

**ORDINANCE NO. 1614**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 22 - WATER, SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL - ARTICLE II - WATER SECTION 22-24 RATES AND CHARGES AS ADOPTED BY ORDINANCE NO. 1604 ON 11-19-18**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MADISON, SOUTH DAKOTA:

That Section 22-24 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Madison, also known as the Code of Ordinances, be amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 22-24. Rates and charges.**

- (a) The following rates (including a base rate and a surcharge pledged to the 2013 water revenue bond for improvements to the existing water purification plant) are hereby established for consumers taking water from the municipal water system of the City and billed on a monthly basis:

A base rate (determined by meter size), a unit rate of \$2.025 per hundred cubic feet and a surcharge of \$0.534 per hundred cubic feet shall apply to all consumers.

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Base Rate</u>	<u>Surcharge</u>	<u>Total</u>
5/8" & 3/4"	\$ 22.08	\$ 4.52	\$ 26.60
1"	\$ 46.52	\$ 13.50	\$ 60.02
1 1/4"	\$ 67.60	\$ 19.62	\$ 87.22
1 1/2"	\$ 99.77	\$ 28.97	\$128.74
2"	\$173.61	\$ 49.66	\$223.27
3"	\$392.51	\$109.87	\$502.38
4"	\$725.96	\$167.08	\$893.04

- (b) In addition to the above base rate, all services after the first service that are connected to a master meter shall be charged a base rate of \$13.14 per dwelling unit plus a surcharge of \$1.86 per dwelling unit.
- (c) All customers residing outside of the City limits of the City of Madison shall pay fifty percent (50%) above the aforesaid rates.
- (d) Bulk tank loads purchased at the water treatment plant will be charged \$3.00 per 1,000 gallons.
- (e) The portion of the base rate described in paragraph (a) is to be utilized toward payment of the Lewis and Clark Water System as follows:

A rate of \$0.081 cents per hundred cubic feet shall apply.

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Base Rate</u>
5/8" & 3/4"	\$ .69
1"	\$ 1.81
1 1/4"	\$ 3.00
1 1/2"	\$ 4.42
2"	\$ 7.60
3"	\$ 16.81
4"	\$ 25.57

- (f) The surcharge shall remain in effect until the date on which the 2013 water revenue bond and any obligations issued or incurred to refund the bond are paid in full, now scheduled to be year-end 2028.

(g) Rates and charges as imposed under this ordinance shall be reflected on utility bills mailed to users in December 2019 and thereafter and due and payable in January 2020 and thereafter.

Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019.

CITY OF MADISON

/s/Marshall Dennert  
Mayor

ATTEST: /s/Jennifer Eimers  
Finance Officer

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: November 4, 2019

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: November 18, 2019

Published: November 21, 2019

Effective: December 11, 2019

Published once at the approximate cost of \$\_\_\_\_\_.