

RESOLUTION 9708
TO ESTABLISH WATER, SEWER, AND STORM DRAIN RATES AND FEES

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH WATER, SEWER, AND STORM DRAIN RATES AND FEES IN ACCORDANCE WITH 13.02.040 OCCGF, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 5, 2008

WHEREAS:

The City Commission of the City of Great Falls, met and conducted the hearing in the regular session on Tuesday, January 22, 2008 at the Civic Center, Great Falls, Montana, at 7:00 p.m. and did consider the cost of operation, equipment, facilities, debt service, and capital improvements for the Water, Sewer, and Storm Drain systems;

13.02.040 OCCGF states: "All rates or fees for use of the utility systems or for permits, licenses, connections or inspections shall be defined by resolution and approved by the City Commission. . ."

NOW, THEREFORE:

The City Commission of the City of Great Falls does hereby establish water, sewer, and storm drain rates and fees for City customers as follows:

Water, Sewer, and Storm Drain Utility Service Rates as shown in Appendix A
Water and Sewer Utility Service Fees as shown in Appendix B

Passed by the Commission of the City of Great Falls, Montana, on this 22nd day of January 2008.

Dona Stebbins, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lisa Kunz, City Clerk

(SEAL OF CITY)

APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:

David V. Gliko, City Attorney

State of Montana)
County of Cascade: ss.
City of Great Falls)

I, Lisa Kunz, City Clerk of the City of Great Falls, Montana, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution 9708 was placed on its final passage and adoption, and was passed and adopted by the City Commission of said City at a Regular Meeting thereof held on the 22nd day of January, 2008, and approved by the Mayor of said City, on the 22nd day of January, 2008.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said City, this 22nd day of January, 2008.

Lisa Kunz, City Clerk

(SEAL OF CITY)

CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA
Resolution No 9708, Appendix B
2008 UTILITY FEES

		Water Service Line Size (inches)										
		(3/4") 0.75	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.00	3.00	4.00	6.00	8.00	10.00	12.00
CONNECTION FEES												
WATER	2008	\$ 304	\$ 337	\$ -	\$ 410	\$ 444	\$ 669	\$ 860	\$ 1,333	\$ 2,227	\$ -	\$ 4,464

Fee shall be ADDED TO: General Plumbing Permit for extension to new buildings; or, Inspection Permits for larger diameter pipe.

SEWER

Single Family Residential

2008 | \$ 167 |

Commercial & Multi Family Units

2008 | \$ 167 | \$ 312 | \$ - | \$ 612 | \$ 1,286 | \$ 2,450 | \$ 4,415 | \$ 6,380 | \$ 9,788 | \$ 13,535 | \$ 18,830 |

Fee is IN ADDITION TO the Inspection Fee, and is for connection of service line to sewer line, which does not include installation. There is no fee for STORM SEWER connection.

Where one meter serves one multi-purpose development, either mobile home, multiple family housing units, local business, commercial, industrial, residential use zones or variance, the connection charge will be based upon the size of the water tap. If there is no water tap, the charge will be based upon the the sewage being discharged on the same ratio as for other sewer connections.

TAPPING FEES (Water)

Fee for any new or replacement tap being made on a water main.

1 to 5 taps Fee per Tap:

2008 | \$ 326 | \$ 343 | \$ - | \$ 517 | \$ 652 |

6 or more taps Fee per Tap:

2008 | \$ 292 | \$ 320 | \$ - | \$ 517 | \$ 652 |

INCLUDED in this fee is installation of a corporation stop on the main, and furnishing of corporation stop, curb stop and box. NOT INCLUDED, and to be BILLED EXTRA, is the cost of saddles, clamps and other extraneous fitting required for the tap.

INSPECTION FEES

Fees for inspection and approval of all water service work and all sewer connections under Title 13 OCCGF.

WATER Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 100 PLUS costs for test taps, testing equipment, overtime, and chemicals.

SEWER Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 100

RIGHT OF WAY PERMIT

(Water & Sewer)

Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 35

Fee for the Permit to be issued for any excavation in a dedicated right-of-way. (Formerly the Street Opening Permit.)

FIRE LINES

NEW Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 100

REPAIR Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 100

LICENCES -- DRAINLAYER

(Sewer)

Flat fee of :

2008 \$ 60

Fee for License to excavate, construct, or connect and sewer, drain or cesspool.

TURN ON/OFF

Flat fee of : After Hours

2008 \$ 35 2008 \$ 60

WATER TREATMENT PLANT (WTP)

Laboratory Fees	Akalinity	Hardness	pH	Specific Conductance	Total Coliform & E. coli. P/A	Total Coliform & E. coli. MPN	Turbidity	HPC	Total Coliform & E. coli.	
									MPN	HPC
2008	\$ 15	\$ 21	\$ 7	\$ 7	\$ 7	\$ 21	\$ 25	\$ 7	\$ 28	

WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (WWTP)

Industrial Discharge Permit Application Fees

(Based upon Wastewater Discharge Quantity)

Gallons per Day (GPD)

	0 to 10,000	10,001 to 25,000	25,001 to 100,000	Over 100,000	+PLUS
2008	\$ 87	\$ 140	\$ 180	\$ 180	\$ 54

per 100,000 GPD, or portion thereof

Hauled Waste Disposal Fees

0 to 100 Gallons

2008 No Charge Disposal of wastes from holding tanks of privately owned recreational vehicles must be made directly from the RV, and must not exceed 100 gallons.

Over 100 Gallons

2008 \$ 19 per 1,000 gallons, or portion thereof, for hauled waste or all other discharges.

Additional Fees

Additional fees may be charged for necessary testing prior to acceptance of wastes classified as non-domestic or industrial in nature.