

Winchester Hills Water Company

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Billing Fees:

Shareholders who ***have not*** paid their hookup fee and use no water are charged a “Standby Fee” of \$5.00 per month (\$15.00 per quarter) and sent quarterly billings *ONLY*.

Shareholders who ***have*** paid a hookup fee are charged a quarterly (4 times a year) base rate of \$54.00 plus a \$45.00 meter charge for a total of \$99.00 each quarter to use for improvements and operating costs. Meters are read during the week closest to January 1st, April 1st, July 1st, and October 1st and bills are sent out as soon as possible after the reading.

The base rate includes the following amounts of water:

1 st Quarter.....	30,000 gallon
2 nd Quarter.....	90,000 gallon
3 rd Quarter	140,000 gallon
4 th Quarter	45,000 gallon

Water overage fees for water used over and above the quarterly base allotment are as follows:

0 to 15,000 gallon	\$1.00 per 1,000 gallon
15,001 to 30,000 gallon	\$1.50 per 1,000 gallon
30,001 to 45,000 gallon	\$2.00 per 1,000 gallon
45,001 to 60,000 gallon	\$3.00 per 1,000 gallon
60,001 gallon or more	\$5.00 per 1,000 gallon

Late fees charged to water users on past due base rates and meter charges start the first day of the month after the billings are sent out and are as follows:

Interest.....1.5% per month

(Shareholders who have a hookup but do not use water, and shareholders without a hookup are also charged 1.5% per month.)

Second billing sent out on the 10 th of the following month.....	\$10.00
Third billing sent out on the 20 th of the following month.....	\$25.00
Fourth billing hand delivered 48 hours prior to the end of the month.....	\$50.00

When the fourth billing or 48-hour notice is delivered, the shareholder has 48 hours to pay the bill or their water will be shut off at the end of the 48-hours.

Fee to turn water back on.....\$100.00