

# Turner agrees to \$6 million, 1-year deal with Chicago Cubs

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MESA, Ariz. — Justin Turner has agreed to a \$6 million, one-year deal with the Chicago Cubs, according to a person with direct knowledge of the situation, giving the team additional infield depth.

Turner can earn an additional \$2.5 million in bonuses, according to the person who spoke to The Associated Press on condition

of anonymity Tuesday because the contract was pending a physical. The addition of Turner would give the team some security at third base should Matt Shaw need more seasoning in the minors. The 23-year-old Shaw has been slowed by a left oblique issue in spring training.

The 40-year-old Turner also could back up Michael Busch at first base and go into the lineup at designated hitter. Turner

played for Toronto and Seattle last year, batting .259 with 11 homers, 55 RBIs and a .354 on-base percentage in 139 games.

“He’s been a really good player for a long time, and I think that he’s someone that we can really learn a lot from,” Cubs shortstop Dansby Swanson said. “Just his experience, and he’s just such a pro at what he does. ... He’s somebody that you definitely want to have on your team.”

The Cubs pivoted to

Turner after pursuing Alex Bregman in free agency. They were in the mix for the two-time All-Star before he agreed to a \$120 million, three-year deal with the Red Sox last week.

Chicago is looking to make a playoff push after it went 83-79 last year and finished second in the NL Central for the second straight season. It hasn’t made the playoffs since it was swept by Miami in the wild-card round in 2020.



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Seattle Mariners’ Justin Turner reacts to hitting a solo home run against the New York Yankees during the eighth inning of a baseball game on Sept. 18, 2024 in Seattle.

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Minimum Bills Based on Meter Size				Minimum Bills Based on Meter Size				
Meter Size	Gals. Incl'd. in Minimum	Minimum Monthly Bill		Meter Size	Gals. Incl'd. in Minimum	Minimum Monthly Bill	Dollar Increase	Percent Increase
All Size Meters	1,000	\$ 29.99		All Size Meter	1,000	\$ 30.47	\$ 0.48	1.60
Rates for Water Usage in Addition to Minimum				Rates for Water Usage in Addition to Minimum				
No. of Gallons per Month	Charge per 1,000 gals.			No. of Gallons per Month	Charge per 1,000 gals.			
First 1,000 Gallons (lump sum)	\$ 29.99			First 1,000 Gallons (lump sum)	\$ 30.47		0.48	1.60
Next 3,000 Gallons	15.89			Next 3,000 Gallons	\$ 16.37		0.48	3.02
Next 6,000 Gallons	13.06			Next 6,000 Gallons	\$ 13.54		0.48	3.68
Next 20,000 Gallons	10.24			Next 20,000 Gallons	\$ 10.72		0.48	4.69
Over 30,000 Gallons	9.05			Over 30,000 Gallons	\$ 9.53		0.48	5.30

The monthly bill for an average customer using 5,000 gallons per month will increase from \$90.72 to \$93.12 this is an increase of 2.65%.

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