

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Rainier View Water Co., Inc. is filing a general rate increase with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission. If approved, the effective date of the increase will be **July 1, 2019**.

The change in rates will produce approximately \$641,339 in additional annual revenue. This represents a 9.01 percent increase in revenue. The reason for the increase is to respond to the increasing costs of operation, primarily in employee wage increases and insurance.

The increase will only affect the usage rates, and not the base rates. The change in rates for Metered Rate Service is as follows:

Meter Size	Current Base Rate	Percent of increase	Current 1st Usage Rate	Proposed 1st Usage Rate	Percent of increase	Current 2nd Usage Rate	Proposed 2nd Usage Rate	Percent of increase	Current 3rd Usage Rate	Proposed 3rd Usage Rate	Percent of increase
3/4- inch	\$14.90	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
1- inch	\$24.83	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
1 1/2- inch	\$49.67	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
2-inch	\$79.47	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
3-inch	\$149.00	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
4-inch	\$248.33	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20
6-inch	\$496.67	0	\$1.00	\$1.15	15	\$1.15	\$1.55	34.78	\$2.42	\$3.03	25.20

The summer usage rate for customers is not proposed to change.

The commission has the authority to set final rates that may be lower or higher than the company's request, depending on the outcome of its investigation. You can submit comments by going to www.utc.wa.gov and clicking "Submit a Comment," or by one of the following options:

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-7250

E-mail: comments@utc.wa.gov

Telephone: 1-888-333-WUTC (9882)

Commission staff will make a recommendation to the commissioners at an open meeting at Lacey City Council Chambers, located on the first floor of Lacey City Hall, 420 College Street SE, Lacey, Washington at 9:30 a.m. on June 27, 2019. You will have an opportunity to comment in person at this meeting. If you plan to attend the open meeting in person, please call 360-664-1234 the day before to make sure this item is still on the agenda.



A memo containing the staff recommendation will be available on the commission website about three days prior to the open meeting. If a memo is available and view the memo, go to utc.wa.gov. Click on the link near the bottom that says "Documents." Under "Open Meetings," click on "Agendas, meeting minutes, orders." When the open meeting date (see above) appears, click on the memo for this filing. This will take you to a page with the memo and any associated attachments. You will be given an option to open or save the document you choose.

The commission is committed to providing reasonable accommodation to participants with disabilities. If you need reasonable accommodation, please contact the commission at (360) 664-1132 or human resources@utc.wa.gov.

If you have further questions about the surcharge, please contact us at (253) 537-6634.

Sincerely,

Rainier View Water Co., Inc.