

CHAPTER 92

WATER RATES

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92.01 SERVICE CHARGES.

Each customer shall pay for water service provided by the City based upon use of water as determined by meters provided for in Chapter 91. Each location, building, premises or connection shall be considered a separate and distinct customer whether owned or controlled by the same person or not.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

92.02 RATES FOR SERVICE.

Water service shall be furnished at the following rates within the City:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

1. Monthly Rates:

- A. First, 1,500 gallon used per month @ \$29.59 (minimum bill);
- B. Next 8,500 gallons used per month @ \$11.84 per 1,000 gallons;
- C. All over 10,000 gallons used per month @ \$14.17 per 1,000 gallons.

(Ord. 427 - Jul. 21 Supp.)

2. Public Use Fee. The rate for municipal usage for fire protection, street cleaning and other municipal use is \$2,000.00 per year.

92.03 RATES OUTSIDE THE CITY.

Water service shall be provided to any customer located outside the corporate limits of the City which the City has agreed to serve at the same rates provided in Section 92.02. No such customer, however, will be served unless the customer shall have signed a service contract agreeing to be bound by the ordinances, rules and regulations applying to water service established by the Council.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 364.4 & 384.84)

92.04 BILLING FOR WATER SERVICE.

Water service shall be billed as part of a combined service account, payable in accordance with the following:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

- 1. Bills Issued. The Clerk shall prepare and issue bills for combined service accounts on or before the fifteenth day of each month.
- 2. Bills Payable. Bills for combined service accounts shall be due and payable at the office of the Clerk by the fifth day of the following month.
- 3. Late Payment Penalty. Bills not paid when due shall be considered delinquent. A late payment penalty of 10 percent of the amount due shall be added to each delinquent bill.