

RESOLUTION NO. 174

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING WATER RATES, CHARGES AND FEES FOR USERS OF THE CITY WATER SYSTEM OF AURORA, OREGON.

WHEREAS, ORDINANCE NO. 290 designates that water charges, fees and rates shall be reviewed annually by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Aurora City Council has determined it is necessary to establish water rates more consistent with present needs; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, the Aurora City Council hereby adopts the charges, fees and rates as follows:

1. The minimum deposit to cover cost of testing a meter at the request of the customer shall be:  
5/8" to 3/4" - \$12.00, 1" - \$15.00, 1 1/2" - \$25.00,  
2" - \$30.00, 2 1/2" and larger - \$50.00.  
The difference between the deposit and the actual cost shall be billed or refunded to the customer for meter testing service.
2. The water service installation charges in the City of Aurora shall be:


a) 5/8"x3/4"	\$485.00
b) 3/4"x3/4"	\$520.00
c) 1"x1"	\$600.00
d) 1 1/2"x1 1/2"	COST + 50%
e) 2"x2"	COST + 50%
f) 3"	COST + 50%
g) 4"	COST + 40%
h) 6"	COST + 40%
3. For service installations larger than 1", the COST is based on the following:
  - A. Cost of materials and equipment
    1. Meter
    2. Fittings - Pipe
    3. Vault Box - where appropriate
    4. Meter Box - where appropriate
    5. Backflow Prevention Device - where appropriate
    6. Pressure Reducing Device - where appropriate
  - B. Cost of labor for installation

4. The water connection fees in the City of Aurora shall be:
  - A. For single family dwellings, trailers, mobile or modular dwelling units...\$300.00
  - B. For motels, hotels, apartments and other multiple family dwellings...\$300.00 for the first unit and \$150.00 for each additional unit.
  - C. All other structures and facilities...\$300.00 plus \$30.00 for each 1,000 square feet of structure area, or portion thereof, in excess of 2,000 square feet.
5. The charges to be paid for city water service are as follows:
  - A. The minimum charge per month shall be \$7.50 for up to 400 cubic feet.
  - B. Water consumed above the minimum quantity allowed per month shall cost \$ .63 per 100 cubic feet.
  - C. Multiple residential or commercial accounts shall pay \$7.50 per unit per month in establishing the minimum for each service. Quantity allowed shall be the number of units times 400 cubic feet.
  - D. A \$10.00 turn on fee shall be charged to all new accounts, regardless of whether or not the water has been physically off. A \$10.00 turn on charge shall also be paid by accounts who have requested a temporary discontinuance of service.
  - E. A \$25.00 fee shall be charged for re-connecting any service that has been disconnected for non-payment.
6. The charges for water service provided to residents outside the city limits shall be double the inside rate.
7. These rates shall become effective on December 23, 1988.

ADOPTED by the Aurora City Council at a regular meeting thereof on the 8th day of November, 1988.

  
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Steven E. Starner - Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Janice N. Vlcek, City Recorder