



# Roosevelt Water Association

**Effective March 1<sup>st</sup> 2016**

<b>Connection and Membership Fees</b>		<b>2016</b>
Membership Certificate		\$750.00
Meter & Connection Fee		\$2,750.00
Capital Improvement Charge		\$9,000.00
	Total	<b>\$12,500.00</b>

<b>Roosevelt Water Rates</b>		<b>2016</b>
This is for each Bi-Monthly Billing		
	Operation	\$53.00
	Capital Improvement	\$28.50
	Total Per Billing	\$81.50
	Per 100 Cubic feet	<b>\$2.25</b>

**Billing** Bi-Monthly  
 Meter reading last of month  
 February, April, June, August, October, December  
 Billing first of the month  
 January, March, May, July, September, November  
 Non-users Members with meter **Pay** Base Rate (Capital Improvements & Operation)  
 Non-users Members without a meter **Pay** Capital Improvements

## **RWA other charges** **2016**

### **Fees**

Transfer Account to new owner/renter		\$0.00
Moving of Meters (Cost of contractor plus 15%)		
Setting up new account		\$0.00
Credit Card Convenience Fee		\$4.00
Reset meter if removed		\$75.00
Hydrant Use	Need Permit	\$0.00
	Water charge	25.00 for first 3,000gals or 401 CF. 50.00 for up to 10,000 gals or 1,337 CF.
	Unauthorized use	\$250.00

<b>Service Equipment</b>	<b>Installed</b>	<b>Over Standard</b>	<b>Charge per billing</b>	<b>To Upgrade</b>
3/4 inch meter	(\$250.00)	\$0.00	\$0.00	
1 inch meter	(\$310.00)	\$60.00	\$3.50	Cost of meter
1 1/2 inch meter	(\$620.00)	\$370.00	\$7.00	Cost of Labor
2 inch meter	(\$750.00)	\$500.00	\$10.00	Plus 15%
Charge for coming under the rd.		Actual cost plus 15%		
Moving water meter		\$750.00		
Hydrant Installation		Actual cost plus 15% and the cost of Hydrant		
Tampering or damage of Meters		\$250.00	Plus cost of replacements	
Tampering with Hydrants		\$750.00	Plus cost of replacements	

## **Fines**

### **Leaks**

Will pay the standard water rate plus

Repaired within 60 days	\$0.00
Not repaired within 60 days	\$50.00
Same leak 61 to 90 days	\$100.00
Same leak after 90 days	Turned off on 91st Day

### **Bills**

Non Sufficient Funds Checks	\$25.00	
Paid within 30 days of billing	\$0.00	
If not paid from 31 to 60 days	\$10.00	
If not paid after 61 days	Shut off	Turned off on day 61 charge to turn back on \$25.00
If not paid after 90 days		Membership can be Terminated
To turn water back on after 90 days current past bill plus current bill		1.5% per month
Delinquent Payment Penalty Charge		month

If your membership is terminated you may be reinstated in good standing upon payment in full of all unpaid assessments, plus interest and any addition fees incurred

Water Theft fine \$250.00

Water theft and tampering with a Meter or Fire Hydrant is a serious offense and can result in Significant fines as well as criminal or civil prosecution.

## **Equipment**

Tampering with a Fire Hydrant	\$1,000.00
Meter Obstruction Fee	\$25.00
Cut the Lock	\$25.00

**Cross Connection (RWA has to report to the state in April every year)**

Inspection	Device needs to be inspected yearly by Colifide inspector	
	See website	
Back flow inspections	(RooseveltWater.com)	
Non-Compliance Fine	1st Month	\$75.00
	2nd month	\$150.00
Failure to comply with the provision of the 2nd month's notice will lead to termination of service		
	If RWA has to hire inspector	Cost of inspection plus fines

**New Development**

Plat Application Under 4 lots	\$1,000.00
Plat Application 4 lots and over	\$1,000 plus \$100.00 per lot after 4 lots
Other fees you need to see current Developer Extension Agreement	

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The new water rates will take effect beginning March 1st 2016 with a new bi-monthly base water rate of \$81.50 (increased from \$79.50) plus a \$2.25 (increased from \$2.05) per 100 Cubic feet of water actually used. This will raise the average Members water rate by about \$1.80 per month. With the new rate increase we still continue to be one of the least costly water utilities in the area.

The rate increase was necessary to cover the cost the increase in the cost of water from the City of Everett. The cost of water from the City of Everett is slated to increase on January 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. This increase in water cost will therefore require the ASSOCIATION to similarly adjust our rates to supply water to our customers on an annual basis.

The ROOSEVELT WATER ASSOCIATION, INC. has been mandated by the WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH to have Water Storage. We are presently going forward with the site work and construction of a tank and pump station which the cost is included in the rate increase.

Everett Water’s proposed wholesale water increases.

East of River	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Combined % Increase	7.8%	7.8%	11.7%	6.5%	5.7%	5.5%

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## **WASTING WATER POLICY**

**The Board of Trustees has also adopted a Wasting Water procedure as required for the renewal of the Comprehensive Plan. Wasting Water is defined as water on the customer side of the meter that is not corrected in a reasonable amount of time. If you feel that you may have a leak please contact the ASSOCIATION Manager for further assistance or direction. To remain in compliance with the Comprehensive Plan, the procedure adopted by the ASSOCIATION Board of Trustees is as follows:**

Upon discovery of a leak on the customer side of a meter, the customer will be notified to repair the leak.

The ASSOCIATION will assess a fine of \$50.00 if the leak is not repaired within 60 days of the written notification.

If the same leak is not repaired with 90 days after notification, the fine will be increased to \$100.00.

If the same leak is not repaired within 120 days after notification, the customer's water service will be turned off until the customer can assure the leak has been corrected and any outstanding fines paid.

It is the responsibility of the customer to pay for any water that passes through the meter. This includes the water that was lost due to the leak on the customer's side.

**The ASSOCIATION has a portable water leak detection device that helps determine if a leak exists. It can be used to detect if a leak is on the customer's side of the meter or the ASSOCIATION'S side of the meter.**

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## **Flushing of our water lines**

Please be advised that our lines are flushed on an annual basis.

You will be notified prior to this event, which is scheduled during the early spring. Most of the flushing will occur between the hours of 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Low water pressure may be experienced in the areas that are being flushed and some discolored water may be present.

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## **Roosevelt Water Association**

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