

Annual Rates

This is a *History* document – refer to current Water Regulations

The following rates are established until further notice:

Family not exceeding five persons, single faucet - \$6.00

Each additional person in same family - .50

Bath tub or water closet of approved pattern – 3.00

Hose for washing windows or carriages, or sprinkling lawns, not exceeding one hour per day, through one-eighth nozzle - \$\$3.00

Builders' rates per barrel - .05

Hotels, steam engines and motors, metre or special rates.

When water is used for purposes not specified in the foregoing it may be drawn through a metre or a rate will be fixed by the Superintendent upon application.

Metre Rates

Not exceeding 24,000 gallons per year - \$10.00

Each additional 1,000 gallons - .25

Contract

Every person taking water thereby consents to the following regulations, and agrees to be bound by them and such other regulations as the Selectmen and Superintendent may hereafter establish.

Application

All persons desiring to take water shall make application to the Superintendent, stating fully and truly all the purposes for which it is to be used; and should additional uses at any time be required the person requiring the same must notify the Superintendent before such additional use will be allowed.

Service Pipes

The town will furnish a corporation with a stop, from the main pipe. All service pipes must be provided and maintained by the person supplied with water.

Persons taking water must keep their own water pipes and all fixtures connected therewith in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They must provide a stop and waste cock, to be properly located inside the building and have the pipes so arranged that the water can be drawn from them whenever and wherever there is a danger of its freezing.

Use of Water

The water at sinks and all other places must not be left running to prevent the water in the pipes freezing, or for any other purpose; and all unnecessary waste of water must be prevented.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to other persons or families, and if found so doing the supply will be stopped and the water rent already paid forfeited.

Inspections

The superintendent must have free access at all proper times to all parts of the premises where water is delivered and consumed.

Stoppage

No person shall open or close any public fountain, hydrant, stop cock, water gate, blow-off or air vent, attached to any water pipe belonging to the town except by permission of the Superintendent. Provided, however, that this shall not apply to firemen while in the proper discharge of their duties as such.

The Town reserves the right to shut off the water for making repairs, extensions or other purposes, without notice, and no person shall be entitled to damages by reason of such action of the town.

Metres

No engine, motor or stable shall be supplied except with metered water, nor shall water be supplied for any other purpose than domestic use, except by meter.

Bills Payable, When

All water bills shall be payable semi-annually in advance, to the Superintendent on the first days of June and December.

If water rents be not paid within fifteen days after they become due, the flow of water may be cut off, and one dollar will be charged for turning it on again.

Water rents will commence when service is laid.

Walter C. Wells, Selectman

John W. Farrar, Selectman

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