



RESOLUTON 22-040

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF FEES APPLICABLE TO UTILITY SERVICES.

WHEREAS the City of Fountain City Council believes it is prudent to maintain a current fee schedule applicable to Utility Services; and

WHEREAS Utilities staff believes that the current fee for Construction Water usage must be increased to better reflect the cost of Fountain's water rights and the lack of re-usability for this type of water; and

WHEREAS the City Council desires to amend the current schedule of fees to accurately reflect the costs to Utilities of providing the various services to utility users.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Fountain, Colorado, as follows:

- 1. The fees stated in the Fee Schedule attached as Appendix 1 are adopted and shall apply as stated.**
- 2. The utility fees adopted as part of Resolution 18-052 are hereby repealed.**
- 3. This resolution shall be in effect August 11th 2022.**

Done this 12th day of July 2022.


Sharon Thompson, Mayor

ATTEST:


Joney Carneal, Deputy City Clerk



Appendix 1
Fee Schedule

The following charges shall apply to all rate classes receiving electric, water or administrative services from Fountain Utilities.

After Hours Non-Emergency Service Charge **\$ 50.00**

Customer Requested Meter Test

Certified Water Meter Test	\$ 100.00
Electric Meter Test	\$ 100.00

Customer Requested Water Meter Removal and Installation

Meter Removed	\$ 75.00
Meter Installed	\$ 75.00

Deposits

A. Residential

Initial Deposits

Electric	\$ 150.00
Water	\$ 50.00
Waste Water	\$ 50.00

Additional Deposits

An additional deposit at a level of double the initial deposit will be required if the credit evaluation received by Utilities from its third party credit vendor recommends a double deposit.

Supplemental Deposits

If required (as provided in Customer Service Regulations), an amount equal to an actual 90 days' bills of the customer within the immediately preceding calendar quarter, or an amount based on an estimate of 90 days' bills, whichever is greater. If the customer does not have 90-day history with Utilities, a minimum supplemental deposit of \$350 is required.

B. Non-Residential

Initial Deposits

An amount equal to an estimated ninety days' bills for such customer or \$300, whichever is greater.

Additional Deposits

The dollar amount equal to the customer's highest actual consumption for 90 consecutive days in the immediately preceding six months.

Supplemental Deposits

If required (as provided in Customer Service Regulations), an amount equal to an actual 90 days' bills of such customer within the immediately preceding calendar quarter, or an amount based on an estimate of 90 days' bills, whichever is greater.

Diversion Fee **\$500.00 + repair, administrative & investigative costs, and unbilled consumption**

Water Inactive Account Customer Charge, per month **\$ 12.50**

Missed Appointment Fee (24 hour notice not given) **\$ 35.00**

Lien

Electronic Lien Processing **\$ 2.00**
Per Page **\$ 11.00**

Payment

Dishonored Payment **\$ 40.00**
Late Payment **\$ 10.00**
Stop Payment **\$ 40.00**

Collection Fee **20% of bill**

Reconnection

Regular Hours **\$ 40.00**
After Hours **\$ 95.00**

Trip Fee **\$ 40.00**

Construction Water Deposit and Fees – Inside City Use Only

Construction Water Usage and Meter Deposit	\$1,300.00
Per Day Service Charge on the Meter	\$ 10.00
For the First 3,000 Gallons per 30-day period	\$ 80.00
Each Additional 1,000 Gallons	\$ 13.52
Non Returned Hydrant Meter Fee (10 business days)	\$1,500.00

Electric Department - Labor

A. Labor Rates (per hour)	
Lineman / Serviceman*	\$ 61.31
Two Person Crew*	\$ 122.62

*Overtime labor is 1.5 times the regular hourly rate

Water Department - Labor Charge-Out Rates

A. Labor Rates (per hour)	
Water Operator	\$ 41.58
Inspector after hours or weekends (2 hours minimum)	\$ 62.37

Utilities Equipment Charge-Out Rates Equipment

Rates (per hour)	
Car / Pickup / Van	\$ 21.00
Service Truck	\$ 40.00
Digger Derrick	\$ 89.00
Excavator/Backhoe	\$ 67.00
Bucket Truck – Small	\$ 73.00
Bucket Truck – Large	\$ 101.00
Dump Truck	\$ 43.00
Wire Puller	\$ 55.00
Trencher	\$ 64.00

Line Extension Fee \$ 777.00

Residential Service Modifications

Overhead to underground	\$ 670.00
100 amp to 200 amp underground service	
In Area where distribution upgrades already installed	\$ 500.00
In Area where distribution upgrades not installed	\$ 670.00

100 amp to 200 amp overhead Actual Cost

Commercial Service Modifications Actual Cost