

WATER AUTHORITY OF DICKSON COUNTY

STANDARD FEE SCHEDULE

More than one paragraph of this schedule and more than one rate, charge, or fee may be applicable, so it is necessary to read the entire schedule and appendices to determine all applicable rates, charges, and fees. These fees are non-refundable.

1. The following schedule will be used to calculate the capacity fees for single-family residences, duplexes, triplexes, and quadplex residential structures, and single unit non-residential structures such as schools, churches, service stations, and other commercial structures including shopping centers and office buildings. All residential and commercial units in this classification will be metered separately. Meter sizes are approved by the Authority.

WATER Meter Size	Meter Scaling Factor *	WATER Capacity Fee	SEWER Capacity Fee
5/8" x 3/4"	1.0	\$ 2,500	\$ 3,700
1"	2.5	\$ 6,250	\$ 9,250
2"	8.0	\$ 20,000	\$ 29,600
4"	30.0	\$ 75,000	\$ 111,000

Fees for meter sizes larger than 4" will be calculated by the Authority.

** Meter Scaling Factors are based on the Safe Maximum Operating Capacities (SMOC) provided in AWWA C700 and AWWAC715, Type 1.*

2. The capacity fees for industrial customers, municipalities, utility districts, laundry facilities, car wash facilities, and master-metered residential developments, including multi-family buildings, apartment complexes, assisted living facilities, and hotels/motels will be calculated by the Authority using an Equivalent Residential Unit (ERU) methodology. Meter sizes are approved by the Authority. The water and sewer capacity fees per ERU are \$2,500, and \$3,700, respectively.
3. The capacity fee for a metered fire connection is \$500, and the capacity fee for an irrigation meter will be calculated using the meter schedule in paragraph 1. All irrigation lines and fire lines connected to the Authority's system will be metered and metered separately.
4. The capacity fees for water and wastewater services do not include the cost to establish those services. Those fees are covered under the water and sewer tap fees section in the Authority's Schedule of Miscellaneous Charges in Appendix A. The limits of responsibility are depicted in the Authority's approved standard details.
5. Miscellaneous charges/fees for developments, permitted industrial users, food service establishments, septic haulers, water testing, and other services are provided in the Authority's Schedule of Miscellaneous Charges in Appendix A.

APPENDIX A SCHEDULE OF MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

CAPACITY FEES (One Unit of Flow = One equivalent single family residential unit = 300 gallons per day usage)

Water Capacity Fee	\$ 2,500	per unit of flow (See Standard Fee Schedule)
Sewer Capacity Fee	\$ 3,700	per unit of flow (See Standard Fee Schedule)
Fire Service Capacity Fee	\$ 500	per connection

WATER TAP FEES FOR NEW SERVICES ON NEW WATER MAINS - CONSTRUCTION BY OTHERS

3/4" Meter Fee (New Main)	\$ 300 ea.	Tap and Service installed by Others. Meter provided by WADC
1" Meter Fee (New Main)	\$ 450 ea.	Tap and Service installed by Others. Meter provided by WADC
2" Meter Fee (New Main)	\$ 1,700 ea.	Tap and Service installed by Others. Meter provided by WADC

WATER TAP FEES FOR NEW SERVICES ON EXISTING WATER MAINS - CONSTRUCTION BY WADC

3/4" Tap Fee (Existing Main)	\$ 950 ea.	Tap, Service, and Meter provided and installed by WADC
1" Tap Fee (Existing Main)	\$ 1,350 ea.	Tap, Service, and Meter provided and installed by WADC
2" Tap Fee (Existing Main)	\$ 5,250 ea.	Tap, Service, and Meter provided and installed by WADC

SEWER TAP FEES

Tap Fee (New Main)	n/a	Tap and Cleanout/Pressure Sewer Service Box Installed by Others
Tap Fee (Existing Main)	\$ 500 ea.	plus Cost of Miscellaneous Materials (Tap and Cleanout/Pressure Sewer Service Box Provided and Installed by WADC)

