Credit Card or Drop Box payments. The amount shall be equal to the actual charges to the Utility from the financial institution for processing payment.

MUNICIPAL EXCISE TAX SURCHARGE
The Municipality listed below, having imposed a public utility tax computed on the basis of **2.00** percent of the revenues from water sales by Franklin Municipal Water Department within the corporate limits of such municipality, said tax shall be billed as a "Utility Tax" to the customers receiving service within said corporate limits.

The water utility is required to collect the utility tax pursuant to West Virginia Code §8-13-5a.

Customers receiving water service within the corporate limits of the specified municipality shall pay a surcharge based on the following surcharge rate:

Municipality	Utility Tax Rate	Local Tax Rate
Town of Franklin		2.00%

RESALE RATE
All usage per month \$**6.04** per 1,000 gallons

PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE
Where connections, hydrants, sprinklers, etc. on private property are maintained by consumer: **\$35.00** per month.

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY
The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full when due, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net current amount unpaid. This delayed payment penalty is not interest and is to be collected only once for each bill where it is appropriate.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE
A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the Town or a maximum of **\$25.00** will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

WATER DISCONNECT/RECONNECT/ADMINISTRATIVE FEES
Water service will not be restored until all past due water bills have been paid in full and all accrued penalties plus a disconnection charge of **\$50.00** have been paid.

There shall be a **\$50.00** reconnection charge paid prior to restoration of water service which has been previously disconnected for any reason.

In the event that Town staff or agents collect money at the customer's residence in order to stop disconnection, and administrative fee of **\$50.00** shall be paid in addition to other charges to prevent disconnection.

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2 inch meter	\$ 750.00
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4 inch meter	\$ 950.00

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- (I) **RATES (Customers with metered water supply)**
 First 1,000 gallons used per month \$ **37.75** per 1,000 gallons
 Next 3,000 gallons used per month \$ **27.45** per 1,000 gallons
 Next 16,000 gallons used per month \$ **24.35** per 1,000 gallons
 All over 20,000 gallons used per month \$ **22.75** per 1,000 gallons
- (I) **MINIMUM CHARGE**
Each customer shall pay a minimum charge of **\$37.75** per month. (Equivalent to 1,000 gallons of water usage)
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| 5/8 inch meter | \$ 37.75 per month |
| 1 inch meter | \$ 94.40 per month |
| 1-1/4inch meter | \$ 137.80 per month |
| 1-1/2inch meter | \$ 188.75 per month |
| 2 inch meter | \$ 302.00 per month |
| 3 inch meter | \$ 566.25 per month |
| 4 inch meter | \$ 943.75 per month |
| 6 inch meter | \$ 1,887.50 per month |
| 8 inch meter | \$ 3,020.00 per month |

(I) **FLAT-RATE CHARGE (Customers with non-metered water supply)**
Each customer shall pay a minimum charge of **\$120.10** per month. (Equivalent to 4,000 gallons of water usage)

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