

City of Bellingham
Utility Billing Rates

2015-2026

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MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

Metered Water - Sewer - Stormwater - Lake Whatcom Watershed

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METERED WATER

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SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 32.41	$ 48.61	⅝"	$ 46.59	$ 69.88
$ 44.59	$ 66.88	¾"	$ 66.47	$ 99.70
$ 68.94	$ 103.40	1"	$ 106.20	$ 159.29
$ 129.88	$ 194.81	1 ½"	$ 205.52	$ 308.28
$ 202.94	$ 304.41	2"	$ 324.73	$ 487.09
$ 397.90	$ 596.85	3"	$ 642.60	$ 963.90
$ 617.22	$ 925.83	4"	$ 1,000.17	$ 1,500.25
$ 1,226.37	$ 1,839.54	6"	$ 1,993.51	$ 2,990.26
		8"	$ 3,185.46	$ 4,778.18
		10"	$ 4,973.26	$ 7,459.88
		12"	$ 6,761.47	$ 10,142.21

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.90	$4.35	ALL	$2.95	$4.41
			IRRIGATION	
			$3.90	$5.85

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF
$69.23	$103.85		$69.23	$103.85	$104.66	$156.99
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8
			$9.71	$14.56	$15.07	$22.59

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$7.36
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$12.24
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00669 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
Impervious surface means a hard surface area that either prevents or slows the entry of water into the soil. For complete definition, see BMC 15.16.010.		

LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$18.13	$27.19		$ 7.55	$ 11.32
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.94	$ 1.41

2025
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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 28.94	$ 43.41	⅝"	$ 41.60	$ 62.40
$ 39.81	$ 59.71	¾"	$ 59.35	$ 89.02
$ 61.55	$ 92.32	1"	$ 94.82	$ 142.23
$ 115.96	$ 173.94	1 ½"	$ 183.50	$ 275.25
$ 181.20	$ 271.80	2"	$ 289.94	$ 434.91
$ 355.27	$ 532.90	3"	$ 573.75	$ 860.62
$ 551.09	$ 826.63	4"	$ 893.01	$ 1,339.51
$ 1,094.97	$ 1,642.45	6"	$ 1,779.92	$ 2,669.88
		8"	$ 2,844.16	$ 4,266.24
		10"	$ 4,440.41	$ 6,660.61
		12"	$ 6,037.03	$ 9,055.54

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.59	$3.88	ALL	$2.63	$3.94
			IRRIGATION	
			$3.48	$5.22

SEWER

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF
$58.18	$87.27		$58.18	$87.27	$87.95	$131.92
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8
			$8.16	$12.24	$12.66	$18.99

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$7.12
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$11.85
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00647 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$18.13	$27.19		$ 7.55	$ 11.32
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.94	$ 1.41

2024
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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 28.07	$ 42.11	⅝"	$ 40.35	$ 60.53
$ 38.61	$ 57.92	¾"	$ 57.56	$ 86.34
$ 59.70	$ 89.55	1"	$ 91.96	$ 137.94
$ 112.46	$ 168.69	1 ½"	$ 177.96	$ 266.94
$ 175.73	$ 263.60	2"	$ 281.19	$ 421.79
$ 344.54	$ 516.81	3"	$ 556.42	$ 834.63
$ 534.45	$ 801.68	4"	$ 866.04	$ 1,299.06
$ 1,061.90	$ 1,592.85	6"	$ 1,726.16	$ 2,589.24
		8"	$ 2,758.25	$ 4,137.38
		10"	$ 4,306.27	$ 6,459.41
		12"	$ 5,854.66	$ 8,781.99

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.52	$3.78	ALL	$2.56	$3.84
			IRRIGATION	
			$3.38	$5.07

SEWER

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF
$56.43	$84.65		$56.43	$84.65	$85.30	$127.95
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8
			$7.92	$11.88	$12.28	$18.42

STORMWATER

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FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$7.12
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$11.85
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00631 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$17.59	$26.39		$ 7.33	$ 11.00
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.92	$ 1.38

