

Water Rate Increase effective July 1, 2024

The Village has been working on several projects since June 2023 to improve your water service. A rate case to raise water rates, to help pay for the improvements, was submitted and approved by the Public Service Commission.

The new water rates and monthly billing are effective July 1, 2024. You can expect your July bill the first week in August. Monthly billing is due the 20th of each month. A 3% late charge is assessed if payment is received after the 20th of each month. Disconnections due to non-payment can occur 10 days after the due date. We will make several attempts to contact you before your service is disconnected.

Payment not honored by Financial Institution Charge: \$30.00

Reconnection Charges: During Normal Business Hours (8:00am-4:00pm) \$30.00; After Normal Business Hours or Weekend \$45.00

2023-2024 Project list:

2023: Water tower painted \$76,000.00

2024: Cellular Water meters –\$79,000.00

The Village is required to replace meters every 25 years.

Well #2 Rehab (required by DNR) and Well #3 maintenance and repairs \$1,129,000.

Clean Water - Principal forgiveness \$733,900

Estimated Village Loan amount \$395,000

Project includes a process to remove iron and manganese (discolored water), emergency back-up power at wells, and a SCADA system to monitor and control the Village's wells and the water tower.

Monthly Example for 5/8" Service

Average monthly usage for a 2 person household 2000 gallons

Gallons of Water Used/Month	Public Fire Protection	Water Service Fee	Water Volume Fee	Sewer Service Fee	Sewer Treatment Fee	Estimated Total Monthly Bill
Less than 1000	5.40	15.00	0.00	8.09	0.00	28.49
1000	5.40	15.00	12.35	8.09	13.47	54.31
2000	5.40	15.00	24.70	8.09	26.94	80.13
3000	5.40	15.00	37.05	8.09	40.41	105.95
4000	5.40	15.00	49.40	8.09	53.88	131.77
6000	5.40	15.00	74.10	8.09	80.82	183.41
8000	5.40	15.00	98.80	8.09	107.76	235.05
10000	5.40	15.00	123.50	8.09	134.70	286.69