

**NOTICE OF FALLS WATER COMPANY'S  
IPUC APPROVED NEW RATES**

On December 14, 2023, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission (IPUC) issued Order No. 36027 addressing the rate case filed by Falls Water Co., Inc. on May 15, 2023. The new rates are effective December 15, 2023, and they will be reflected beginning on the January 2024 billings. The rate increase represents a 28.8% increase of Company revenues.

The new approved rates have a three-tiered usage block to encourage conservation of water. The rates for Taylor Mountain (TM) and Falls Water (FW) customers are combined into the same tariff based on meter size. Morning View (MV) customers base rates are still based on lot size, but usage is based on the 1" meter rate allowance in the three-tiers. The new rates are shown below:

Meter Size	Old Minimum Charge	New Approved Monthly Minimum Charge	First Tier Block Rate	Gallons in First Tier Block	Second Tier Block Rate	Gallons in Second Tier Block (Next)	Third Tier Block Rate	Gallons in Third Tier Block (Over)
Combined FW & TM - ¾"	\$18.75	\$22.50	\$0.00	8,000	\$0.640	16,000	\$1.439	24,000
Combined FW & TM - 1"	\$26.40	\$31.68	\$0.00	11,000	\$0.640	22,000	\$1.439	33,000
Combined FW & TM - 1.5"	\$34.05	\$40.86	\$0.00	15,000	\$0.640	30,000	\$1.439	45,000
Combined FW & TM - 2"	\$43.30	\$51.96	\$0.00	19,000	\$0.640	38,000	\$1.439	57,000
Combined FW & TM - 4"	\$77.35	\$92.82	\$0.00	33,000	\$0.640	66,000	\$1.439	99,000
MV .25 Acre - ¾" & 1"	\$55.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	11,000	\$0.640	22,000	\$1.439	33,000
MV .50 Acre - ¾" & 1"	\$65.00	\$60.00	\$0.00	11,000	\$0.640	22,000	\$1.439	33,000
MV 1.0 Acre - ¾" & 1"	\$75.00	\$65.50	\$0.00	11,000	\$0.640	22,000	\$1.439	33,000

An example of a billing calculation for a customer with a ¾" meter using 25,000 gallons in a billing cycle, the first 8,000 gallons is included in the first-tier block minimum charge of \$22.50. The second-tier block rate will be used to bill the next 16,000 gallons at 0.64 per thousand gallons for \$10.24. The third-tier block rate will be used to bill the next thousand gallons of the 25,000 gallons at \$1.439 per thousand for \$1.44. The total billing charge is \$22.50 plus \$10.24 plus \$1.44 for a total bill of \$34.18.

The IPUC's Order Number 36027, is on file in our office for examination and in the IPUC's office at 11331 W. Chinden Blvd. Building 8, Suite 201-A, Boise, ID 83714. The order can also be viewed on the IPUC's website at [https://puc.idaho.gov/Fileroom/PublicFiles/WATER/FLS/FLSW2301/OrdNotc/20231214Final\\_Order\\_No\\_36027.pdf](https://puc.idaho.gov/Fileroom/PublicFiles/WATER/FLS/FLSW2301/OrdNotc/20231214Final_Order_No_36027.pdf). If you have comments or questions, please contact either Falls Water Company or the Idaho Public Utilities Commission:

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