

Butler County Water System, Inc.
CUSTOMER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Butler County Water System, Inc. will file an application with the Kentucky Public Service Commission on or about March 13, 2024, seeking approval of a proposed adjustment to its water rates. The proposed rates shall not become effective until the Public Service Commission has issued an order approving these rates.

Butler County Water System, Inc. is proposing a 2-year phase-in its proposed 34.50 percent rate increase. The proposed year-1 rates are contained in the table below.

5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch- Meter	Current Monthly Rates		Proposed Monthly Rates		Differences	
	Dollar	Percentage	Dollar	Percentage	Dollar	Percentage
First 2,000 Gallons	\$ 20.38	Min. Bill	\$ 23.83	Min. Bill	\$ 3.45	16.93%
Next 4,000 Gallons	0.00590	per Gallon	0.00689	per Gallon	\$ 0.00099	16.78%
Next 44,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
1-Inch Meter						
First 5,000 Gallons	\$ 38.68	Min. Bill	\$ 45.25	Min. Bill	\$ 6.57	16.99%
Next 1,000 Gallons	0.00590	per Gallon	0.00689	per Gallon	\$ 0.00099	16.78%
Next 44,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
1 1/2-Inch Meter						
First 10,000 Gallons	\$ 69.11	Min. Bill	\$ 80.85	Min. Bill	\$ 11.74	16.99%
Next 40,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
2-Inch Meter						
First 16,000 Gallons	\$ 101.44	Min. Bill	\$ 118.67	Min. Bill	\$ 17.23	16.99%
Next 34,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
3-Inch Meter						
First 25,000 Gallons	\$ 164.67	Min. Bill	\$ 192.65	Min. Bill	\$ 27.98	16.99%
Next 25,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
4-Inch Meter						
First 30,000 Gallons	\$ 227.81	Min. Bill	\$ 266.53	Min. Bill	\$ 38.72	17.00%
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00524	per Gallon	0.00612	per Gallon	\$ 0.00088	16.79%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
6-Inch Meter						
First 60,000 Gallons	\$ 397.91	Min. Bill	\$ 465.54	Min. Bill	\$ 67.63	17.00%
Next 40,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
8-Inch						
First 80,000 Gallons	\$ 504.71	Min. Bill	\$ 590.50	Min. Bill	\$ 85.79	17.00%
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00451	per Gallon	0.00527	per Gallon	\$ 0.00076	16.85%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00376	per Gallon	0.00439	per Gallon	\$ 0.00063	16.76%
Private Fire Service Rates:						
1-1/2-Inch	\$ 17.53		\$ 20.51		\$ 2.98000	17.00%
2-Inch	\$ 26.20		\$ 30.65		\$ 4.45000	16.98%
3-Inch	\$ 68.05		\$ 79.62		\$ 11.57000	17.00%
4-Inch	\$ 147.92		\$ 173.07		\$ 25.15000	17.00%
6-Inch	\$ 340.77		\$ 398.70		\$ 57.93000	17.00%
8-Inch	\$ 658.17		\$ 770.06		\$ 111.89000	17.00%
10-Inch	\$ 1,139.70		\$ 1,333.45		\$ 193.75000	17.00%
12-Inch	\$ 1,799.31		\$ 2,105.19		\$ 305.88000	17.00%

If the Public Service Commission approves the proposed year-1 rates, then the average monthly bill for each meter class will be as shown in the table below.

Current and Proposed Customer Bills					
5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch- Meter	Average Monthly Usage	Current Monthly Bill	Proposed Monthly Bill	Differences	
				Dollar	Percentage
5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch- Meter	4,008	\$ 32.22	\$ 37.71	\$ 5.49	17.05%
1-Inch Meter	21,116	\$ 123.78	\$ 144.65	\$ 20.87	16.86%
1.5 Inch Meter	213,248	\$ 930.02	\$ 1,086.77	\$ 156.75	16.85%
2-Inch Meter	44,390	\$ 250.20	\$ 292.42	\$ 42.22	16.87%
4-Inch Meter	80,347	\$ 469.47	\$ 548.86	\$ 79.39	16.91%
6-Inch Meter	39,917	\$ 397.91	\$ 465.54	\$ 67.63	17.00%
Private Fire Service Rates:					
1-1/2-Inch		\$ 17.53	\$ 20.51	\$ 2.98	17.00%
2-Inch		\$ 26.20	\$ 30.65	\$ 4.45	16.98%
3-Inch		\$ 68.05	\$ 79.62	\$ 11.57	17.00%
4-Inch		\$ 147.92	\$ 173.07	\$ 25.15	17.00%
6-Inch		\$ 340.77	\$ 398.70	\$ 57.93	17.00%
8-Inch		\$ 658.17	\$ 770.06	\$ 111.89	17.00%
10-Inch		\$ 1,139.70	\$ 1,333.45	\$ 193.75	17.00%
12-Inch		\$ 1,799.31	\$ 2,105.19	\$ 305.88	17.00%

The proposed year-2 rates are contained in the table below.