2023
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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 26.63	$ 39.95	⅝"	$ 38.28	$ 57.42
$ 36.63	$ 54.95	¾"	$ 54.61	$ 81.92
$ 56.64	$ 84.96	1"	$ 87.25	$ 130.88
$ 106.70	$ 160.05	1 ½"	$ 168.84	$ 253.26
$ 166.72	$ 250.08	2"	$ 266.78	$ 400.17
$ 326.88	$ 490.32	3"	$ 527.90	$ 791.85
$ 507.06	$ 760.59	4"	$ 821.65	$ 1,232.48
$ 1,007.48	$ 1,511.22	6"	$ 1,637.69	$ 2,456.54
		8"	$ 2,616.89	$ 3,925.34
		10"	$ 4,085.57	$ 6,128.36
		12"	$ 5,554.60	$ 8,331.90

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.39	$3.59	ALL	$2.43	$3.65
			IRRIGATION	
			$3.21	$4.82

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Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF
$53.54	$80.31		$53.54	$80.31	$80.93	$121.40
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8
			$7.51	$11.27	$11.65	$17.48

STORMWATER

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FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$7.12
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$11.85
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00613 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$16.69	$25.04		$ 6.95	$ 10.43
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.87	$ 1.31

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MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 24.42	$ 36.63	⅝"	$ 35.11	$ 52.66
$ 33.59	$ 50.38	¾"	$ 50.08	$ 75.12
$ 51.94	$ 77.91	1"	$ 80.02	$ 120.03
$ 97.85	$ 146.77	1 ½"	$ 154.84	$ 232.26
$ 152.90	$ 229.35	2"	$ 244.66	$ 366.99
$ 299.78	$ 449.67	3"	$ 484.13	$ 726.19
$ 465.02	$ 697.53	4"	$ 753.53	$ 1,130.29
$ 923.95	$ 1,385.92	6"	$ 1,501.92	$ 2,252.88
		8"	$ 2,399.94	$ 3,599.91
		10"	$ 3,746.85	$ 5,620.27
		12"	$ 5,094.09	$ 7,641.13

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.19	$3.28	ALL	$2.23	$3.34
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.94	$4.41

SEWER

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 8 CCF
$49.10	$73.65		$49.10	$73.65	$74.22	$111.33
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 8
			$6.89	$10.33	$10.68	$16.02

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$7.12
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$11.85
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00595 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$15.31	$22.96		$ 6.37	$ 9.55
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.80	$ 1.20

2022
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 48.84	$ 73.26	⅝"	$ 70.22	$ 105.33
$ 67.18	$ 100.77	¾"	$ 100.16	$ 150.24
$ 103.88	$ 155.82	1"	$ 160.04	$ 240.06
$ 195.70	$ 293.55	1 ½"	$ 309.68	$ 464.52
$ 305.80	$ 458.70	2"	$ 489.32	$ 733.95
$ 599.56	$ 899.34	3"	$ 968.26	$ 1,452.39
$ 930.04	$ 1,395.06	4"	$ 1,507.06	$ 2,260.59
$ 1,847.90	$ 2,771.85	6"	$ 3,003.84	$ 4,505.76
		8"	$ 4,799.88	$ 7,199.82
		10"	$ 7,493.70	$ 11,240.55
		12"	$ 10,188.18	$ 15,282.27

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.19	$3.28	ALL	$2.23	$3.34
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.94	$4.41

SEWER

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$98.20	$147.30		$98.20	$147.30	$148.44	$222.66
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$6.89	$10.33	$10.68	$16.02

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$14.24
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$23.70
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.0119 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$30.63	$45.94		$ 12.74	$ 19.11
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.80	$ 1.20

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INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 46.43	$ 69.64	⅝"	$ 66.76	$ 100.14
$ 63.87	$ 95.80	¾"	$ 95.22	$ 142.83
$ 98.76	$ 148.14	1"	$ 152.14	$ 228.21
$ 186.03	$ 279.04	1 ½"	$ 294.39	$ 441.58
$ 290.71	$ 436.06	2"	$ 465.16	$ 697.74
$ 569.96	$ 854.94	3"	$ 920.46	$ 1,380.69
$ 884.11	$ 1,326.16	4"	$ 1,432.66	$ 2,148.99
$ 1,756.66	$ 2,634.99	6"	$ 2,855.53	$ 4,283.29
		8"	$ 4,562.89	$ 6,844.33
		10"	$ 7,123.69	$ 10,685.53
		12"	$ 9,685.14	$ 14,527.71

