

WEST DAVIESS COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

OF
2430 East 4th Street, Owensboro, Kentucky 42301

Rates, Rules and Regulations for Furnishing
Water

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Daviess County, bordered by McLean County on the South and by Southeast Water District and City of Owensboro on East. Bordered by Ohio River on North and by Henderson County on West.

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1. These rules and regulations are in addition to the rules of the Kentucky Utility Regulatory Commission, hereinafter referred to as "Commission".
2. Any resident of the WEST DAVIESS COUNTY WATER DISTRICT is eligible for water service from the District provided said resident does not require a special line to be laid in order to accomodate said resident.
3. Water service will be terminated within 24 hours after receiving a written request from the customer requesting discontinuance.
4. All applications for service, where the extension required for service does not exceed 50 feet, shall be accompanied by the sum of \$250.00 for a 5/8" meter as a contribution for aid in construction, which is not refundable; larger meter will require a larger, non-refundable deposit. (3" & above)
5. Extension of Service. (1) Normal Extension. An extension of fifty (50) feet or less shall be made by the District to its existing distribution main without charge for a prospective customer who shall apply for and contract to use service for one (1) year or more and provides a guarantee for such service. (2) Other extensions: (a) When an extension of the District's main to serve an applicant or group of applicants amounts to more than fifty (50) feet per applicant, the District may if not inconsistent with its filed tariff require the total cost of the excessive footage over fifty (50) feet per customer to be deposited with the District by the applicant or the applicants, based on the average estimated cost per foot of the total extension. (b) Each customer receiving service under such extension will be reimbursed under the following plan: Each year for a period of not less than ten (10) years, which for the purpose of this rule shall be the refund period, the District shall refund to the customer or customers who paid for the excessive footage the cost of fifty (50) feet of the extension in place for each additional customer connected during the year whose service line is directly connected to the extension installed and not to extensions or laterals therefrom, but in no case shall

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the total amount refunded exceed the amount paid the District. After the end of the refund period, no refund will be required to be made. (3) An applicant desiring an extension to a proposed real estate subdivision may be required to pay the entire cost of the extension. Each year for a period of not less than ten (10) years the utility shall refund to the applicant who paid for the extension a sum equivalent to the cost of fifty (50) feet of the extension installed for each additional customer connected during the year but in no case shall the total amount refunded exceed the amount paid to the District. After the end of the refund period from the completion of the extension, no refund will be required to be made. (4) Nothing contained herein shall be construed as to prohibit the District from making extensions under different arrangements provided such arrangements have been approved by the Commission. (5) Nothing contained herein shall be construed as to prohibit the District from making at its expense greater extensions than herein prescribed, should its judgment so dictate, provided like free extensions are made to other customers under similar conditions. (6) Upon complaint to and investigation by the Commission, the District may be required to construct extensions greater than fifty (50) feet upon a finding by the Commission that such extension is reasonable.

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- 6. Where the customer's property is not contiguous to the main water line right-of-way, as in the case of being down a lane there from, customer has the responsibility of constructing his own line from the meter, said meter to be situated either 30 feet from the center line of the road right-of-way at the option of the customer.
- 7. All meters, service connections and other equipment shall be and remain the property of the District. Customers shall provide a space for, and exercise proper care to protect the property of the District on it's premises, and in the event of loss or damage to the District's property arising from the neglect of customer to care for same, the cost of necessary repairs or replacements shall be paid by the customer.

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- 8. The point of delivery of water is the point where the meter is located on the customers premises. All water lines, plumbing and equipment beyond the meter shall be maintained by the customer.
- 9. The District may require from any customer or applicant for service a minimum cash deposit or other guaranty to secure payment of bills of an amount not to exceed 2/12 of the estimated annual bill of the customer or applicant where the bills are rendered monthly or an amount not to exceed 3/12 of the estimated annual bill of such customer or applicant where bills are rendered bimonthly or an amount not to exceed 4/12 of the estimated bill of such customer or applicant where bills are rendered quarterly. (2) The District shall issue to every customer from whom a deposit is received a certificate of deposit, showing the name of the customer, location of initial premises occupied, date and amount of the deposit.
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- 10. Meters will be read and bills rendered monthly.
- 11. All bills are payable at any office of the Central Bank and Trust Company, Owensboro, Kentucky, or at the water district office at 2430 East 4th Street, Owensboro, Kentucky.
- 12. No more than one house or business may be connected to one water meter. Violation of this rule will result in discontinuance of water service.
- 13. Billing for water will be on the basis of the nearest 10 gallons as shown by the meter reading.
- 14. All water meters will be tested at periodic intervals as required by the Utility Regulatory Commission.
- 15. Charges for extraordinary use of water due to fire or other hazzard will be estimated by the Commission and billed to the customer accordingly.
- 16. There will be an additional charge of \$2.50 for returned checks.

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Delayed Payment Charge:

Fifteen days will be allowed for payment of a bill. Five days after due date (due date shown on billing card) 10 percent penalty will be added to the bill.

Delinquent Procedure:

After due date, and upon ten days written notice, water service will be discontinued for non-payment for water service bill.

(a) After service is discontinued, the customer shall pay his delinquent account plus \$10.00 service charge to reconnect service.