DEVELOPMENT FEES

Application Fee / Capacity Study	\$ 1,000	
Plan Review Fee - Site Utility Plans (Non-Residential Only)	\$ 500	
Plan Review Fee - Water Only Plans	\$ 1,000	
Plan Review Fee - Water and Centralized Sewer Plans	\$ 2,000	
Plan Review Fee - Water and Decentralized Sewer Plans	\$ 6,000	
Construction Inspection - Water Main Line	\$ 1.25	per Linear Foot (LF)
Construction Inspection - Sewer Gravity Main Line	\$ 2.00	per LF
Construction Inspection - Sewer Force Main Line	\$ 1.50	per LF
Construction Inspection - Sewer Low-Pressure Line	\$ 1.50	per LF
Construction Inspection - Sewer STEP Line	\$ 1.50	per LF
Construction Inspection - Duplex Grinder Pump Station	\$ 500	per pump station
Duplex Grinder Pump Panel (Single Phase, 5-7.5 hp, HTT300)	\$ 26,000	per pump station
Duplex Grinder Pump Panel (Single Phase, 10-15 hp, HTT950)	\$ 35,000	per pump station
Duplex Grinder Pump Panel (Three Phase, 5-7.5 hp, HTT300)	\$ 3,800	per pump station
Duplex Grinder Pump Panel (Three Phase, 10-15 hp, HTT950)	\$ 5,900	per pump station
Duplex Grinder Pump Station - Startup Services	\$ 600	per pump station

PERMITTED INDUSTRIAL USER FEES

Industrial User Permit Application	\$ 500	per application (including renewals)
Permitted Discharge 0-30,000 gal/Month	\$50 + \$2	per 1,000 gallons
Permitted Discharge >30,000 gal/Month	\$100 + \$2	per 1,000 gallons
Surcharge for Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)	\$ 0.45	per pound
Surcharge for Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	\$ 0.45	per pound
Surcharge for Ammonia Nitrogen (NH3)	\$ 0.45	per pound
Surcharge for Oil and Grease (O/G)	\$ 0.65	per pound

APPENDIX A SCHEDULE OF MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT (FSE) FATS, OILS, AND GREASE (FOG) FEES

FOG Application and Initial Inspection	\$ 150	
FOG Inspection	\$ 100	per inspection (each inspection until pass)
FOG Notice of Violation (NOV)	\$ 100	per notice up to \$300 then penalties per FOG Program Guidelines

SEPTIC HAULER FEES

Hauled Waste Application	\$ 150	per annual application fee
Hauled Waste	\$ 100	per 1,000 gallons

MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Commercial Service Connection Fee	\$ 100	Accessed each Water Service
Residential Service Connection Fee	\$ 60	Accessed each Water Service
Residential Service Deposit	\$ 40	Accessed each Service
Grinder Pump - Materials Fee	\$ 3,100	Installation by Customer
Grinder Pump - Maintenance Fee	\$ 1,000	Accessed each Grinder Service at time of Application (one-time fee)
Mainline Tap	\$ 1,000	New Main Connections to Existing Water and Sewer Mains
Fire Service Annual Fee	\$ 100	per inch diameter of connection, billed annually in January
Fire Hydrant Meter Deposit	\$ 300	plus cost to replace meter if damaged
Fire Hydrant Meter Service Fee	\$ 200	
Fire Hydrant	\$ 7,000	
Backflow Device Inspections	\$ 75	
Tampering/Destruction Fee	\$ 150	plus materials
Disconnect Fee for Nonpayment	\$ 50	plus past due amt (Payments Accepted Non-Holiday Weekdays from 7am to 7pm)
Dickson WTP Private Water Tank Filling Service Fee	\$ 100	plus gallons of water at Current Water Rate (see Water Rate Structure)
Water Testing (Utility)	\$ 50	per sample (will increase to \$75 in January 2027 and \$100 in January 2028)
Water Testing (Private)	\$ 100	per sample

CHARGES FOR REPAIRS RESULTING FROM CUSTOMER ERROR

Trackhoe	\$ 150	per hour
Backhoe	\$ 130	per hour
Mini Excavator	\$ 100	per hour
Dump Truck	\$ 80	per hour
Service/Utility Truck	\$ 40	per hour
Emergency Call Out	\$ 200	per event
Manager/Supervisor	\$ 60	per hour
Laborer - Normal Work Hours	\$ 35	per hour (Non-Holiday Weekdays from 7am to 4pm)
Laborer - After Hours	\$ 50	per hour (Weekdays before 7am and after 4pm, Weekends, and Holidays)
Construction Materials	Cost of materials purchased by the Water Authority to repair Water Authority facilities	
Water Lost During Break	Gallons of water lost at current water rate (see Water Rate Structure)	

UTILITY PROCESSING FEES

City of Charlotte - Sewer Bills	\$2.15 per account
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