

City of Cleveland Division of Water
Permits Sales Fees and Charges

Account Setup					
Tap/Connection Size	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
1" or smaller	\$253.00	\$261.00	\$270.00	\$278.00	\$287.00
1½"	\$529.00	\$546.00	\$564.00	\$582.00	\$601.00
2"	\$1,311.00	\$1,354.00	\$1,397.00	\$1,442.00	\$1,488.00
4"	\$1,683.00	\$1,737.00	\$1,793.00	\$1,850.00	\$1,910.00
6"	\$1,771.00	\$1,828.00	\$1,887.00	\$1,947.00	\$2,010.00
8"	\$1,992.00	\$2,056.00	\$2,122.00	\$2,190.00	\$2,261.00
10"	\$2,371.00	\$2,447.00	\$2,526.00	\$2,607.00	\$2,691.00
12"	\$3,320.00	\$3,426.00	\$3,536.00	\$3,650.00	\$3,767.00
16" or larger	\$4,440.00	\$4,583.00	\$4,730.00	\$4,882.00	\$5,039.00
Taps for Domestic and Fire Service Connections					
<p><i>Cost for labor to perform tap at the water main only. All other labor such as excavation, sheeting, mounting, testing of tap sleeve or saddle, and restoration shall be at the customer's expense. All materials to be provided by customer. All water connections larger than 1" require a valve box on the tap valve. The property owner is required to contact the Permits and Sales office at 216-664-3130, prompt #7, for an inspection of subsequent private side connection work.</i></p>					
Direct Tap/Tapping Sleeve Installation*	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
1" or smaller	\$191.00	\$197.00	\$203.00	\$210.00	\$217.00
1½"	\$401.00	\$414.00	\$428.00	\$441.00	\$456.00
2"	\$992.00	\$1,024.00	\$1,057.00	\$1,091.00	\$1,126.00
4"	\$1,272.00	\$1,313.00	\$1,355.00	\$1,399.00	\$1,444.00
6"	\$1,338.00	\$1,381.00	\$1,426.00	\$1,472.00	\$1,519.00
8"	\$1,505.00	\$1,554.00	\$1,604.00	\$1,655.00	\$1,708.00
10"	\$1,792.00	\$1,850.00	\$1,909.00	\$1,971.00	\$2,034.00
12"	\$2,509.00	\$2,589.00	\$2,673.00	\$2,758.00	\$2,847.00
16" or larger	\$3,357.00	\$3,465.00	\$3,576.00	\$3,691.00	\$3,801.00
Rescheduling fee**	\$152.00	\$158.00	\$164.00	\$170.00	\$176.00
* Tap prices assume tap is on a ductile iron pipe. When water main being tapped is concrete, a 55%					
** New connection rescheduling if not cancelled 24 hours prior to appointment					
Curb Valves (Flat Rate Labor only)					
Connection Size	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
1 1/2"	\$192.00	\$192.00	\$194.00	\$201.00	\$207.00
2"	\$192.00	\$192.00	\$194.00	\$201.00	\$207.00
3"	\$384.00	\$384.00	\$388.00	\$402.00	\$414.00
4"	\$384.00	\$384.00	\$388.00	\$402.00	\$414.00
6"	\$384.00	\$384.00	\$388.00	\$402.00	\$414.00
8"	\$384.00	\$384.00	\$388.00	\$402.00	\$414.00
10"	\$576.00	\$576.00	\$582.00	\$603.00	\$621.00
12"	\$576.00	\$576.00	\$582.00	\$603.00	\$621.00
Assembling Regulator Setting*					
Size of Regulator	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
8"	\$1,726.00	\$1,782.00	\$1,839.00	\$1,898.00	\$1,959.00
12"	\$2,883.00	\$2,975.00	\$3,071.00	\$3,170.00	\$3,271.00
*Fee includes labor for assembling setting only. Material, material delivery, excavation, sheeting, transporting the assembly, testing, installation, and restoration are the customer's responsibility.					
Regulator Control Setup*					
Size of Regulator	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
8"	\$1,726.00	\$1,782.00	\$1,839.00	\$1,898.00	\$1,959.00
12"	\$2,883.00	\$2,975.00	\$3,071.00	\$3,170.00	\$3,271.00
*Fee includes labor for installtion only. Excavation, sheeting, testing, and restoration are the customer's responsibility.					

