



CITY OF LINCOLNTON
SCHEDULE OF FEES
2022-23

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May 25 2023

WATER RATES		
	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
Residential		
Minimum Bill - 2,000 gallons	\$16.55	\$33.10
All Over 2,000 gallons	\$4.48/1,000	\$8.96/1,000
Commercial & Industrial		
Minimum Bill - 2,000 gallons	\$16.55	\$33.10
Next 4,998,000 gallons	\$4.54/1,000	\$9.20/1,000
All Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$2.81/1,000	\$4.60/1,000
Industrial (Textile Based)		
Minimum Bill - 2,000 gallons	\$10.99	\$21.98
Next 4,998,000 gallons	\$3.03/1,000	\$6.12/1,000
All Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$1.52/1,000	\$3.06/1,000

SEWER RATES		
	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
Residential		
Minimum Bill - 2,000 gallons	\$24.77	\$49.54
Next 4,998,000 gallons	\$7.40/1,000	\$16.04/1,000
All Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$5.02/1,000	\$8.00/1,000
Industrial (Textile Based)		
Minimum Bill - 2,000 gallons	\$16.47	\$32.94
Next 4,998,000 gallons	\$4.92/1,000	\$10.65/1,000
All Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$2.46/1,000	\$5.33/1,000

WATER AND SEWER CONNECTION FEES		
Water Connection Fees	Inside City	Outside City
3/4" Water Connection	\$900.00	\$1,800.00
1" or Larger Water Connection (plus availability fee, if applicable, of \$8.33 per lineal foot of road frontage. If more than one road frontage, we use the longest frontage for calculation purposes - measure from property line to property line)	\$1,200.00	\$2,400.00
Meter Fee - 3/4 inch line	\$335.00	\$335.00
Meter Fee - 1 inch line	\$475.00	\$475.00
Meter Fee - 1.5 inch line	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00
Meter Fee - 2 inch line	\$1,300.00	\$1,300.00
Meter Fee - 3 inch line	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Meter Fee - 4 inch line	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00
Meter Fee - larger than 4 inch line (pricing based on actual size)	TBD	TBD
Irrigation Meter Connection Fee	\$600.00	\$1,200.00



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For all water connections where the contractor/developer/owner installs all City specified infrastructure, and donates these facilities to the City for ownership, operation, and maintenance, 50% of the applicable connection fee will apply. All connections larger than one inch are the responsibility of the contractor/developer/owner, per city specifications.

Sewer Connection Fees	Inside City	Outside City
Standard 4" Sewer Connection (any sewer connection exceeding 4" requires payment of an availability fee)	\$800.00	\$1,600.00
Larger than standard 4" sewer connection will be connection fee plus availability fee, if applicable, of \$10.67 per lineal foot of road frontage. If more than one road frontage, we use the longest frontage for calculation (measure from property line to property line.)	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
Force Main Sewer Application Fee (Applicant must follow requirements in Permission to Construct Application Form and Permission to Connect/Operate Form prior to approval to connect to sewer system.	\$1,200.00 (non-refundable)	\$2,400.00 (non-refundable)

Note:

All connections to the city sewer system are the responsibility of the contractor/developer/owner, per city specifications. For all sewer connections where the contractor/developer/owner extends facilities and installs all city specified infrastructure, and donates these facilities to the city for ownership, operation, and maintenance, 50% of the applicable connection fee will apply. The City will provide the tapping saddle and will inspect the line before covering.

SEWER USE ORDINANCE FEES
Penalties between \$10,000 and \$25,000 per day per violation may be assessed against a violator: For any class of violation, only if a civil penalty has been imposed against the violator within the five years preceding the violation, or In the case of failure to file, submit, or make available, as the case may be, any documents, data, or reports required by this ordinance, or the orders, rules, regulations and permits issued hereunder, only if the POTW Director determines that the violation was intentional and a civil penalty has been imposed against the violator within the five years preceding the violation.
Civil Penalties: Any user who is found to have failed to comply with any provision of this ordinance, or the orders, rules, regulations and permits issued hereunder, may be fined up to twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) per day per violation.

Wastewater Treatment Industrial Waste Surcharges	
BODS->350 mg/liter	\$0.23 mg/liter
TSS->350 mg/liter	\$0.73 mg/liter
NH3 (Ammonia)->20 mg/liter	\$1.50 mg/liter



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Bulk Water Sales	
All prepayments are non-refundable and will be honored for 30 days, or the number of loads per-purchased, whichever comes first. The delivery point will be the City of Lincolnton Water Treatment Plant at 1338 Reepsville Road, Lincolnton, NC 28092; phone (704) 736-8970. The Water Treatment Plant will be open for sales Monday-Friday 8:30 am to 3:00 pm.	
0-4,000 gallons	\$20.00 Minimum (per trip)
4,001 & up	\$5.00/1,000
Unapproved bulk water use	
First Offense	\$250.00
Second Offense	\$300.00 and report as theft to Police Department

Electric Utility Rebates	
High Efficiency Electric Heat Pump Rebate (larger than 14 seer)	\$400.00 (Until further notice)
High Efficiency Electric Water Heater Rebate	\$150.00 (Until further notice)
Commercial Lighting Rebate	\$0.35 per watt saved (Maximum rebate \$25,000 per customer until further notice)
Renewable Energy Generation Credits	
(Monthly credits are paid according to the type of renewable generation.)	
Wind and Biomass Energy Credit	Details & Rates available upon request
Solar Photovoltaic Energy Credit	

ONLINE CONVENIENCE FEE	
Online Debit/Credit Card Convenience Fee	Posted Online * fee subject to change

MOTOR VEHICLE FEE	
Fee for each vehicle registered in City for property tax	\$20.00 ea.

PUBLIC WORKS	
95 Gallon Roll Out***	\$70.00 each

(*** City of Lincolnton Residents Only)