

New Water Rates (Effective with water bills sent after January 1, 2015)

A rate increase of 5.8% was approved by the Otay Water District Board of Directors.
This increase will be reflected in your January billing statement.

The new water rates* are as follows:

Residential Water Rates (Single Family-Detached Homes & Attached Homes)

<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 5**	\$1.95
6 – 10	\$3.04
11 – 22	\$3.95
23 – up	\$6.08

**Customers whose total consumption is 10 units or less per month shall receive a benefit of a lower rate for units 1 – 5. One unit equals 748 gallons.

Multi-Residential Water Rates (Master Metered sites)

<u>Average Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 4	\$3.00
5 – 9	\$3.89
10– up	\$6.00

Irrigation Water Rates

.75”- 1” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 - 54	\$4.37
55 - 199	\$4.42
200 – up	\$4.47

1.5”- 2” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 144	\$4.37
145 – 355	\$4.42
356 – up	\$4.47

3” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 550	\$4.37
551 – 1,200	\$4.42
1,201 - up	\$4.47

Commercial Water Rates

Less than 10” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 185	\$3.21
186 – 1,400	\$3.26
1,401 – up	\$3.31

10” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 7,426	\$3.21
7,427 – 14,616	\$3.26
14,617 – up	\$3.31

Recycled Water Rates

.75”- 1” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 32	\$3.73
33 – 75	\$3.79
76 – up	\$3.84

1.5”- 2” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 130	\$3.73
131 – 325	\$3.79
326 – up	\$3.84

3”- 4” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 440	\$3.73
441 – 1,050	\$3.79
1,051 – up	\$3.84

6” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 4,000	\$3.73
4,001 – 10,000	\$3.79
10,001 – up	\$3.84

*Additional district fees may be added to your bill. For a complete list of rates and fees, please see the Otay Water District Code of Ordinance Appendix A.

These are *fixed* fees that are based on the size of the meter. The MWD/CWA fee is decreasing to match the cost from the District's water suppliers. The System fee is increasing to pay for higher water system replacement, maintenance and operating expenses.

The Monthly System fees are as follows:

Meter Size New Fee

¾"	\$19.39
1"	\$27.39
1 ½"	\$47.40
2"	\$71.39
3"	\$135.41
4"	\$207.43
6"	\$407.50
8"	\$647.56
10"	\$927.63
Fire	
3" or less	\$25.32
4" or greater	34.12

The MWD/CWA fees are as follows:

Meter Size New Fee

¾"	\$13.67
1"	\$25.35
1 ½"	\$57.35
2"	\$97.53
3"	\$207.44
4"	\$332.20
6"	\$680.02
8"	\$1098.15
10"	\$1580.67

Water wholesalers raise their water rates as they work to obtain new and more reliable supplies of water or build new and more reliable infrastructure. By cutting internal costs, including reducing the number of full-time employees and efficiency programs such as automated meter reading and online billing services, the District is able to absorb a significant amount of those costs and pass-through a smaller rate increase to its customers.

If you have any questions regarding the new rates, please contact us via the link or by calling the Customer Service Department by phone at (619) 670-2222.

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