City of West Columbia
Residential - Water and Sewer Service Bi-Monthly Rates
FY 2026 - 2027

These following rates are used to calculate bills for water consumption and sewer usage. Most residential customers are billed bi-monthly (every other month).

Residential Water ONLY Service Rates

Usage in Gallons	Inside City Limits Current Residential	Outside City Limits Current Residential
Up to 6,000 gallons (minimum billing)	$38.60	$77.20 + $2.00 Surcharge + $10.00 Hydrant Fee
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	3.70	7.40

Residential Sewer ONLY Service Rates

Usage in Gallons	Inside City Limits Current Residential	Outside City Limits Current Residential
Up to 6,000 gallons (minimum billing)	$38.60	$77.20
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	3.60	7.20

City of West Columbia
Combined Residential - Water and Sewer Service Bi-Monthly Rates
FY 2026 - 2027

These following rates are used to calculate bills for water consumption and sewer usage. Most residential customers are billed bi-monthly (every other month).

Combined Residential Water Service Rates

Usage in Gallons	Inside City Limits Current Residential	Outside City Limits Current Residential
Up to 6,000 gallons (minimum billing)	$29.30	$58.60 + $2.00 Surcharge + $10.00 Hydrant Fee
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	3.70	7.40

Combined Residential Sewer Service Rates

Usage in Gallons	Inside City Limits Current Residential	Outside City Limits Current Residential
Up to 6,000 gallons (minimum billing)	$29.30	$58.60
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	3.60	7.20

Combined Residential Water and Sewer Service Rates

	Inside City Limits Current Minimum	Outside City Limits Current Minimum
Up to 6,000 gallons (minimum billing)	$58.60	$117.20 + $2.00 Surcharge + $10.00 Hydrant Fee
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	7.30	14.60

City of West Columbia
Commercial - Water and Sewer Service Bi-Monthly Rates
FY 2026 - 2027

These following rates are used to calculate bills for water consumption and sewer usage. Most commercial customers are billed bi-monthly (every other month).

Commercial Water Service Rates

Base Charge (no consumption)	Inside City Limits Current Commercial	Outside City Limits Current Commercial
3/4" Meter	$21.00	$42.00
1" Meter	$48.00	$96.00
1 1/2" Meter	$98.00	$196.00
2" Meter	$155.00	$310.00
3" Meter	$310.00	$620.00
4" Meter	$485.00	$970.00
6" Meter	$968.00	$1,936.00
8" Meter	$1,547.00	$3,094.00
		+ $2.00 Surcharge
		+ $10.00 Hydrant Fee
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	4.10	8.20

Commercial Sewer Service Rates

Base Charge (no consumption)	Inside City Limits Current Commercial	Outside City Limits Current Commercial
3/4" Meter	$21.00	$42.00
1" Meter	$48.00	$96.00
1 1/2" Meter	$98.00	$196.00
2" Meter	$155.00	$310.00
3" Meter	$310.00	$620.00
4" Meter	$485.00	$970.00
6" Meter	$968.00	$1,936.00
8" Meter	$1,547.00	$3,094.00
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	4.60	9.20

City of West Columbia
Commercial - Water and Sewer Service Monthly Rates
FY 2026 - 2027

These following rates are used to calculate bills for water consumption and sewer usage. Most commercial customers are billed bi-monthly (every other month).

Commercial Water Service Rates

Base Charge (no consumption)	Inside City Limits Current Commercial	Outside City Limits Current Commercial
3/4" Meter	$10.50	$21.00
1" Meter	$24.00	$48.00
1 1/2" Meter	$49.00	$98.00
2" Meter	$77.50	$155.00
3" Meter	$155.00	$310.00
4" Meter	$242.50	$485.00
6" Meter	$484.00	$968.00
8" Meter	$773.50	$1,547.00 + $1.00 Surcharge + $5.00 Hydrant Fee
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	4.10	8.20

Commercial Sewer Service Rates

Base Charge (no consumption)	Inside City Limits Current Commercial	Outside City Limits Current Commercial
3/4" Meter	$10.50	$21.00
1" Meter	$24.00	$48.00
1 1/2" Meter	$49.00	$98.00
2" Meter	$77.50	$155.00
3" Meter	$155.00	$310.00
4" Meter	$242.50	$485.00
6" Meter	$484.00	$968.00
8" Meter	$773.50	$1,547.00
Uniform Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	4.60	9.20

City of West Columbia
Water and Sewer Service Fees
FY 2026 - 2027

All service fees are subject to change based on use, demand and residential equivalency unit measurement.

Water Service Fees

Tap Fees	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
3/4 - inch Residential only	$450	$900

All other tap sizes are at cost to be determined by the City.
(Meter Replacements should follow this same fee calculation.)

Capacity Fees	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
3/4 - inch	$600	$1,200
1 - inch	$1,500	$3,000
1 1/2 - inch	$3,000	$6,000
2 - inch compound	$4,800	$9,600
3 - inch compound	$9,600	$19,200
4 - inch compound	$15,000	$30,000
6 - inch compound	$30,000	$60,000
8 - inch compound	$48,000	$96,000

Sewer Service Fees

Tap Fees	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
3/4 - inch Residential only	$300	$600

All other tap sizes are at cost to be determined by the City.

Capacity Fees	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
Residential	$1,250	$2,500
Commercial	$1,500	$3,000

Sewer Capacity Fees are measured per residential equivalency unit of 300 GPD

Fire Line Service Fees

Tap Fees	Inside City Limits	Outside City Limits
6 - inch line	$4,000	$8,000
8 - inch line	$8,000	$16,000
10 - inch line	$12,000	$24,000
12 - inch line	$16,000	$32,000

Miscellaneous Account Fees	
Late Fee	10% of bill, with a minimum of $5
After Hours Fee	$55
Disconnect Fee	$50
Locked Meter Fee	$60
Pulled Meter Fee	$75
Charge to Replace Cut Meter Lock	$50
Charge to Replace Damaged Transmitter - 1st	$120
Charge to Replace Damaged Transmitter - 2nd+	$240
Charge to Replace Tampered Transmitter (Wires cut, pulled, physical damage, etc.)	$320

Residential Deposit Fees

Residential Deposit Fees

	Inside City		Outside City	
	Owner	Renter	Owner	Renter
3/4" Residential Only	$ 50.00	$ 100.00	$ 100.00	$ 100.00

Commercial Deposit Fees

Commercial Deposit Fees

Meter Size	Inside	Outside
3/4"	$ 75.00	$ 150.00
1"	$ 150.00	$ 300.00
1.5"	$ 300.00	$ 600.00
2"	$ 450.00	$ 900.00
3" (Compound)	$ 850.00	$ 1,700.00
4" (Compound)	$ 1,300.00	$ 2,600.00
6" (Compound)	$ 2,600.00	$ 5,200.00
8" (Compound)	$ 4,000.00	$ 8,000.00