

## AN ORDINANCE NO. 87-82-107

ADOPTED MAY 28 1987

To amend and reordain Sections 30-218, 30-219 and 30-220 of the Code of the City of Richmond, 1985, concerning the rates to be charged for general water service in the City of Richmond, for residential water service within the City and general water service outside the corporate limits of the City of Richmond, effective as of the date of rendering bills for Cycle 1 in July 1987.

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Patron - City Manager

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Approved as to form and legality  
by City Attorney

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## THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. That Sections 30-218, 30-219 and 30-220 of the Code of the City of Richmond, 1985, as amended, be and are amended and reordained, as follows:

Sec. 30-218. Residential water service - City.

(a) Application. This section shall apply to use of service for residential purposes in individual residences or owner-occupied duplexes at locations within the corporate limits of the city where service is available.

(b) Minimum charge for water. The monthly minimum charge is the service charge.

(c) Service charges (readiness to serve). Service charges shall be [~~\$5.46~~] \$5.83 per month.

(d) Commodity charge. Monthly charges for the quantity of water which passes through the meters shall be as follows:

<u>Quality</u>	<u>Charge</u>
(cubic feet)	(per 100 cf)
0 - 10,000 . . . . .	\$ [ <del>728</del> ] <u>.777</u>
10,100 - 200,000 . . . . .	[ <del>489</del> ] <u>.522</u>
Over - 200,000 . . . . .	[ <del>437</del> ] <u>.466</u>

(e) Term of contracts. Contracts for water service under this schedule shall be cancellable at any time; provided, that a consumer cannot resume service within one month at the same location without paying the prescribed service charges and charges for water supplied during the intervening period in accordance with this schedule.

(f) Special provisions (cost of water adjustment). The charge specified in the monthly commodity charge may be subject to an adjustment per 100 cf for increases or decreases in the costs associated with the cost of electric energy, water treatment chemicals and purchased water.

Sec. 30-219. General water service - City.

(a) Application. This schedule shall apply to use of service for other than individual residences or owner-occupied duplexes at locations within the corporate limits of the city where service is available.

(b) Minimum charge for water. The monthly minimum charge is the service charge shown below, determined by meter size.

(c) Service charges (readiness to serve). The following monthly service charges shall be paid by consumers for the use of the following sizes of meters. The service charges shall be paid in addition to charges for the quantity of water which passes through the meters. When a consumer is supplied with water through more than one meter, the service charges shall apply to each meter:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge (per month)
5/8	\$ [ <del>5.46</del> ] <u>5.83</u>
3/4	[ <del>5.98</del> ] <u>6.38</u>
1	[ <del>10.66</del> ] <u>11.38</u>
1-1/2	[ <del>17.94</del> ] <u>19.14</u>
2	[ <del>29.90</del> ] <u>31.91</u>
3	[ <del>59.80</del> ] <u>63.81</u>
4	[ <del>107.64</del> ] <u>114.86</u>
6	[ <del>179.40</del> ] <u>191.44</u>
8	[ <del>301.60</del> ] <u>321.84</u>
10	[ <del>478.40</del> ] <u>510.50</u>

(d) Commodity charge: Monthly charges for the quantity of water which passes through the meters shall be as follows:

Quantity (cubic feet)	Charge (per 100 cf)
0 - 10,000 . . . . .	\$ [ <del>.728</del> ] <u>.777</u>

10,100 - 200,000 cubic feet . . . . . [~~489~~] .522

Over 200,000 cubic feet . . . . . [~~437~~] .466

(e) Unmetered fire protection (firelines). When water is supplied for fire protection which is not metered, through pipes used or which are available for use exclusively for that purpose, the following service charges shall be paid by consumers for the following sizes of pipes:

Pipe Size (inches in diameter)	Charge (per month)
4 or less . . . . .	\$ [ <del>67.60</del> ] <u>72.14</u>
6 . . . . .	[ <del>78.00</del> ] <u>83.23</u>
8 . . . . .	[ <del>124.00</del> ] <u>133.17</u>

(f) Metered fire protection (firelines). When water is supplied for fire protection which is metered, through pipes used or which are available for use exclusively for that purpose, the following service charges shall be paid by consumers:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge (per month)
2 or smaller . .(same as service charge above)	
3 . . . . .	\$ [ <del>47.84</del> ] <u>51.05</u>
4 . . . . .	[ <del>59.00</del> ] <u>63.81</u>
6 . . . . .	[ <del>71.76</del> ] <u>76.58</u>
8 . . . . .	[ <del>119.60</del> ] <u>127.63</u>
10 . . . . .	[ <del>200.00</del> ] <u>221.96</u>

(g) Public fire protection (billed to department of public safety). There shall be a flat charge per hydrant of [~~two-hundred-thirty-four-dollars-(\$234.00)~~] two hundred forty-nine dollars seventy cents (\$249.70) per year.

