

**Town of Pine Knoll Shores
Water Department Rates & Other Fees**

RATE SCHEDULE

Base Charge	Availability Fee	Inside	Outside*
	No Meter	11.00	
5/8"	Residential	11.00	16.50
1"	Residential	11.00	16.50
1.5"	Residential	11.00	16.50
2"	Residential	11.00	16.50
1"	Multi-Residential	11.00	16.50
2"	Multi-Residential	11.00	16.50
3"	Multi-Residential	11.00	16.50
5/8"	Commercial	12.00	18.00
1"	Commercial	30.00	45.00
1.5"	Commercial	60.00	
2"	Commercial	96.00	
3"	Commercial	180.00	
4"	Commercial	300.00	

*Outside Town Rate equal to 1.5 X Inside Town Rate

USAGE RATE TIERS

Number of Gallons	Usage Rates (per gallon)	
	Inside	Outside*
Residential		
<2,500	0.00303	0.00455
2,501 - 5,000	0.00340	0.00510
5,001 - 12,500	0.00380	0.00570
12,501 - 25,000	0.00420	0.00630
25,001 - 50,000	0.00460	0.00690
50,001+	0.00500	0.00750
Commercial		
<2,500	0.00303	0.00455
2,501 - 5,000	0.00340	0.00510
5,001 - 12,500	0.00380	0.00570
12,501 - 25,000	0.00420	0.00630
25,001 - 50,000	0.00460	0.00690
50,001 - 125,000	0.00500	0.00750
125,001+	0.00540	0.00810
Multi-Residential		
<125,000	0.00303	0.00455
125,001 - 250,000	0.00340	0.00510
250,001+	0.00380	0.00570

*Outside Town Rate equal to 1.5 X Inside Town Rate

DEPOSITS

Residential: The greater of \$75 or the highest estimated water bill for 2½ months of service.
Commercial & Multi-family: To be determined based on usage requirements.

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Tap fee	\$300.00
New Meter Fee	
5/8" x 3/4"	500.00
3/4" x 3/4"	1,000.00
1 inch	1,500.00
1.5 inch	3,500.00
2 inch	5,000.00
3 inch	5,500.00
4 inch	6,000.00
6 inch	9,000.00
Connect fee	\$27.00
Service charge	27.00
Late fee	10% of prior balance
Extension fee	5.00
Premium service fee	25.00
Residential Credit Check fee	10.00
Non-Residential Credit Check fee	25.00
Returned Check fee	25.00
Electronic Returned Item fee	10.00
Delinquent account charges:	
Disconnect fee	27.00
Reconnect fee	27.00
Field Extension fee	27.00
Field Collection fee	27.00
Service Upgrade (Plus cost of materials)	500.00
Service Call (after hours)	100.00
Fire Hydrant	Total cost paid by owner
Reinstall Meter (regular business hours)	50.00
Reinstall Meter (after hours)	100.00
Meter Accuracy Test	\$75.00 per meter

Temporary Activation of a Water Line (no longer than 8 hours during the Town's business day):
\$54.00 + water usage up to 1,000 gallons*

Bulk Water Purchase: \$100.00 + water usage up to 5,000 gallons*

**Any water usage over the initial allowable gallons shall be billed according to the fee schedule*

FINES

Water Meter Tampering

1 st Offense	\$ 250.00
2 nd Offense	\$1,000.00
Each Consecutive Offense	\$1,500.00