

## RATES & FEES

The quarterly bill for Water and Sewer service shall consist of the basic service charge plus the usage charge as tabulated herein per meter for all customers

**Water**-Flat Charge of \$4.81 per 100 cu ft

**Sewer**-Flat Charge of \$5.01 per 100 cu ft

50% Water/Sewer surcharge included for all Customers outside the territorial limits of Meriden

### **LATE CHARGES:**

A penalty of 1-1/2% per month (18% annually) will be added from the billing date of each quarterly bill.

Minimum interest is 3% or \$2.00 per service. Interest will not be waived on disputed bills.

### **LEIN FEES:**

Liens must be filed against your property if water/sewer charges are not paid before-February 15 of each year

Liens fees are: **WATER** \$24.00 **SEWER** \$24.00

### **BASIC SERVICE FEES:(Quarterly)**

Meter Size	Water	Sewer	Water
5/8"	11.57	10.75	\$3.95
3/4"	11.92	11.09	\$4.18
1"	12.97	12.13	\$4.87
1-1/4" & 1-1/2"	14.37	13.52	\$5.79
2"	18.21	17.32	\$8.31
3"	46.50	45.35	\$26.90
4"	56.98	55.75	\$33.79
6"	81.42	79.95	\$49.85
8"	109.36	107.63	\$68.21

### **IRRG METER FEES: (Quarterly)**

### **PRIVATE FIRE LINE CHARGES:**

#### Annual Charge (December Billing)

Public Fire Hydrants	\$40.00
Private Fire Hydrant	\$100.00
Private Fire Service Charges	
3" or less	\$187.50
4"	\$231.25
6"	\$312.50
8"	\$437.50
10" or larger	\$531.25
RPD Testing      1st Device	\$50.00
Cross Connection      Add'l Device	\$30.00
Retest	\$10.00
Private Meter Reading	\$25.00

### **QUARTERLY BILLING -Service Periods (+/- a few days)**

September 1 to December 1	March Bill
December 1 to March 1	June Bill
March 1 to June 1	September Bill
June 1 to September 1	December Bill

<b>Service Line Installation</b>	
<b>Complete Installation 1"</b>	
Up to 15'	\$1,755.00
Greater than 15'	\$100/ft additional cost
	\$50 per foot for distance in excess of 30'-
	If rock encountered an additional \$50 per cubic yard
	if Water Division elects to perform excavation.
<b>Partial Installation</b>	
1"	\$200.00
1-1/2"	\$325.00
2"	\$325.00
4" to 12"	\$600.00 (Includes \$125 for pressure test tapping sleeve)
<b>Miscellaneous Charges</b>	
<b>RPD Testing (Cross Connection) 1st device</b>	\$50.00
additional devices (ea)	\$30.00
<b>Retest</b>	\$10.00
<b>Meter Testing Charge 5/8" to 2"</b>	\$20.00
3" or larger	Cost + 25%
<b>Private Meter Reading</b>	\$25.00 per appoint. unless cancellation received
<b>Turn on fee (Regular hours)</b>	\$50.00
(After hours)	\$75.00
<b>Meter Tampering - 1st time</b>	\$50.00 plus penalties
2nd time	\$200.00 plus penalties
3rd time	\$1,000.00 plus penalties
4th time	Service terminated-turned over to legal for further action
<b>Meter Installation Fee</b>	
5/8"	\$175.00
3/4"	\$185.00
1"	\$250.00
1-1/2"	\$400.00
2" or larger	Cost of meter/accessories - 25%
<b>Reconnection Fee</b>	\$50.00
<b>Turn On Fee</b>	\$50.00
<b>Broken Seal Fee</b>	\$50.00
<b>Non-Metered Services-During Construction</b>	
Per Dwelling Unit	\$35.00
Commercial	\$100.00
Industrial	\$300.00
<b>New Water Main Testing (per 100 ft)</b>	\$40.00
<b>Tank Truck</b>	
Single Visit (per visit plus water utilized)	\$20.00
Multiple Visit (per day plus water utilized)	\$50.00
<b>Meter Resetting Charge</b>	\$50.00
<b>Meter Pit Pump Out Charge</b>	\$200.00
<b>After Hours Charge</b>	\$75.00
<b>Meter Replacement/Repair Charge</b>	Cost + 25%
<b>Hydrant use-Unauthorized</b>	\$250.00

207-10. Meters installed by city; sealing; tampering prohibited; meter reading; sale of water.

- A. All meters installed under Section 207-9 shall be properly sealed immediately upon their installation by an employee of the Water Division and shall not be interfered with or tampered with thereafter by any unauthorized person.
- B. All broken seals shall be immediately reported to the City Water Division.  
A charge of Fifty dollars (\$50.00) shall be levied for each broken seal.

If the seal is found tampered with by the same owner of property a second time the fee is \$200 plus (C1 or 2).

If the seal is found tampered with by the same owner of property a third time the fee is \$1,000 plus (C1 or 2).

If the seal is found tampered with by the same owner for a fourth time, service will be terminated and account turned over to legal for further action.

- C. The minimum use charge for any billed period during any portion of which the seal was broken or meter tampered with shall be as follows:
  - 1. Residential (per family or per dwelling unit): **Four thousand (4,000)** cubic feet or maximum recorded consumption during any of the last six (6) billing periods whichever is higher.
  - 2. Commercial or industrial: Twice the highest recorded consumption during any of the last six (6) billing periods.