

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-19

**A RESOLUTION SETTING CHARGES FOR THE MUNICIPAL WATER, SEWER, SANITATION COLLECTION AND SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS, WYOMING, EFFECTIVE **JUNE 1, 2024.****

**WHEREAS**, Section 13.08.010 (B); 13.12.040 (E) (d); 13.12.070 (A); 13.28.037; 13.44.050 (B) and 13.64.030 (B & C) of the Municipal Code for City of Douglas, Wyoming (City) establishes charges to the operation of the municipal water, sewer, sanitation collection and solid waste disposal systems.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS, WYOMING**, to change the following:

Section 13.08.010 (B) of the Douglas Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. The plant investment fee for connections to the city water system shall be determined by the following schedule. For metered connections larger than four (4) inches in diameter, the plant investment fee shall be negotiated by the city manager based upon projected water usage at the facility versus the maximum flow rate through a one (1) inch diameter meter.

Connection Size	Unit Capacity Value (Equivalent Meter Diameter)	Base Plant Investment Fee	Metering Equipment and Services
¾ inch or 1 inch connection	1.0	<del>\$2,750.00</del> 2,950.00	<del>\$350.00</del> 375.00
1 ½ inch connection	2.0	<del>5,500.00</del> 5,900.00	<del>700.00</del> 750.00
2 inch connection	3.2	<del>8,800.00</del> 9,440.00	<del>1,600.00</del> 1,200.00
3 inch connection	6.0	<del>16,500.00</del> 17,700.00	<del>2,000.00</del> 2,250.00
4 inch connection	11.0	<del>30,250.00</del> 32,450.00	<del>3,200.00</del> 4,125.00

Section 13.12.040 (E) of the Douglas Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

- E. Charges shall be made in accordance with the provisions of this chapter and the following schedule:

c. Ancillary/service charges		
i.	Water turn-on/turn-off – regular hours – Customer request (reconnect/disconnect)	<del>35.00</del> 40.00
ii.	Water turn-on/turn-off – after hours – Customer request (reconnect/disconnect)	<del>112.50</del> 80.00
iii.	Water shutoff for non-payment and service restoration – regular hours	<del>70.00</del> 80.00
iv.	Water shutoff for non-payment and service restoration – after hours	<del>125.00</del> 160.00
v.	Installing/pulling meter – Customer request	<del>62.50</del> 70.00
vi.	Meter and supplies	Cost

Section 13.12.070 (E) of the Douglas Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Property owner shall be responsible for payment of all utility bills unless property owner assigns tenant responsibility for payment of such bills. Such assignment shall be in writing. All utility bills shall be sent to the property owner or tenant on a monthly basis. All monthly charges for water shall be due and payable on the twentieth of each month. If payment is not made by the twentieth of the month, the account shall be deemed delinquent and account shall be subject to a ~~five dollar (\$5.00)~~ **Ten dollar (\$10.00)** rebilling charge. If payment is not received within thirty (30) days after initial billing, a letter shall be sent to the owner and tenant at the mailing address(es) on file. The letter shall state:

Section 13.28.037 of the Douglas Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Septic Waste: Converse County Only – No loads originating outside Converse County corporate limits will be accepted	<del>\$75.00</del> <b>80.00</b> per 500 gallons
Grease: City of Douglas only – Commercial sources located within the corporate limits of the City of Douglas	<del>\$75.00</del> <b>80.00</b> per 500 gallons
Call out fees: After regular business hours of Monday thru Friday, 7:30 AM to 11:30 AM and 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM and City designated holidays	<del>\$90.00</del> <b>95.00</b> per unit

Section 13.44.050 (B & C) of the Douglas Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

B. The plant investment fee for connections to the city wastewater system shall be determined by the following schedule. This fee does not include the cost to excavate and install the tap to the main and the service line to the property including excavation and surface restoration charges.

Water Meter or Service Size	Unit Capacity Value	Plant Investment Fee
¾ inch or 1 inch connection	1.00	<del>\$1,100.00</del> <b>1,180.00</b>
1 ½ inch connection	2.0	<del>2,200.00</del> <b>2,360.00</b>
2 inch connection	3.2	<del>3,520.00</del> <b>3,776.00</b>
3 inch connection	6.0	<del>6,600.00</del> <b>7,080.00</b>
4 inch connection	11.00	<del>12,100.00</del> <b>12,980.00</b>

Section 13.64.030 (B) of the Douglas Municipal Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

B. Other sanitation collection and solid waste disposal rates and charges:

Activation Fee – New service, per dumpster or rollout requested	<del>\$125.00</del> <b>135.00</b>
Extra collection – Dumpster or roll-out, per collection	<del>\$ 45.00</del> <b>50.00</b>
Manual collection of material outside of dumpster (appliances, tree limbs, etc.)	<del>\$ 45.00</del> <b>50.00</b> per incident
Penalty fees – Heavy or extremely dense waste	<del>\$50.00</del> <b>55.00</b>

C. Solid waste facility disposal rates and charges:

<del>Vehicle (Under 8-foot)</del>	<del>\$30.00</del> per load
<b>All Vehicles (Per Ton)</b>	<del>\$150.00</del> <b>160.00</b> per ton; minimum \$30.00 per load
Freon containing appliances	Banned
Passenger car and pickup tires (up to 18-inch rim)	<del>\$5.00</del> <b>10.00</b> per tire, limit 12 per day
Truck tires (larger than 18-inch rim)	<del>\$15.00</del> <b>30.00</b> per tire, limit 6 per day
Equipment tires (tractors, scrapers, loaders, etc.)	<del>\$100.00</del> <b>200.00</b> per tire, must be cut into a minimum of 4 pieces
Shredded tires	<del>\$150.00</del> <b>160.00</b> per ton; minimum \$30.00 per load
Liquids, liquid petroleum products and unauthorized hazardous materials	Banned
Clean yard or green waste	No charge
Clean metals or appliances	No charge
Recyclable materials accepted	No charge
Uncovered load	<del>\$10.00</del> <b>11.00</b> plus load fee
Mud	<del>\$70.00</del> <b>160.00</b> per ton
Coal	<del>\$70.00</del> <b>160.00</b> per ton

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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Kim Pexton, Mayor

Attest:

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Mary Nicol, City Clerk