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Building New Meter Bypass Assembly*					
Meter Bypass Assembly Size (AKA "Meter Setting")	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
1½"	\$348.00	\$348.00	\$357.00	\$369.00	\$381.00
2"	\$348.00	\$348.00	\$357.00	\$369.00	\$381.00
3"	\$348.00	\$348.00	\$357.00	\$369.00	\$381.00
4"	\$452.00	\$452.00	\$464.00	\$480.00	\$495.00
6"	\$1,018.00	\$1,018.00	\$1,049.00	\$1,083.00	\$1,119.00
8"	\$1,318.00	\$1,318.00	\$1,357.00	\$1,401.00	\$1,448.00
10"	\$1,677.00	\$1,677.00	\$1,728.00	\$1,784.00	\$1,842.00
12"	\$2,037.00	\$2,037.00	\$2,098.00	\$2,166.00	\$2,237.00
<i>*Fee includes labor to build bypass assemblies. Meters larger than 1" (with the exception of 1 1/2" and 2" meters that are designated to go inside a home or building) will require a meter bypass assembly. In such cases the Division of Water's meter shop will receive all the materials, build and test the assemblies prior to installation.</i>					
Meter Installation/Replacement*					
Meter Size/Type/Location	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
1" meter inside structure	\$354.00	\$362.00	\$370.00	\$378.00	\$387.00
1" meter in a vault	\$400.00	\$409.00	\$418.00	\$428.00	\$439.00
1½" meter inside structure	\$603.00	\$614.00	\$625.00	\$636.00	\$648.00
1½" meter in a vault	\$603.00	\$614.00	\$625.00	\$636.00	\$648.00
2" meter	\$659.00	\$670.00	\$681.00	\$692.00	\$704.00
2" compound meter	\$2,311.00	\$2,357.00	\$2,405.00	\$2,454.00	\$2,504.00
3" meter	\$1,597.00	\$1,630.00	\$1,663.00	\$1,697.00	\$1,733.00
3" compound meter	\$2,514.00	\$2,557.00	\$2,605.00	\$2,654.00	\$2,704.00
4" meter	\$1,684.00	\$1,717.00	\$1,750.00	\$1,784.00	\$1,820.00
4" compound meter	\$2,771.00	\$2,817.00	\$2,865.00	\$2,914.00	\$2,964.00
6" meter	\$2,581.00	\$2,627.00	\$2,675.00	\$2,724.00	\$2,774.00
6" compound meter	\$3,681.00	\$3,727.00	\$3,775.00	\$3,824.00	\$3,874.00
8" meter	\$3,231.00	\$3,277.00	\$3,325.00	\$3,374.00	\$3,424.00
8" compound meter	\$5,881.00	\$5,927.00	\$5,975.00	\$6,024.00	\$6,074.00
10" meter	\$4,031.00	\$4,077.00	\$4,125.00	\$4,174.00	\$4,224.00
10" compound meter	\$9,270.00	\$9,316.00	\$9,364.00	\$9,413.00	\$9,463.00
12" meter	\$5,646.00	\$5,692.00	\$5,740.00	\$5,789.00	\$5,839.00
12" compound meter	\$15,188.00	\$15,234.00	\$15,282.00	\$15,331.00	\$15,381.00
Meter endpoint	\$105.00	\$108.00	\$111.00	\$115.00	\$118.00
Transmitter wire	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00
Specialty meter (labor cost, meter hardware invoiced at cost)	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
<i>All meters 3" and larger shall be required to be installed in a meter vault unless otherwise approved by Engineering.</i>					
Disinfection of Water Mains*					
Pipe diameter/size	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
4" (per foot)	\$0.81	\$0.84	\$0.87	\$0.91	\$0.95
6" (per foot)	\$0.81	\$0.84	\$0.87	\$0.91	\$0.95
8" (per foot)	\$1.06	\$1.10	\$1.14	\$1.18	\$1.23
10" (per foot)	\$1.06	\$1.10	\$1.14	\$1.18	\$1.23
12" (per foot)	\$1.27	\$1.32	\$1.37	\$1.42	\$1.47
16" (per foot)	\$1.40	\$1.45	\$1.51	\$1.57	\$1.63
20" and larger (deposit required)**	\$4,310.00	\$4,470.00	\$4,630.00	\$4,800.00	\$4,970.00
Disinfection Set Up (per trip & reschedule)	\$500.00	\$520.00	\$540.00	\$560.00	\$580.00

