

New Water Rates

(Effective with water bills mailed March 1, 2016)

A rate increase of 4.1% was approved by the Otay Water District Board of Directors.
This increase will be reflected in your March 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**	\$2.13
6 – 10	\$3.32
11 – 22	\$4.32
23 – up	\$6.65

**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>
0 – 4	\$3.28
5 – 9	\$4.25
10– up	\$6.56

Irrigation Water Rates

.75”- 1” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 54	\$4.78
55 – 199	\$4.83
200 – up	\$4.89

1.5”- 2” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 144	\$4.78
145 – 355	\$4.83
356 – up	\$4.89

3” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 550	\$4.78
551 – 1,200	\$4.83
1,201- up	\$4.89

Commercial Water Rates

Less than 10” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
1 – 185	\$3.51
186 – 1,400	\$3.56
1,401– up	\$3.62

10” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 7,426	\$3.51
7,427 – 14,616	\$3.56
14,617 – up	\$3.62

Recycled Water Rates

Irrigation	
.75”- 1” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 32	\$4.08
33 – 75	\$4.14
76 – up	\$4.20

1.5”- 2” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 - 130	\$4.08
131 - 325	\$4.14
326 – up	\$4.20

3”- 4” Meter	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 440	\$4.08
441 – 1,050	\$4.14
1,051 – up	\$4.20

6” Meter or greater	
<u>Number of Units Used</u>	<u>Rate Per Unit</u>
0 – 4,000	\$4.08
4,001 – 10,000	\$4.14
10,001 – up	\$4.20

*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.

Recycled Water Rates Commercial

Less than 10" Meter

Number of Units Used Rate Per Unit

0 – 173 \$2.97

174 – 831 \$3.03

832 – up \$3.07

Greater than 10" Meter

Number of Units Used Rate Per Unit

0 – 7426 \$2.97

7427 – 14,616 \$3.03

14,617 – up \$3.07

The Monthly System Charge and the MWD/CWA (Metropolitan Water District/ County Water Authority) fees have increased this year. These are *fixed* fees that are based on the size of the meter

The monthly system fees are as follows:

Meter Size New Fee

$\frac{3}{4}$ " \$18.91

1" \$26.71

1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " \$46.22

2" \$69.61

3" \$132.02

4" \$202.24

6" \$397.31

8" \$631.37

10" \$904.44

Fire \leq 3" Meter \$24.69 \geq 4" Meter 33.27

The MWD/CWA fees are as follows:

Meter Size New Fee

$\frac{3}{4}$ " \$16.84

1" \$31.24

1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " \$70.66

2" \$120.17

3" \$255.60

4" \$409.32

6" \$837.89

8" \$1353.09

10" \$1947.62

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An analysis of the District's costs and revenues indicates an average 4.1% rate increase is needed for water services billed on or after March 2016 and may apply to water used as early as the beginning of March 2016 . The rate increase will pass-through increases implemented by the City of San Diego and recover costs associated with reduced water sales as a result of the drought and the high level of conservation in response to the Governor's call to reduce water use by 20 percent.

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.