5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch- Meter	Current Monthly Rates		Proposed Monthly Rates		Differences	
	Dollar	Percentage	Dollar	Percentage	Dollar	Percentage
First 2,000 Gallons	\$ 23.83	Min. Bill	\$ 27.40	Min. Bill	\$ 3.57	14.98%
Next 4,000 Gallons	0.00689	per Gallon	0.00793	per Gallon	0.00104	15.09%
Next 44,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
1-Inch Meter						
First 5,000 Gallons	\$ 45.25	Min. Bill	\$ 52.01	Min. Bill	\$ 6.76	14.94%
Next 1,000 Gallons	0.00689	per Gallon	0.00793	per Gallon	0.00104	15.09%
Next 44,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
1 1/2-Inch Meter						
First 10,000 Gallons	\$ 80.85	Min. Bill	\$ 92.94	Min. Bill	\$ 12.09	14.95%
Next 40,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
2-Inch Meter						
First 16,000 Gallons	\$ 118.67	Min. Bill	\$ 136.43	Min. Bill	\$ 17.76	14.97%
Next 34,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
3-Inch Meter						
First 25,000 Gallons	\$ 192.65	Min. Bill	\$ 221.47	Min. Bill	\$ 28.82	14.96%
Next 25,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
4-Inch Meter						
First 30,000 Gallons	\$ 266.53	Min. Bill	\$ 306.39	Min. Bill	\$ 39.86	14.96%
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00612	per Gallon	0.00704	per Gallon	0.00092	15.03%
Next 50,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
6-Inch Meter						
First 60,000 Gallons	\$ 465.54	Min. Bill	\$ 535.18	Min. Bill	\$ 69.64	14.96%
Next 40,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
8-Inch						
First 80,000 Gallons	\$ 590.50	Min. Bill	\$ 678.82	Min. Bill	\$ 88.32	14.96%
Next 20,000 Gallons	0.00527	per Gallon	0.00606	per Gallon	0.00079	14.99%
Over 100,000 Gallons	0.00439	per Gallon	0.00505	per Gallon	0.00066	15.03%
Private Fire Service Rates:						
1-1/2-Inch	\$ 20.51		\$ 23.53		\$ 3.02	14.70%
2-Inch	\$ 30.65		\$ 35.16		\$ 4.51	14.70%
3-Inch	\$ 79.62		\$ 91.32		\$ 11.70	14.70%
4-Inch	\$ 173.07		\$ 198.51		\$ 25.44	14.70%
6-Inch	\$ 398.70		\$ 457.31		\$ 58.61	14.70%
8-Inch	\$ 770.06		\$ 883.26		\$ 113.20	14.70%
10-Inch	\$ 1,333.45		\$ 1,529.47		\$ 196.02	14.70%
12-Inch	\$ 2,105.19		\$ 2,414.65		\$ 309.46	14.70%

If the Public Service Commission approves the proposed year-2 rates, then the average monthly bill for each meter class will be as shown in the table below.

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5/8-Inch x 3/4-Inch- Meter	Average Monthly Usage	Current Monthly Bill	Proposed Monthly Bill	Differences	
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1.5 Inch Meter	213,248	\$ 1,086.77	\$ 1,244.42	\$ 157.65	14.51%
2-Inch Meter	44,390	\$ 292.42	\$ 336.30	\$ 43.88	15.01%
4-Inch Meter	80,347	\$ 548.86	\$ 631.09	\$ 82.23	14.98%
6-Inch Meter	39,917	\$ 465.54	\$ 535.18	\$ 69.64	14.96%
Private Fire Service Rates:					
1-1/2-Inch		\$ 20.51	\$ 23.53	\$ 3.02	14.70%
2-Inch		\$ 30.65	\$ 35.16	\$ 4.51	14.70%
3-Inch		\$ 79.62	\$ 91.32	\$ 11.70	14.70%
4-Inch		\$ 173.07	\$ 198.51	\$ 25.44	14.70%
6-Inch		\$ 398.70	\$ 457.31	\$ 58.61	14.70%
8-Inch		\$ 770.06	\$ 883.26	\$ 113.20	14.70%
10-Inch		\$ 1,333.45	\$ 1,529.47	\$ 196.02	14.70%
12-Inch		\$ 2,105.19	\$ 2,414.65	\$ 309.46	14.70%

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by Butler County Water System, Inc. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from these proposed rates. Such action may result in rates for consumers other than the rates shown in this notice. Butler County Water System, Inc. has available for inspection at its office the application which it submitted to the Public Service Commission. A person may examine this application at the System's offices located at 523 US 31W Bypass, Bowling Green, KY, 42102 or 1118 S. Main St Suite 1, Morgantown, KY 42261. You may contact our Morgantown office at (270) 526-4656. A person may also examine the application at the Public Service Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or through the Public Service Commission's website at <http://psc.ky.gov>. Comments regarding the application may be submitted to the Public Service Commission through its website or by mail to Public Service Commission, PO Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602. You may contact the Public Service Commission at 502-564-3940. A person may submit a timely written request for intervention to the Public Service Commission, PO Box 615, Frankfort, KY, 40602, establishing the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Public Service Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of the initial publication of this notice, the Public Service Commission may take final action on the application.