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.09	$3.13	ALL	$2.12	$3.18
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.80	$4.20

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$93.36	$140.04		$93.36	$140.04	$141.12	$211.68
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$6.55	$9.82	$10.16	$15.24

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$14.23
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$23.70
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00790 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$29.12	$43.68		$ 12.12	$ 18.18
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.77	$ 1.15

2020
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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1 CCF (100 cubic feet) = 748 gallons

METERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 45.68	$ 68.52	⅝"	$ 65.68	$ 98.52
$ 62.84	$ 94.26	¾"	$ 93.68	$ 140.52
$ 97.16	$ 145.74	1"	$ 149.68	$ 224.52
$ 183.02	$ 274.53	1 ½"	$ 289.62	$ 434.43
$ 286.00	$ 429.00	2"	$ 457.62	$ 686.43
$ 560.72	$ 841.08	3"	$ 905.54	$ 1,358.31
$ 869.78	$ 1,304.67	4"	$ 1,409.44	$ 2,114.16
$ 1,728.18	$ 2,592.27	6"	$ 2,809.24	$ 4,213.86
		8"	$ 4,488.92	$ 6,733.38
		10"	$ 7,008.20	$ 10,512.30
		12"	$ 9,528.12	$ 14,292.18

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.06	$3.09	ALL	$2.09	$3.13
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.76	$4.14

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$91.86	$137.79		$91.86	$137.79	$138.84	$208.26
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$6.45	$9.67	$10.00	$15.00

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$14.00
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$23.32
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00777 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$28.65	$42.97		$ 11.93	$ 17.89
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ 0.76	$ 1.14

2019
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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METERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 44.28	$ 66.42	⅝"	$ 63.66	$ 95.49
$ 60.90	$ 91.35	¾"	$ 90.80	$ 136.20
$ 94.16	$ 141.24	1"	$ 145.06	$ 217.59
$ 177.38	$ 266.07	1 ½"	$ 280.68	$ 421.02
$ 277.18	$ 415.77	2"	$ 443.48	$ 665.22
$ 543.40	$ 815.10	3"	$ 877.56	$ 1,316.34
$ 842.90	$ 1,264.35	4"	$ 1,365.90	$ 2,048.85
$ 1,674.78	$ 2,512.17	6"	$ 2,722.44	$ 4,083.66
		8"	$ 4,350.20	$ 6,525.30
		10"	$ 6,791.62	$ 10,187.43
		12"	$ 9,233.66	$ 13,850.49

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$2.00	$3.00	ALL	$2.03	$3.05
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.68	$4.02

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$89.04	$133.56		$89.04	$133.56	$134.57	$201.85
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$6.26	$9.39	$9.70	$14.54

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$13.57
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$22.60
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00753 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$27.77	$41.65		$ 11.57	$ 17.36
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ .7362	$ 1.10

2018
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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METERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 42.92	$ 64.38	⅝"	$ 61.72	$ 92.58
$ 59.04	$ 88.56	¾"	$ 88.02	$ 132.03
$ 91.28	$ 136.92	1"	$ 140.64	$ 210.96
$ 171.96	$ 257.94	1 ½"	$ 272.12	$ 408.18
$ 268.72	$ 403.08	2"	$ 429.94	$ 644.91
$ 526.82	$ 790.23	3"	$ 850.76	$ 1,276.14
$ 817.16	$ 1,225.74	4"	$ 1,324.20	$ 1,986.30
$ 1,623.66	$ 2,435.49	6"	$ 2,639.32	$ 3,958.98
		8"	$ 4,217.40	$ 6,326.10
		10"	$ 6,584.28	$ 9,876.42
		12"	$ 8,951.76	$ 13,427.64

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$1.94	$2.91	ALL	$1.97	$2.96
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.60	$3.90

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$86.32	$129.48		$86.32	$129.48	$130.46	$195.69
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
N No Volume Rate			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$6.07	$9.11	$9.40	$14.10

