



Flathead County Water District #1 - Evergreen
 108 Cooperative Way
 Kalispell, Montana 59901
 (406) 257-5861

May 2025 Rate Proposal

		WATER			
Meter Size	Current		Proposed		Example of 5000 gallon usage ----->
	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	
3/4"	\$ 9.53	\$ 1.65	\$ 12.87	\$ 2.15	\$ 17.78 \$ 23.62
1"	\$ 12.70	\$ 1.65	\$ 19.30	\$ 2.15	\$ 20.95 \$ 30.05
1 1/2"	\$ 20.64	\$ 1.65	\$ 35.38	\$ 2.15	\$ 28.89 \$ 46.13
2"	\$ 30.17	\$ 1.65	\$ 54.68	\$ 2.15	\$ 38.42 \$ 65.43
3"	\$ 73.84	\$ 1.65	\$ 143.13	\$ 2.15	\$ 82.09 \$ 153.88
4"	\$ 123.86	\$ 1.65	\$ 244.44	\$ 2.15	\$ 132.11 \$ 255.19
6"	\$ 258.84	\$ 1.65	\$ 517.84	\$ 2.15	\$ 267.09 \$ 528.59
8"	\$ 449.40	\$ 1.65	\$ 903.80	\$ 2.15	\$ 457.65 \$ 914.55

		SEWER			
Meter Size	Current		Proposed		Example of 5000 gallon usage ----->
	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	
3/4"	\$ 14.33	\$ 10.43	\$ 16.48	\$ 11.87	\$ 66.48 \$ 75.83
1"	\$ 19.11	\$ 10.43	\$ 24.72	\$ 11.87	\$ 71.26 \$ 84.07
1 1/2"	\$ 31.05	\$ 10.43	\$ 45.32	\$ 11.87	\$ 83.20 \$ 104.67
2"	\$ 45.39	\$ 10.43	\$ 70.04	\$ 11.87	\$ 97.54 \$ 129.39
3"	\$ 111.08	\$ 10.43	\$ 183.33	\$ 11.87	\$ 163.23 \$ 242.68
4"	\$ 186.32	\$ 10.43	\$ 313.11	\$ 11.87	\$ 238.47 \$ 372.46

Non-Metered Sewer Accounts Current \$87.86 Proposed \$ 99.57

		Water and Sewer Combined Rate Comparisons			
Meter Size	Current		Proposed		Example of 5000 gallon usage ----->
	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	Base Fee	Per 1000 Rate	
3/4"	\$ 23.86	\$ 12.08	\$ 29.35	\$ 14.02	\$ 84.26 \$ 99.45
1"	\$ 31.81	\$ 12.08	\$ 44.02	\$ 14.02	\$ 92.21 \$ 114.12
1 1/2"	\$ 51.69	\$ 12.08	\$ 80.70	\$ 14.02	\$ 112.09 \$ 150.80
2"	\$ 75.56	\$ 12.08	\$ 124.72	\$ 14.02	\$ 135.96 \$ 194.82
3"	\$ 184.92	\$ 12.08	\$ 326.46	\$ 14.02	\$ 245.32 \$ 396.56
4"	\$ 310.18	\$ 12.08	\$ 557.56	\$ 14.02	\$ 370.58 \$ 627.66

For further information regarding the rate hearing on May 21, 2025, please contact Andrew Kruzich at (406) 405-1683

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Notice of Public Meeting to Discuss Proposed Rate and Fee Increases

Date and Time: May 21, 2025 @ 7:00 am

Location: 130 Nicholson Drive, Kalispell, Montana 59901

Other Fees and Changes

- ~ **Water Meter Replacement Fee** - \$4.00 per month, for service live, obsolescence and new technology
- ~ **Late Fees** - \$3.75 for Water and \$3.75 for Sewer
- ~ **EPA Pre-treatment Program** - Each Commercial User subject to pretreatment requirements, will be surcharged \$87.00 per month if annual water usage exceeds 100,000 gallons, and \$6.00 per month if annual water usage is less than 100,000 gallons.
- ~ **EPA Pre-treatment Program Re-Inspection Fee** - Commercial Users will be charged \$150.00 for each re-inspection.
- ~ **New Pre-treatment Devices** - Sand Oil Grease Interceptors, Fats Oil, Grease Interceptors, \$1,000.00 per installation plus City of Kalispell fees.
- ~ **New Stand Pipe Water Charge** - \$75.00 per fill, no volume limit
- ~ **Summer Sewer Average Billing for Single Family Residences, Mobile Home Parks & Multi-Family Units** - for June through September, Sewer is based on average water usage from October 1 thru May 31. Commercial Summer Sewer billing is based on actual use with no winter average.
- ~ **New Development, Engineering Plan Review Fee** - \$750.00 without water or sewer extension, \$1,250.00 with water or sewer main extension, PLUS any additional engineering, legal & administrative costs. Prices include one revision.
- ~ **Metered Irrigation accounts** will be charged the meter base rate year-round, in use or winterized
- ~ **Flathead County Road Encroachment Permit** - \$500.00, payable in advance
- ~ **MDOT Encroachment / Occupancy Permit** - \$2,500.00, payable in advance, if submitted by District