

RESOLUTION #2007-45: A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE SCHEDULE OF
FEES AND CHARGES FOR THE WATER AND WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT
OF THE CITY OF STATESBORO, GEORGIA

THAT WHEREAS, the City of Statesboro operates a Water and Wastewater Department, which operates and maintains the physical plant necessary to treat, test, pump, store, and distribute potable water; and to collect, pump, treat, test, and discharge wastewater meeting all federal and state laws and administrative regulations; and

WHEREAS, in order to finance some of these operations, the City has previously and must continue to impose various fees and charges; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have previously implemented said schedule of fees and charges; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Statesboro, Georgia this 2nd day of October, 2007 as follows:

Section 1. That the document entitled "Schedule of Fees and Charges for the Water and Wastewater Department of the City of Statesboro, Georgia", attached hereto and incorporated into this Resolution by reference, is hereby adopted and approved as the fees and charges authorized to be charged by the department.

Section 2. That any provision of any ordinance or resolution, or administrative policy in conflict with this schedule for the Water and Wastewater Department is hereby repealed to the extent of any such conflict; and the provisions of this Resolution shall take precedence in determining the fees and charges to which they apply.

Section 3. That this Resolution shall be and remain effective from and after its date of adoption.

Adopted this 2nd day of October, 2007.

CITY OF STATESBORO, GEORGIA

By: William S. Hatcher, Mayor

Attest: Judy M. McCorkle, City Clerk

Schedule of Fees and Charges for the Water and Wastewater Department
of the City of Statesboro, Georgia
October 2, 2007

WATER AND SEWER RATES:

1) Water and Sewer Customers *Inside* City Limits:

Base Charge Water = \$4.60/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$1.94 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$2.04 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$2.14 per 1,000 gallons

Base Charge Sewer = \$4.60/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$2.35 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$2.45 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$2.55 per 1,000 gallons

2) Water Only Customers *Inside* City Limits:

Base Charge Water = \$9.20/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$1.94 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$2.04 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$2.14 per 1,000 gallons

3) Sewer Only Customers *Inside* City Limits:

Base Charge Sewer = \$9.20/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$2.35 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$2.45 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$2.55 per 1,000 gallons

4) Water and Sewer Customers *Outside* City Limits:

Base Charge Water = \$9.20/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$3.88 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$4.08 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$4.28 per 1,000 gallons

Base Charge Sewer = \$9.20/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$4.70 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$4.90 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$5.10 per 1,000 gallons

5) Water Only Customers *Outside* City Limits:

Base Charge Water = \$18.40/Month

0-9,000 gallons at \$3.88 per 1,000 gallons
10-49,000 gallons at \$4.08 per 1,000 gallons
ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$4.28 per 1,000 gallons

6) Sewer Only Customers *Outside* City Limits:

Base Charge Sewer = \$18.40/Month
 0-9,000 gallons at \$4.70 per 1,000 gallons
 10-49,000 gallons at \$4.90 per 1,000 gallons
 ALL OVER 49,000 gallons at \$5.10 per 1,000 gallons

NOTE:

BASE CHARGES FOR ACCOUNTS SERVED BY A **MASTER WATER METER** shall be calculated by multiplying the number of entities served times the appropriate Base Charge.

Example:

20 apartments on water and sewer Inside City: 20 X \$9.20 = \$184.00 Base Charge

20 apartments on water only inside City: 20 X \$9.20 = \$ 184.00 Base Charge

FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEMS FEES:

Monthly Fire Service Fee:

The rate is \$5.10 per inch of diameter of the Fire Service Supply Line. For example, if the fire service supply line is 6” in diameter, the monthly fire service fee would be \$5.10 x 6 = \$30.60.

TEMPORARY WATER SERVICE FROM FIRE HYDRANTS:

1. A refundable security deposit of \$650.00 per meter set will be charged.
2. A one-time \$25.00 service fee to set each meter will be charged.
3. Actual water usage will be charged and billed using the commercial water rates in effect, depending upon whether the property where the water will be used is located inside or outside the City limits.