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$13.16
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$21.91
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00730 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$26.92	$40.38		$ 11.22	$ 16.83
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.		ption is based off of the	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ .7137	$ 1.07

2017
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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METERED WATER

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SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 40.66	$ 60.99	⅝"	$ 56.64	$ 84.96
$ 55.94	$ 83.91	¾"	$ 80.78	$ 121.17
$ 86.48	$ 129.72	1"	$ 129.06	$ 193.59
$ 162.88	$ 244.32	1 ½"	$ 249.72	$ 374.58
$ 254.54	$ 381.81	2"	$ 394.54	$ 591.81
$ 499.04	$ 748.56	3"	$ 780.72	$ 1,171.08
$ 774.06	$ 1,161.09	4"	$ 1,215.18	$ 1,822.77
$ 1,538.04	$ 2,307.06	6"	$ 2,422.04	$ 3,633.06
		8"	$ 3,870.22	$ 5,805.33
		10"	$ 6,042.24	$ 9,063.36
		12"	$ 8,214.82	$ 12,322.23

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$1.82	$2.73	ALL	$1.94	$2.91
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.55	$3.83

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$83.32	$124.98		$83.32	$124.98	$125.94	$188.91
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No volume rate.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$5.80	$8.70	$8.98	$13.47

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$12.84
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$21.38
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00712 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$26.26	$39.39		$ 10.95	$ 16.42
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ .6963	$ 1.04

2017
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UNMETERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

Single Family $88.86

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

Single Family $83.32

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

Small Footprint..... $12.84
Medium Footprint..... $21.38
Impervious Surface greater than
3,000 square feet .....$ 0.00712 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface. *Impervious surface means a hard surface area that either prevents or slows the entry of water into the soil. For complete definition, see BMC 15.16.010.*

WATERSHED

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Single Family $26.26

2016
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METERED WATER

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SINGLE FAMILY *Includes individually metered residential units and resale services*		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION *Includes shared meters, multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate			Base Rate	
$ 38.70	$ 58.05	⅝"	$ 51.12	$ 76.68
$ 53.24	$ 79.86	¾"	$ 72.88	$ 109.32
$ 82.30	$ 123.45	1"	$ 116.44	$ 174.66
$ 155.04	$ 232.56	1 ½"	$ 225.32	$ 337.98
$ 242.26	$ 363.39	2"	$ 356.00	$ 534.00
$ 474.96	$ 712.44	3"	$ 704.46	$ 1,056.69
$ 736.74	$ 1,105.11	4"	$ 1,096.48	$ 1,644.72
$ 1,463.86	$ 2,195.79	6"	$ 2,185.42	$ 3,278.13
		8"	$ 3,492.12	$ 5,238.18
		10"	$ 5,451.96	$ 8,177.94
		12"	$ 7,412.30	$ 11,118.45

SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF			Per 1 CCF	
$1.72	$2.58	ALL	$1.94	$2.91
			IRRIGATION	
			$2.50	$3.75

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate		INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$78.94	$118.41		$78.94	$118.41	$119.68	$179.52
SINGLE FAMILY		Volume Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No volume rate.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$5.43	$8.15	$8.44	$12.66

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$12.10
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$20.18
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00672 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
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LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$ 25.72	$ 38.57		$ 10.72	$ 16.08
SINGLE FAMILY		Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ .6820	$ 1.02

2016
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UNMETERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

Single Family $82.28
Duplex $164.56

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

Single Family $78.94
Duplex $157.88

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

Small Footprint..... $12.10
Medium Footprint..... $20.18
Impervious Surface greater than
3,000 square feet .....$ 0.00672 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface. *Impervious surface means a hard surface area that either prevents or slows the entry of water into the soil. For complete definition, see BMC 15.16.010.*

WATERSHED

The Lake Whatcom Watershed Land Acquisition and Preservation Program Charge funds land acquisition and other land preservation measures in the Lake Whatcom Watershed to help preserve water quality.

