

APPENDIX Q

WATER AND POLLUTION CONTROL FEES & CHARGES

Water Division

Bulk Water Service..... \$0.99/100 gallons

Water Meter Division *

	With Integral Radio	With Radio ERT
Meter & Setting Fees - Disc Style		
5/8" or 5/8" x 3/4" disc.	\$435.00	\$445.00
3/4" disc.	\$460.00	\$475.00

Meter & Setting Fees - Ultrasonic Style

1".....		\$555.00
1 1/2"		\$990.00
2"		\$2,035.00
3"		\$4,260.00
4"		\$5,445.00

Meter & Setting Fees - Magnetic Style

2"		\$3,085.00
3"		\$4,000.00
4"		\$4,820.00
6"		\$6,785.00

Meter & Setting Fees - Turbo Style

2"		\$2,205.00
3"		\$3,820.00
4"		\$5,160.00
6"		\$9,575.00

Meter & Setting Fees - Misc. Meters

Larger than 4" or alternative styles
- to be determined when ordered

Hydrant Meter** \$305.00

Frozen/damaged meter

Construction Meter..... \$160.00

Meters 1-1/2" and larger..... \$150.00 trip fee + repairs/replacement

Meters 1" and smaller..... \$95.00 trip fee + Depreciated Value

Depreciated Value is a straight line depreciation of the Meter and Setting Fees above, based on length of time meter has been in service.

< 1 year		100%
< 2 years.....		90%
< 3 years.....		80%
< 4 years.....		70%
< 5 years.....		60%
< 6 years.....		50%
< 7 years.....		40%
< 8 years.....		30%
< 9 years.....		20%
<10 years.....		10%
>10 years.....		0%

Unauthorized use of water \$224.00/occurrence

Unmetered use of water \$2.93/day + \$19.43/month

Resetting fee for unauthorized meter removal \$95.00

Customer requested meter test fee	\$175.00
Service or meter disconnect or reconnect fee.....	\$95.00/trip
After Hours Service Call	\$135.00
Backflow Device Test Results	
Entered into SwiftComply by backflow tester	\$0.00
City entry of backflow test reports.....	\$30.00 per test report

*Meter setting fees above include two service trips (one to set the temporary/construction meter, and one to set the permanent meter). A fee of \$95.00 will be charged for additional trips due to unexposed or inoperable curb boxes, incomplete remote wire installations, or other circumstances where the meter installation cannot be completed.

**Hydrant meter fees include the cost to install and remove the meter. Requests to move the meter to a new location will be charged one-half of the hydrant meter fee. Consumption will be billed at the "Irrigation and Yard Water" rate. For usage that covers more than 30 days, the block sizes will be adjusted accordingly.

***In addition to the fees shown above, if a Meter Technician is dispatched outside normal business hours, weekends, or holidays, an After Hours Service Call will be billed.

WPC Division

Waste Hauler Fee - Ames locations*

Domestic/Residential Waste	\$9.72/load + \$4.69/100 gallons
Restaurant Grease Traps	\$64.40/load + \$3.77/100 gallons
Non-Domestic Waste	\$9.72/load + unit rate to be determined

* Non-Ames location surcharge	15%
Unauthorized Sewer Use	\$249.00/occurrence
Unmetered Sewer Use	\$3.17/day + \$21.83/month

High-Strength Surcharge Rates*

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Surcharge Rate</u>
Oxygen Demand	
CBOD ₅	\$0.51/lb.
COD	\$0.19/lb.
Nitrogen	
NH ₃ -N	\$1.84/lb.
TKN	\$1.19/lb.
Solids	
TSS	\$0.76/lb.
Fats, Oils, and Grease	
Oil and Grease	\$1.03/lb.

***Monthly High-Strength Surcharge Fees of less than \$5/month will be waived**

Restaurant Surcharge

Restaurant surcharge on sewer use for customers operating Food Service Establishments	\$3.09/100 cubic ft.
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Restaurant Fee

Restaurant fee for sewer use for customers operating Food Service Establishment which are not billed for sewer usage or whose sewer usage is not representative of the facilities food service activities.	\$91.13/month.
<i>(Ord. No. 4199, 11-25-14; Ord. No. 4263, 6-28-16)</i>	

Administrative Division

Copies of Records *	
Black & White, 8 ½" x 11"	\$0.15/copy
Black & White, 11" x 17"	\$0.30/copy

Color, 8 1/2" x 11"

\$0.40/copy

Color, 11" x 17"

\$0.80/copy

* Plus staff time to prepare records (wages only)

Laboratory Division

Analytical Fees, per sample per test

Bacteriological Tests

Coliform, Total (present/absent) \$21.00

Coliform, Total (quantified) \$21.00

E coli (present/absent) \$21.00

E coli (quantified) \$21.00

Chloride \$21.75

Chlorine

Free \$21.00

Total \$21.00

Hardness Total \$21.00

Iron (Water) \$10.75

Metals

Flame method, per analyte \$16.50

Furnace method, per analyte \$21.75

Mercury \$27.25

Nitrogen

Ammonia \$21.00

Nitrate \$21.50

Nitrite \$21.00

Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen \$42.50

pH \$14.75

Phenol \$30.25

Phosphorus

Orthophosphate \$21.00

Total Phosphorus \$21.00

Oxygen Demand

Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) \$21.75

Five-day Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD₅) \$40.00

Five-day Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand (CBOD₅) \$40.00

Solids

Total Solids (TS) \$21.00

Total Volatile Solids (TVS) \$21.00

Total Suspended Solids (TSS) \$21.00

Volatile Suspended Solids (VSS) \$21.00

Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) (Weight) \$21.00

Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) (Probe) \$11.00

Sulfate \$21.00

Temperature \$5.75

Turbidity 11.00

For analytes not listed that are analyzed in-house, the fee will be determined on a case-by-case basis from an estimate of actual staff time (including benefits) plus 25% overhead to cover chemicals, equipment, and incidentals.

Samples sent to an outside lab Actual Invoiced Cost
(including outside sample collection fees)

Sample Collection Fees

Fees for sample collection types not identified below will be determined on a case by case basis from an estimate of the actual staff time (including benefits) plus 25% overhead to cover equipment, consumables, and incidentals.

Drinking Water

- Drinking water sampled from the tap of a completed structure \$46.75
- Drinking water sampled from a field tap or structure under construction \$62.50

Wastewater/Pretreatment

- 24-hour composite from a location where no sampling, metering, or refrigeration equipment are permanently installed.....\$297.75
- 24-hour composite from a location where a sampler, flow meter, and refrigeration equipment are all permanently installed..... \$114.75
- Grab sample not associated with a 24-hour composite sampling event (grabs collected at the time of a composite are included in the fees above).....\$58.50

The 24-hour composite collection and grab sample fees listed above include one resample attempt should the composite sample attempt fail. Additional resample attempts will result in additional sample collection fees. No resample fee will be assessed if the reason for the failed attempt is due to a malfunction of city-provided sample equipment.