WATER AND SEWER TAP FEES:

	Inside City Rate	Outside City Rate
4” SEWER (In R-6, R-8, R-10, R-15, R-20, R-30, R-40 or R-3 District if installed by the developer)	Zero	Zero
4" SEWER	\$ 300.00	\$ 450.00
6" SEWER	\$ 600.00	\$ 900.00
8” SEWER	\$1,500.00	\$ 2,250.00
¾” WATER (In R-6, R-8, R-10, R-20, R-30, R-40 or R-3 District if installed by the developer)	\$ 625.00	\$ 937.50

3/4" WATER	\$ 800.00	\$ 1,200.00
1" WATER	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,500.00
1-1/2" WATER	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 2,700.00
2" WATER	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 3,750.00
3" WATER	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 5,250.00
4" WATER	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 8,250.00
6" WATER	\$ 8,500.00	\$12,750.00
8" WATER	\$12,500.00	\$18,750.00
10" WATER	\$15,500.00	\$23,250.00

NOTES:

1. Water and Sewer Tap Fee for service **Outside the City Limits** are 1-1/2 times the Inside-City Fee Schedule.

2. Taps for a single meter to serve more than one entity (commercial, apartments, duplexes, etc.) shall be calculated by multiplying the number of entities served times the appropriate 3/4" Water and 4" Sewer Tap Fee Rate. For example: 20 Apartments Inside the City Limits would be:

$$\text{Water---}20 \times \$800.00 = \$16,000.00$$

$$\text{Sewer--}20 \times \$300.00 = \$ 6,000.00$$

3. On New Construction requiring extension of the City's water and sewer mains, the developer's underground utility contractor shall make the required water and sewer service taps and install water meters, meter boxes, backflow preventors, gate valves, sewer tap saddles and sewer service lines.

4. Within residential subdivisions zoned R-6, R-8, R-10, R-15, R-20, R-30, R-40, or R-3 that require extension of the City's water or sewer mains, the developer's underground utility contractor shall make the required water and sewer service taps and install water meters, meter boxes, backflow preventors, gate valves, sewer service taps and sewer service lines. In those residential subdivisions **not** developed using the City's Residential Subdivision Incentive Program, there shall be no Sewer Tap Fee and the 3/4" Water Tap Fee shall be \$625.00 in recognition of the fact that the City's costs will have been decreased by the developer's installation.

5. Tap Fees apply to all taps including those for fire sprinkler systems.

6. For Fire Service Taps City will provide Detector Double Check Valve.

7. All water meters will be provided by the City.

8. On 3/4" Water Taps the City shall furnish the meter box and backflow preventor as well as the water meter.

9. In new developments, the developer shall be responsible for furnishing and installing required backflow preventors, required by-pass piping, meter boxes and/or vaults on all Water Taps 1" or larger

10. On Water Taps up to 2" in size, where City water mains are in existence, the City Water Department shall tap the main and install the water meter and meter box. The City shall furnish and install the backflow preventor on 3/4" services only.

The Developer shall be responsible for furnishing and installing backflow preventors and required boxes and/or vaults to accommodate the backflow preventor on taps larger than 3/4".

11. On Sewer Taps up to 6", where City sewer mains are in existence, the developer's contractor shall excavate the City Sewer main to allow City Water/Sewer personnel to physically tap the sewer main and install the appropriate sewer tap saddle. The Contractor shall be responsible for installing the sewer service lateral and all backfill and street repairs.

SEPTIC SEWER FEES:

Fees for Approved Septic/Landfill Haulers:

Regular Septic Fee	\$30.60 per 1,000 gallons of Truck Tank Capacity
Grease Septic Fee	\$61.20 per serviced grease trap
Landfill Leachate Fee	\$30.60 per Load or portion thereof (maximum of 5,000 gallons per load)

Fees for Portable Toilets	\$7.65 per Load or portion thereof (maximum of 500 gallons per load)
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WATER TESTING FEE:

For City of Statesboro Water Customers	No Charge
For All Others	\$25.50 per test

RETURN TRIP SERVICE FEE:

There will be a \$25.50 fee for each additional trip that service personnel have to make to turn water service on, where the meter indicates that water may be flowing in the house and no one is at home to turn the water off. Under these circumstances, the City personnel have no choice but to cut the service back off to protect from possible flooding of the building. They then must return at a later time to cut the service back on.