



2026 Forsyth County Water and Sewer Rate Schedule

Water Meter Monthly Base Rate Schedule – Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Meter Size | 5/8" or 3/4" | 1" | 1 ½" | 2" | 3" | 4" | 6" | 8" | 10" |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Meter Base Rate: (includes up to 1,000 gallons usage) | \$15.80 | \$19.75 | \$26.33 | \$39.50 | \$118.50 | \$164.62 | \$329.20 | \$592.56 | \$790.09 |

Note: Senior Citizens (aged 62 and over) are eligible for a reduced base rate of \$12.80 per month. Please contact Customer Service at 770-781-2160 for additional information.

Residential Water Consumption Monthly Rate Schedule (per 1,000 gallons) Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Customer Class | Tier | Gallons Used | Rate per 1,000 Gallons |
|----------------|--------|---------------|------------------------|
| Residential | Tier 1 | 1,000-6,000 | \$4.46 |
| | Tier 2 | 6,000-12,000 | \$6.02 |
| | Tier 3 | 12,000-24,000 | \$8.45 |
| | Tier 4 | 24,000-36,000 | \$11.97 |
| | Tier 5 | 36,000+ | \$17.37 |

Other Categories - Water Consumption Monthly Rate Schedule (per 1,000 gallons) Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Customer Class | Tier 1 | Tier 2 | Tier 3 | Tier 4 |
|---------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Irrigation ¹ | \$8.90 | \$13.36 | \$17.81 | \$22.26 |
| Fire Hydrant ² | \$8.90 | \$13.36 | \$17.81 | \$22.26 |
| Commercial | \$4.89 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Reuse | \$2.96 | N/A | N/A | N/A |

^{1,2} Please see additional information on pages 2 and 3 regarding irrigation rates, fire hydrant rates, and associated tier allocations.

Sewer Monthly Rates - Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Customer Class | Monthly Base Rate | Rate per 1,000 gallons |
|----------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| Residential | \$18.29 | \$8.84 |
| Commercial | \$36.59 | \$8.84 |



2026 Forsyth County Irrigation Meter Rate Schedule

Irrigation Meter Monthly Base Rate Schedule

Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Meter Size | 5/8" or 3/4" | 1" | 1 1/2" | 2" | 3" | 4" |
|--|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| Meter Base Rate: (includes up to 1,000 gallons usage) | \$15.80 | \$19.75 | \$26.33 | \$39.50 | \$118.50 | \$164.62 |

Irrigation Consumption Monthly Rate Schedule (per 1,000 gallons)

Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

| Rate (per 1,000 gallons) | <u>Tier 1</u> \$8.90 | <u>Tier 2</u> \$13.36 | <u>Tier 3</u> \$17.81 | <u>Tier 4</u> \$22.26 |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Acreage (total area irrigated) | Tier Allocation (gallons) | Tier Allocation (gallons) | Tier Allocation (gallons) | Tier Allocation (gallons) |
| Up to 1 acre | 1,000 - 6,000 | 6,000 - 12,000 | 12,000 - 24,000 | 24,000+ |
| 1.01 acres to <1.5 acres | 1,000 - 12,000 | 12,000 - 24,000 | 24,000 - 48,000 | 48,000+ |
| 1.5 acres to <2 acres | 1,000 - 18,000 | 18,000 - 36,000 | 36,000 - 72,000 | 72,000+ |
| 2 acres to <2.5 acres | 1,000 - 24,000 | 24,000 - 48,000 | 48,000 - 96,000 | 96,000+ |
| 2.5 acres to <3 acres | 1,000 - 30,000 | 30,000 - 60,000 | 60,000 - 120,000 | 120,000+ |
| 3 acres to < 3.5 acres | 1,000 - 36,000 | 36,000 - 72,000 | 72,000 - 144,000 | 144,000+ |
| 3.5 acres to < 4 acres | 1,000 - 42,000 | 42,000 - 84,000 | 84,000 - 168,000 | 168,000+ |
| 4 acres to < 4.5 acres | 1,000 - 48,000 | 48,000 - 96,000 | 96,000 - 192,000 | 192,000+ |
| 4.5 acres to < 5 acres | 1,000 - 54,000 | 54,000 - 108,000 | 108,000 - 216,000 | 216,000+ |
| 5 acres to < 5.5 acres | 1,000 - 60,000 | 60,000 - 120,000 | 120,000 - 240,000 | 240,000+ |

For additional information regarding rates, water & sewer service, or billing, contact the Business Services Division directly at 770-781-2160.

Per the most recent Water and Sewer Rate Resolution dated November 21, 2019, the annual water rate increase shall be 3.5% and the annual sewer rate increase shall be 5% of the prior year's rate. These annual rate increases (on January 1st of each year) will be effective January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2028 unless changed by the Board of Commissioners.



2026 Forsyth County Fire Hydrant Meter Rate Schedule

Fire Hydrant Meter Water Use Rate Schedule Effective January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2026

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|------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Deposit | \$1,500.00 | | | |
| Weekly Rental Fee | \$50.00 | | | |
| Meter Base Rate | \$118.50 (includes first 1,000 gallons) | | | |
| Rate (per 1,000 gallons) | <u>Tier 1</u> \$8.90 | <u>Tier 2</u> \$13.36 | <u>Tier 3</u> \$17.81 | <u>Tier 4</u> \$22.26 |
| Tier Allocation (gallons) | 1,000- 24,000 | 24,000-48,000 | 48,000-96,000 | 96,000 + |

To the extent this Hydrant Water Use – Rate Schedule contains fees (rental, base and monthly usage) that are different than the hydrant fees set forth in Section 3 (B) of the November 21, 2019 Water and Sewer Rates, Service Rules and Regulations, County and customer responsibilities, and County and consumer remedies (“Water & Sewer Rates Resolution” - effective January 1, 2020) the rates in the Fire Hydrant Meter Policy ratified by the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners at their regular meeting on August 21, 2025 shall control. Usage charges will be updated periodically in accordance with Section 1 (j) of the Water & Sewer Rates Resolution.