

**§ 51.04 WATER SERVICE RATES.**

The following water rates are hereby fixed for the services to be rendered by the Tontitown Municipal Water System for consumers within the corporate limits of the city and for consumers living outside the corporate limits of the city:

<b>TONTITOWN WATER SERVICE RATES - Effective January 21, 2026</b>			
<b>Inside City Minimum Bill</b>		<b>Outside City Minimum Bill</b>	
Meter 5/8" Residential	\$17.00	Meter 5/8" Residential	\$24.44
Meter 5/8" Comm., Ind., Irrigation	\$18.80	Meter 5/8" Comm., Ind., Irrigation	\$24.44
Meter fee (BWRPWA)	\$1.50	Meter fee (BWRPWA)	\$1.50
Health Fee	\$0.40	Health Fee	\$0.40
Local, County, and State Taxes		Local, County, and State Taxes	
<b>Inside City Rates</b>		<b>Outside City Rates</b>	
	<b>Per 1,000 Gal.</b>		<b>Per 1,000 Gal.</b>
Residential	\$6.46	Residential	\$8.08
Commercial	\$7.06	Commercial	\$8.86
Industrial	\$7.69	Industrial	\$9.72

<b>WATER FEES</b>					
<b>Monthly meter base rates</b>	<b>5/8"</b>	<b>1"</b>	<b>2"</b>	<b>3"</b>	<b>4"</b>
Inside city	\$17.00	\$48.07	\$319.03	\$864.91	\$1,152.90
Outside city	\$24.44	\$62.49	\$414.74	\$1,124.38	\$1,498.77
<b>Tap fees</b>	<b>5/8"</b>	<b>1"</b>	<b>2"</b>	<b>3"</b>	<b>4"</b>
Tap fee < 150 psi	\$1,750.00	\$2,000.00	\$5,550.00	At cost	At cost
Tap fees > 150 psi	\$2,200.00	\$2,900.00	\$6,300.00	At cost	At cost
The cost of all road bores shall be paid by the customer. Bores and encasements must comply with TWU Standard Specifications.					
Cost to install a 5/8" irrigation meter on an existing service: \$1000.00					
If a new main line tap is required to install an irrigation meter, customers will be required to pay the full tap fee.					

<b>METER DEPOSIT FEES</b>		
Residential	\$50.00	
Commercial	\$80.00	
Hydrant meter - 2"	\$900.00	
- 5/8"	\$200.00	
<p><i>Notes:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A 10% late charge will be assessed to all bills that are not paid by the due date, as shown on bill.</li> <li>2. All accounts not paid by the shut-off date, as shown on late notice, will have a \$25 reconnection fee if connected during normal business hours.</li> <li>3. All accounts not paid by the shut-off date, as shown on late notice, will have a \$100 reconnection fee if connected after normal business hours.</li> <li>4. Penalty for returned check or bank draft is \$25, plus any bank service charges.</li> <li>5. An annual fee of \$90 will be charged to verify the working condition of cross connection devices. Repairs are the responsibility of the customer.</li> <li>6. The service charge to test meters or change meter sizes is \$50 plus applicable tap charge if needed.</li> </ol>		

(Ord. 2015-10-548, passed 10-6-15; Am. Ord. 2015-12-560, passed 12-1-15; Am. Ord. 2016-08-593, passed 8-3-16; Am. Ord. 2017-01-613, passed 1-3-17; Am. Ord. 2019-01-826, passed 1-2-19; Am. Ord. 2019-07-850, passed 7-2-19; Am. Ord. 2020-02-877, passed 2-4-20; Am. Ord. 2022-01-973, passed 1-4-22; Am. Ord. 2023-04-1048, passed 4-18-23; Am. Ord. 2023-07-1063, passed 7-18-23)