Single Family $25.71
Duplex $51.42

2015
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

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METERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

SINGLE FAMILY			Base Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
Includes metered duplexes and resale services				*Includes multi-family, condominiums, commercial, industrial and institutional services*	
Existing Metered		*Transitional Metered**			
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	INSIDE CITY	Meter Size	INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Base Rate		Base Rate		Base Rate	Base Rate
$ 30.84	$ 46.26	$ 38.70	⅝"	$ 44.78	$ 67.17
$ 42.42	$ 63.63	$ 53.24	¾"	$ 63.86	$ 95.79
$ 65.56	$ 98.34		1"	$ 102.02	$ 153.03
$ 123.52	$ 185.28		1 ½"	$ 197.40	$ 296.10
$ 193.02	$ 289.53		2"	$ 311.88	$ 467.82
$ 378.42	$ 567.63		3"	$ 617.16	$ 925.74
$ 586.96	$ 880.44		4"	$ 960.60	$ 1,440.90
$ 1,166.28	$ 1,749.42		6"	$ 1,914.64	$ 2,871.96
			8"	$ 3,059.42	$ 4,589.13
			10"	$ 4,776.42	$ 7,164.63
			12"	$ 6,493.86	$ 9,740.79

SINGLE FAMILY			Consumption Rates	NON-SINGLE FAMILY	
Existing Metered		*Transitional Metered**	Meter Size		
INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY	INSIDE CITY		INSIDE CITY	OUTSIDE CITY
Per 1 CCF		Per 1 CCF		Per 1 CCF	
$1.67	$2.51	$1.42	ALL	$1.93	$2.90
				IRRIGATION	
				$2.45	$3.68

*2014-17 Metering Project Water Customers

1 CCF (100 Cubic Feet) = 748 gallons

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

SINGLE FAMILY & METERED DUPLEXES			NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
Rate Class 1			*Rate Classes 2-4*		*Rate Classes 5*	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	**Base Rates**	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	INSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate Up to 16 CCF
$74.48	$111.72		$74.48	$111.72	$113.68	$170.52
SINGLE FAMILY			NON-SINGLE FAMILY			
No volume rate.		**Volume Rates**	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF above 16
			$4.99	$7.49	$7.83	$11.75

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

FOOTPRINT	IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREA	RATE
Small Footprint	less than 1,000 sq. ft.	$11.42
Medium Footprint	1,001-2,999 sq. ft.	$19.04
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 sq. ft.		$ 0.00634 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface
Impervious surface means a hard surface area that either prevents or slows the entry of water into the soil. For complete definition, see BMC 15.16.010.		

LAKE WHATCOM WATERSHED

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SINGLE FAMILY		**Base Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate	Meter Size ALL	INSIDE CITY Base Rate	OUTSIDE CITY Base Rate
$ 25.26	$ 37.89		$ 10.53	$ 15.79
SINGLE FAMILY		**Consumption Rates**	NON-SINGLE FAMILY & IRRIGATION	
No consumption rate for single family. Consumption is based off of the Water Consumption line item on your utility bill.			INSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF	OUTSIDE CITY Per 1 CCF
			$ .67	$ 1.01

2015
BI-MONTHLY UTILITY BILLING RATES

UnMetered Water - Sewer - Stormwater - Lake Whatcom Watershed

City of Bellingham utility rates increase effective January 1, 2015. Rate increases are approved by City Council and included in Chapter 15 of the Bellingham Municipal Code (BMC). For information about rates, billing, low-income senior and disabled citizen discounts and payment methods, visit our website at www.cob.org/utilities.

This rate sheet provides 2015 rates for bi-monthly billing.
Base rates for monthly billing are one half of the bi-monthly base rates.

UNMETERED WATER

Water rates are based on the cost to provide drinking water.

Single Family	$76.18
Duplex	$152.36

SEWER

Sewer rates are based on the cost of service to treat wastewater.

Single Family	$74.48
Duplex	$148.96

STORMWATER

Stormwater rates are based on the costs of service for prevention and clean-up of water pollution, flooding, and to meet state and federal water resource regulations.

Small Footprint	$11.42
Medium Footprint	$19.04
Impervious Surface greater than 3,000 square feet	$ 0.00634 per sq. ft. of total impervious surface. *Impervious surface means a hard surface area that either prevents or slows the entry of water into the soil. For complete definition, see BMC 15.16.010.*

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Single Family	$25.26
Duplex	$50.52