

**City of Yoncalla**  
**Water Rates Implementation for usage:**

City of Yoncalla Water Users,

The City of Yoncalla is going to be implementing water rates based on usage. This is an effort to discourage waste and not put our smaller users (90%) at a disadvantage. With our current system the smaller users pay more per gallon than larger water users. In order to ensure fairness, we have implemented a usage rate structure. Over 90% of our water users will not see an increase in their bill. However, the households that are using significant amounts of water will see an increase in their bill.

**Inside city limits:**

- a. Minimum Meter rates will *not change*.
- b. Usage Rates:

<u>First 1500 free w/base charge</u>	<u>\$58.00</u>
<u>1501-5,000 gallons a month (current)</u>	<u>\$4.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>5001-10,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$5.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>10,001-20,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$6.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>20,001-30,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$7.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>30,001-40,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$8.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>40,001-50,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$9.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>50,001 and over</u>	<u>\$10.00 per 1000 gallons</u>

**Outside city limits:**

- c. Minimum Meter rates will *not change*.
- d. Usage Rates:

<u>First 1500 free w/base charge</u>	<u>\$93.00</u>
<u>1501-5,000 gallons a month (current)</u>	<u>\$6.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>5001-10,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$7.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>10,001-20,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$8.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>20,001-30,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$9.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>30,001-40,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$10.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>40,001-50,000 gallons a month</u>	<u>\$11.00 per 1000 gallons</u>
<u>50,001 and over</u>	<u>\$12.00 per 1000 gallons</u>

Thank you for taking the time to read and understand the new rate structure. If you have any questions, comments, or concerns please contact Yoncalla City Hall and/or attend a Yoncalla City Council meeting. The City Council meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6pm at Yoncalla City Hall.

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Mayor of Yoncalla