

NAVAJO WESTERN WATER DISTRICT

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WATER RATE SCHEDULE

(Revision to this Water Rate Schedule As approved by NWWD Board, April 12, 2023)

LOAN SERVICE FEE

Loan Service Fee of \$5.00 is assessed monthly **for every tap** in the Navajo Western Water Enterprise. This Fee is assessed every month in addition to the Base Fee, regardless of the amount of water used. It is used to fund the payback of a State Loan.

MINIMUM

A **Base Fee of \$45.00** is assessed monthly for all metered customers regardless of usage. The Base Fee includes 100 gallons of water.

Abandoned Meter: A \$10.00 Fee in addition to the \$5.00 Loan Service Fee will be assessed monthly for properties meeting the strict <u>Abandoned Meter</u> criteria or properties with Taps only. (Ref: Permit for Abandoned Meter – Connection)

WATER USAGE RATE

<u>Gallons Used:</u>	Rate	<u>Loan Service Fee</u>	
0-100:	Base Fee = \$45.00	+ \$ 5.00	
101-2,000:	Base Fee + \$5.00 /1000 gallons or .005/gal	+ \$ 5.00	
2,001-5,000:	Base Fee + \$5.50 /1000 gallons or .0055/gal	+ \$ 5.00	
5,001-6,500:	Base Fee + \$6.00 /1000 gallons or .006/gal	+ \$ 5.00	
6,501-8,000:	Base Fee + 15.00 /1000 gallons or .0150/gal	+ \$ 5.00	
8,001 and up:	Base Fee + 15.00 /1000 gallons or .0150/gal	+ \$ 5.00	

^{*8,001} and up: In addition to the Base Fee, Water Usage Fee and Loan Service Fee a
*\$250.00 Penalty will be assessed for each month the water usage is over 8,000 gallons.

PAYMENTS are due on the 20th of the month. Any payments received after the 25th of month your account is charged a <u>Late Fee of \$15.00</u>. (To avoid any late fees, please ensure that payment for the month is made in full – thank you).

The Late fee for Abandoned Meters is \$15.00.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The Augmentation Plan mandated by the State of Colorado requires the Navajo Western Water Enterprise to strictly enforce the in-house water rules.

NO OUTSIDE WATERING IS ALLOWED FOR ANY REASON INCLUDING LAWNS, GARDENS,

CAR WASHING, etc. Violation of this ruling can lead to fines or even water shutoff.

If the District does not enforce this ruling, the State has the authority to shut down the water supply to the entire area.

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^{*} The \$250.00 Penalty was discussed during the December 2022 PUBLIC Rate Hearing Meeting and accordingly, the NVWD Board of Directors approved the public's recommendation.