Bill Adjustment Procedure:

(1) Whenever a meter in service is found upon periodic request or complaint test to be more than two percent (2%) fast, additional tests shall be made at once to determine the average error of the meter. Said tests shall be made in accordance with the commission's regulation applicable to the type of meter involved.

(2) If the result of tests on a customer's meter shows an average error greater than two percent (2%) fast, then the customer's bills, for the period during which the meter error is known to have existed, shall be recomputed and the account adjusted on the basis of the test. In the event the period during which the meter error existed is unknown, then the customer's bill shall be recomputed for one-half (1/2) of the elapsed time since the last previous test but in no case to exceed twelve (12) months. (See exception in subsection (5) of this section)

(3) If the result of the tests on a customer's meter shows an average error greater than two percent (2%) slow, then the customer's bill, for the period during which the meter error is known to have existed, may be recomputed and the account adjusted on the basis of the test. In the event the period during which the meter error existed is unknown, then the customer's bill may be recomputed for one-half (1/2) of the elapsed time since the last previous test but in no case to exceed twelve (12) months.

(4) It shall be understood that when a meter is found to have an

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error in excess of two percent (2%) fast or slow the figure for calculating the amount of refund or the amount to be collected by the District shall be that percentage of error as determined by the test, i.e., it is the duty of the District to maintain the accuracy of its measuring devices as nearly 100 percent as is commercially practicable. Therefore, percent error shall be that difference as between 100 percent and that amount of error as is indicated by the test.

(5) The burden of maintaining measuring equipment so that it will register accurately is upon the District; therefore, if meters are found upon test to register fast and if time for periodic test has overrun to the extent that one-half (½) of the time elapsed since the last previous test exceeds twelve (12) months, the refund shall be for the twelve (12) months as specified in subsection (2) of this section and in addition thereto, a like refund shall be for those months exceeding the periodic test period; provided, however, that the Commission may relieve the District from this requirement in any particular case in which it is shown that the failure to make the periodic test was due to causes beyond the District's control.

(6) The District shall make a reasonable attempt to determine if the amount of consumption for the current billing period for each customer is unduly excessive. If a comparison of consumption indicates a necessity therefor a test of the customer's meter shall be made, and if the meter is found to register incorrectly to the customer's prejudice more than two (2%) percent, the District shall recalculate the customer's bills in accordance with the foregoing provisions.

(7) When a meter is tested and it is found necessary to make a refund or back bill a customer, the customer shall be notified in substantially the following form:

"On _____, 19____, the meter bearing identification No. _____ installed in your building located at _____ in _____ (Street & number) (City)

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was tested at _____ and found
(On premises or elsewhere)
to register _____. The meter was tested on
(percent fast or slow) _____
_____ test. Based upon this we
(periodic, request, complaint)
herewith _____ you with the sum of \$ _____,
(Charge or Credit)
which amount has been noted on your regular bill."

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Meter Test Procedure:

Meters will be tested by the Water District at no cost to the customer. This is done by taking the meter out and placing it in series with a meter tested by the Utility Regulatory Commission testing laboratory.

If the customer is not satisfied with this meter test, the meter is then sent to a licensed state testing facility. If this meter test proves accurate, then the customer is required to pay for the second test. If the meter is wrong, then an adjustment will be made.

Reconnection Procedure:

There is no reconnect charge.

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West Daviess County Water District
Name of Issuing Corporation

CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

			RATE PER UNIT
RATES:			
<u>Gallons per month</u>			
Non-users minimum			\$ 4.50
First 2, 2,000 gallons			\$ 5.92
Next 2,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF KENTUCKY EFFECTIVE MAY 1 1989 PURSUANT TO 807 KAR 5:011 SECTION 9 (1) BY: <u>Thomas L. Kelly</u> PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MANAGER	\$ 2.36
Next 2,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.96
Next 4,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.76
Next 20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.61
Next 20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.46
Next 20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.31
Next 30,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.16
Next 50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$ 1.06
Next 50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$.91
Next 50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons		\$.76
Over 250,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$.61	
Minimum Charges for Water Users:			
Shall be \$ 5.92 for which 2,000 gallons or less of water may be used.			
TO OTHER WATER DISTRICTS	Per 1,000 gallons		\$.956
Connection fees after regular meter setting crew has passed property:			
5/8 inch meter	Connection fee per connection		\$250.00
1 inch meter	Connection fee per connection		\$300.00
1 1/2 inch meter	Connection fee per connection		\$450.00
2 inch meter	Connection fee per connection		\$600.00
Such charge shall provide for a tap at the water main and a service line run to the property line of the customer and a meter installation at that point.			

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RATES:			
<u>Gallons per month</u>			
Non-users minimum			\$ 4.50
First	2,000 gallons		\$ 5.70
Next	2,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 2.25
Next	2,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.85
Next	4,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.65
Next	20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.50
Next	20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.35
Next	20,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.20
Next	30,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$ 1.05
Next	50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$.95
Next	50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$.80
Next	50,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$.65
Over	250,000 gallons	Per 1,000 gallons	\$.50
Minimum Charges for Water Users:			
Shall be \$5.70 for which 2,000 gallons or less of water may be used.			
To other water districts	Per 1,000 gallons		\$.843

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