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<i>*Cost for labor only. Contractor to provide tap(s) into water main and sheeted access excavations. 1,200' minimum</i>					
<i>** Amount collected as a deposit. If actual cost is greater or less than the deposit then the difference will be billed or refunded, respectively.</i>					
Plugging Water Service Connections*					
Size of connections to be plugged	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
less than 2"	\$2,830.00	\$2,915.00	\$3,003.00	\$3,094.00	\$3,187.00
2" through 12"	\$3,764.00	\$3,877.00	\$3,994.00	\$4,115.00	\$4,239.00
Larger than 12"	\$4,726.00	\$4,868.00	\$5,015.00	\$5,167.00	\$5,322.00
<i>*Fee only includes actual plugging of connection. Excavation and restoration shall be invoiced at cost.</i>					
Connection Containment Fee	\$216.00	\$223.00	\$229.00	\$236.00	\$243.00
Connection Reinstatement	\$161.00	\$168.00	\$174.00	\$181.00	\$189.00
Miscellaneous Engineering Services*					
Plan review fee	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Per plan & drawing containing water work, per foot	\$1.33	\$1.37	\$1.42	\$1.46	\$1.51
Additional review fee due to plan change without prior approval (per	\$59.00	\$60.00	\$61.00	\$62.00	\$63.00
Minimum plan review fee	\$67.00	\$69.00	\$71.00	\$73.00	\$76.00
As-Built processing fee -plan profile drawing containing water					
Hard or paper copy submittal	\$0.70	\$0.70	\$0.70	\$0.70	\$0.70
Submittal in CWD Standard GIS format	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07	\$0.07
Deposit for proper submittal of customer created as-builts** per foot, 50' minimum	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00
<i>* As-Built costs based on D sized drawing. Deposits will be collected on all projects containing water work. If no as-builts are submitted, the Division of Water will keep the deposit and use it hire a firm to create as- builts. If as-builts are submitted, the deposit will be returned less the cost of the as-built processing fee. The processing fee is based on the format in which the as-builts are created and the effort required to draft the as-builts into our permanent records/GIS.</i>					
<i>Deposit is fully refundable when approved as-builts are received, within 180 days of main going into service.</i>					
Backflow Fees*					
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Backflow prevention testing fee - CWD processing fee	\$19.00	\$20.00	\$21.00	\$22.00	\$23.00
<i>*Backflow prevention testing fee- These are direct Cleveland Water cost for managing the backflow program. Additional fees charged by the Cleveland Water Division's backflow vendor will also be passed on to the customer.</i>					
Temporary Water Permits*					
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Permit processing	\$73.00	\$76.00	\$80.00	\$84.00	\$88.00
Hydrant meter rental deposit	\$1,475.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,525.00	\$1,550.00	\$1,575.00
Meter rental fee first week	\$53.00	\$56.00	\$59.00	\$62.00	\$65.00
Meter rental fee each additional week	\$38.00	\$40.00	\$42.00	\$44.00	\$46.00
Water Volume Consumption Charge					
Cleveland - Service Level - Cost Per MCF	\$39.84	\$41.33	\$42.88	\$44.49	\$46.16
Low Service/First High - Service Level - Cost Per MCF	\$51.79	\$53.73	\$55.74	\$57.83	\$60.00
Second High - Service Level -Cost Per MCF	\$63.77	\$66.16	\$68.64	\$71.21	\$73.88
Third High - Service Level - Cost Per MCF	\$73.71	\$76.47	\$79.34	\$82.32	\$85.41
1 MCF = 1000 Cubic Feet = 7,480 Gallons					
<i>*The Division of Water will determine if a temporary service shall be metered or estimated. An approval letter from the Fire Chief of the municipality where the service is located shall be required except within the City of Cleveland. In all cases, charges will include the cost of the Permit, the Cost of Water Consumption, and if applicable, a meter rental fee. If CWD determines that a meter will be needed, additional costs will include the weekly meter fee and a deposit for the meter which is refundable upon return of the meter in operable condition. The permit holder shall be responsible for furnishing and installing an independent gate valve and a check valve as well as obtaining all hoses or piping necessary to meet their needs.</i>					

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Tampering					
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
First Incident	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00
Second Incident	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00
Each Incident Thereafter	\$3,700.00	\$3,700.00	\$3,700.00	\$3,700.00	\$3,700.00

(A) No person shall tamper, or cause or knowingly permit the tampering of any component of a Division of Water system, included but not limited to (1) breaking the seal on a water meter or bypass valve (2) removing a water meter from the meter setting (3) installing an unapproved bypass around the meter or drawing water before the meter (3) installing an unapproved bypass around the meter, or drawing water before the meter, (5) reversing the water meter (6) removing the meter register (7) causing the meter register to not register or to under register (cutting or disconnect the wire between the meter and the endpoint (9) removing or damaging the endpoint (10) opening the curb stop or other meter bypass valve or other Division of Water control valve that the Division of Water has shut off, without the Division of Water's prior authorization (11) using water from a hydrant or other unmetered part of water system without the Division of Water's prior authorization, except that municipal firefighting and service department use are allowed uses not requiring pre-authorization (12) using water from a private fireline for other than firefighting and testing purposes; or (13) improperly tapping or tying into an existing water main or service connection

(B) Any person found by the Division of Water to have violated division (a) of this section shall be subject to any or all of the following: (1) the Tampering Fees as specified in Section 535.06 (2) the labor and material costs to repair any damaged equipment (3) the payment of the cost of twice the estimated amount of water which has not been registered because of tampering with System, billed at the applicable additional MCF rate, and (4) shutting or re-shutting off of water service in accordance with the Division of Water 's Rules and Regulations.

Special Service Calls- Expedited					
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Special Service Calls- Expedited	\$96.00	\$99.00	\$102.00	\$105.00	\$109.00

Return check fee					
	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Return check fee (per check)	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$34.00