

INCREASED WATER RATES

Here's what it actually means

Rates that are Changing

- Water Base Fee
- Public Fire Protection
- Private Fire Protection (if applicable)
- Deduct Meter Charge (if applicable)
- Water Volume (cost per 1k gallons)

Rates Unaffected

- Sewer Rate
- Residential Garbage
- Stormwater Rate

Timing of New Rates

The Public Service Commission has allowed the Village to break up the rate increase into two phases. The first phase will be 65% and the second phase will be the remaining 35% of the total rate increase. Phase 1 goes into effect 7/1/2026 meaning the 10/10/2026 bill will be the first bill with the new rates. Phase 2 goes into effect 7/1/2027 meaning the 10/10/2027 bill will be the first bill with the full increase.

Size of the Increase

Residential customers in single family homes with an average usage of 10,000 gallons per quarter will see their bill go from \$248.80 at the existing rates, to \$299.03 with Phase 1's increase. That is an increase of \$50.23 or 20%.

More Info

More information on the utility rate increase can be found on the Utility page of our website.