(h) Term of contracts: Contracts for water service under this schedule shall be cancellable at any time; provided, that a consumer cannot resume service within one month at the same location without paying the prescribed service charges and charges for water supplied during the intervening period in accordance with this schedule.

(i) Special provisions (cost of water adjustment). The charge specified in the monthly commodity charge may be subject to an adjustment per 100 cf for increases or decreases in the costs associated with the cost of electric energy, water treatment chemicals and purchased water.

Sec. 30-220. General water service - County.

(a) Application. This section shall apply to use of service for all purposes at locations outside the corporate limits of the city where service is available; provided, however, that this schedule shall not apply to contracts heretofore or hereafter entered into between the city and any adjoining county.

(b) Minimum charge for water. The monthly minimum charge is the service charge shown below, determined by meter size.

(c) Service charges (readiness to serve). The following monthly service charges shall be paid by consumers for the use of the following sizes of meters. The service charges shall be paid in addition to the charges for the quantity of water which passes through the meters. When a consumer is supplied with water through more than one meter, the service charges shall apply to each meter:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge (per month)
5/8	\$ <del>[5.46]</del> <u>5.83</u>
3/4	<del>[5.98]</del> <u>6.38</u>
1	<del>[10.66]</del> <u>11.38</u>
1-1/2	<del>[17.94]</del> <u>19.14</u>
2	<del>[29.90]</del> <u>31.91</u>
3	<del>[59.80]</del> <u>63.81</u>
4	<del>[107.64]</del> <u>114.86</u>
6	<del>[179.40]</del> <u>191.44</u>
8	<del>[301.60]</del> <u>321.84</u>
10	<del>[478.40]</del> <u>510.50</u>

(d) Commodity charge. Monthly charges for the quantity of water which passes through the meters shall be as follows:

Quantity (cubic feet)	Charge (per 100 cf)
0 - 10,000 . . . . .	\$ <del>[1.196]</del> <u>1.276</u>

10,100 - 200,000 . . . . .	[ <del>7832</del> ]	<u>.888</u>
Over - 200,000 . . . . .	[ <del>7478</del> ]	<u>.510</u>

(e) Unmetered fire protection (firelines). When water is supplied for fire protection which is not metered, through pipes used or which are available for use exclusively for that purpose, the following service charges shall be paid by consumers for the following sizes of pipes:

Pipe Size (inches in diameter)	Charge (per month)
4 or less . . . . .	.\$ [ <del>67.60</del> ] <u>72.14</u>
6 . . . . .	[ <del>78.00</del> ] <u>83.23</u>
8 . . . . .	[ <del>124.80</del> ] <u>133.17</u>

(f) Metered fire protection (firelines). When water is supplied for fire protection which is metered, through pipes used or which are available for use exclusively for that purpose, the following service charges shall be paid by consumers:

Meter Size (inches)	Charge (per month)
2 or smaller (same as service charge above)	
3 . . . . .	.\$ [ <del>47.84</del> ] <u>51.05</u>
4 . . . . .	[ <del>59.80</del> ] <u>63.81</u>
6 . . . . .	[ <del>71.76</del> ] <u>76.58</u>
8 . . . . .	[ <del>119.60</del> ] <u>127.63</u>
10 . . . . .	[ <del>208.00</del> ] <u>221.96</u>

(g) Term of contracts. Contracts for water service under this schedule shall be cancellable at any time; provided, that a consumer cannot resume service within one month at the same location without paying the prescribed service charges and charges for water supplied during the intervening period in accordance with this schedule.

(h) Special provisions (cost of water adjustment). The charge specified in the monthly commodity charge may be subject to an adjustment per 100 cf for increases or decreases in the costs associated with the cost of electric energy, water treatment chemicals and purchased water.

§ 2. This ordinance shall be in force and effective for all bills rendered for Cycle 1 in July 1987 and any and all bills rendered subsequent thereto.