

NUEVO WATER CO.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN WATER RATES

On June 8, 2021, the Nuevo Water Company Board of Directors adopted a new rate schedule. The previous rate plan went into effect in January 2017. Nuevo Water (NW) customers will see the new rate charges with their October 1, 2021 bill (water usage period will be from mid-August to mid-September). Service charges will be based on the size of the meter and water commodity charge (tiered rates) are standard across the board no matter the meter size.

Rate Adjustment EFFECTIVE with October 2021 Bill	
Meter Size	New Monthly Service Charge
3/4" - 1" Meter	\$ 35.81
NEW Rate per 100 cf	
0 - 700 cf	\$ 2.82
701 - 1300 cf	\$ 2.93
1301 - 2500 cf	\$ 3.04
2501 - 3800 cf	\$ 3.15
3801 & up cf	\$ 3.26

The funds that we collect are utilized to pay for the operations and maintenance of the system and to purchase water from EMWD. In addition, a portion of the funds are utilized to pay for capital projects.

Projects that have been completed since 2017 with existing reserve include: Hydropneumatic Tank, Water Treatment Project for TTHMs, Well Sitting Study, SCADA System, Banner Butterfly Valve Replacement Project, Billing Software, Payment Portal & Website.

Proposed Capital Improvement Projects include: Fire Hydrant Installation Program, Replacement of Aging Pipeline (12 various locations within the district totaling close to 14k feet of pipeline, Recoating 1.5 MG Storage Tank, Additional Storage.

No capital improvements projects are being completed for the 2021 year in order to build reserves.

Most residents are concerned about cost. Every effort is made to keep ratepayer costs as low as possible while ensuring a safe and reliable water system. Each 100 cubic feet of water equals 748 gallons and the average family uses about 2000 cubic feet or 15,000 gallons per month for personal needs; including drinking, bathing, cooking and sanitary purposes as well as outdoor water usage such as irrigation. Even with the commodity rate increase by \$0.22 to \$0.26 per 100 cubic feet, NW remains an excellent value and cost less than a penny per gallon.

Respectfully,

Gerald Donathan
President of the Board of Directors
Nuevo Water Company