

**CITY OF OTTERTAIL, MINNESOTA
RESOLUTION NO. 2023-36**

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING NEW RATE STRUCTURE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ottertail has reviewed operating expenses of the water system of the city, including interest and principal payments due on bonds; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ottertail acknowledges a need to inform all water customers prior to the actual date of the increase to be billed; and

WHEREAS, per Ordinance Regulating the City Water System, water rate increase can be accomplished through use of a resolution.


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Ottertail, effective with all bills dated January 2024, a new volume rate and tier system

	Base Rate	Per 1,000 Gallons
Residential	\$ 25.00	
Tier 1 Up to 1,500 gallons		\$ 6.89
Tier 2 1,501 to 4,000 gallons		\$ 7.58
Tier 3 Over 4,001 gallons		\$ 9.47
2nd Meter-All Usage		\$ 6.89
Multi Family & Multi Units	\$ 25.00	
All Usage		\$ 7.58
Commercial & Industrial	\$ 25.00	
Tier 1 Up to 40,000 gallons		\$ 6.89
Tier 2 40,001 to 100,000 gallons		\$ 7.23
Tier 3 Over 100,001 gallons		\$ 7.59
2nd Meter-All Usage		\$ 6.89
Availability Curb Stop	\$ 14.00	
Water from Hydrant (per use)	\$ 30.00	\$ 7.59

Metered accounts will continue to pay a separate line item of 81 cents billed each month of which will be collected and remitted directly to the MN Department of Health. Late penalty for all water accounts will remain at \$10.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED bills dated November and December 2023 & January 2024 shall include a memo notifying account holders of the increase of rates effective with the January 2024 billing.

Adopted this 19th day of October, 2023 by the City Council of the City of Ottertail, Minnesota.


Ron Grobeck, Mayor

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Attest:

Amanda Thorson, Clerk-Treasurer