

Harwich Water Department  
**WATER & SEWER RATES AND FEES**

Effective Dates: Water Rates & Fees 7/1/21, Sewer Rates 7/16/21, Transfer Request 4/14/16

	WATER RATES 7/1/21	SEWER RATES 7/16/21	
Base Rate	45.00	75.00	QUARTERLY
1,000 – 8,000 Gallons	1.35	0.00	WATER; PER 1,000 GALS. SEWER; INCL. IN BASE
8,001 – 15,000 Gallons	2.78	5.43	PER 1,000 GALLONS
15,001 – 40,000 Gallons	4.15	5.83	PER 1,000 GALLONS
40,001 + Remaining Gals	6.01	6.05	PER 1,000 GALLONS

<b>FIRE PROTECTION</b>			
Residential	40.00		QUARTERLY
Commercial	65.00		QUARTERLY

<b>BACKFLOW PREVENTION TEST FEES</b> FREQUENCY OF INSPECTION IS BASED ON DEVICE TYPE			
First Device	70.00		PER DEVICE, ANNUAL OR SEMI-ANNUAL BILLING
Re-Test	45.00		PER DEVICE
Backflow/Cross-Connection	100.00		PER HOUR

<b>SERVICE TIGHT PROTECTION PLAN</b>			
Up to and Including 2” Water	68.00		PER YEAR, BILLED ANNUALLY

<b>ADMINISTRATIVE &amp; COLLECTION FEES</b>			
Notice Fee – Violation   Collection	10.00		PER VIOLATION   COLLECTION NOTICE
Copies/Computer Printout (950 CMR)	.05		PER COPY
Research Request	22.00		PER HOUR
Return Check Fee	25.00		PER ITEM
Demand Charge	25.00		PER DEMAND NOTICE
Unauthorized Hydrant Use	1,000.00		EACH OFFENSE
Tampering Fee (MGL, Chapter 65, §11): Triple the amount of damages sustained thereby or \$1,000.00			

<b>SERVICE FEES</b>			
Service Call During Working Hours	50.00		PER HOUR
Service Call After Working Hours	150.00		UP TO 4 HRS
Missed Appointment	50.00		FEE
Electrician Labor/Water Services	50.00		PER HOUR
Transfer of Property Request	60.00		PER REQUEST
Seasonal Turn On/Off or Plumbing	50.00		EACH
Out-of-Rotation On/Off	150.00		FEE
Reconnection Fee	50.00		PER HOUR (EXCL. COST FOR TURN OFF)
Markout Request <=2 REQUESTS	25.00		PER MARKOUT, UP TO 2 REQUESTS
Markout Request >2 REQUESTS	50.00		PER HOUR
Inspection Fee	150.00		FEE
Meter Test (MGL, Chapter 40, §39I)	3.00		PLUS 1 HR. SERVICE CALL
Hydrant Use Setup	100.00		SETUP AND 1 <sup>ST</sup> 1,000 GALS.
Hydrant Use Consumption	20.00		PER 1,000 GALS, AFTER 1 <sup>ST</sup> 1,000
Private Hydrant Inspection	50.00		PER HOUR

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**SERVICE TAP INSTALLATION** DOES NOT INCLUDE PRICE OF METER AND VALVE

Service Tap up to 1" SUBJECT TO QUOTE

Service Renewal -Existing Tap SUBJECT TO QUOTE

Larger Service Taps SUBJECT TO QUOTE

2" Residential Fire Sprinkler Tap 350.00 EACH

6" Commercial Fire Sprinkler Tap 600.00 EACH

- Receipt for service installation charge must be presented to Building Inspector for Building permit.
- Service Tap installation includes labor, equipment and parts. Meter and valve priced separately.

**WATER MAIN TAP OR TIE IN** DOES NOT INCLUDE TRENCH PERMIT

6" Tap	600.00	10" Tap	800.00	Trench Permit	25.00
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8" Tap	700.00	12" Tap	900.00		
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**METERS**

5/8" E-Coder	408.06	2" E-Coder	1,475.03
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3/4" E-Coder	524.08	2" E-Coder Compound	3,403.17
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1" E-Coder	689.50	3" E-Coder Compound	4,878.62
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1-1/2" E-Coder	1,222.06	4" E-Coder Compound	6,142.25
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**SPECIAL SERVICES** HYDRANT/EMERGENCIES, ETC Regular Overtime

Labor	PER HR PER TECH	50.00	150.00	} OT UP TO 4 HRS
One Man/One	PER HR PER TECH	50.00	150.00	
Two Men/One	PER HR PER TECH	100.00	300.00	
Compressor or	PER HR PER TECH	70.00	n/a	
Dump Truck F-750	PER HR PER TECH	80.00	n/a	
Mini Excavator	PER HR PER TECH	80.00	n/a	
Backhoe	PER HR PER TECH	80.00	n/a	

**DISCLOSURE:** SERVICE CALLS AND LABOR FOR EMERGENCY CALLS ON A HOLIDAY IS ADDITIONAL AND APPROXIMATELY DOUBLE OVERTIME RATE PRICING.