

**CARROLL WATER DISTRICT
Permit, Fee and Charge Schedule**

The permits, fees and charges as set forth herein shall be paid to the Carroll Water District by any person, corporation, partnership or association for the purpose of obtaining potable water from its water supply and distribution system.

PART I -- TAP-IN PERMITS and FEES

A. Permanent Taps

No person, corporation, partnership or association shall connect any building or other structure, either directly or indirectly, to the water system for the purpose of obtaining potable water without first obtaining a tap-in permit and depositing, in cash or certified check payable to the District, a tap-in fee as follows:

TABLE I

<u>Tap Size</u>		<u>In District</u>	<u>Outside District</u>
¾	inch	\$2,000.00 or Special Project Tap Fee	\$3,000.00 or Special Project Tap Fee
1	inch	\$2,200.00 or Special Project Tap Fee	\$3,300.00 or Special Project Tap Fee
1½	inch	\$4,000.00 or Special Project Tap Fee	\$6,000.00 or Special Project Tap Fee
2	inch	\$4,500.00 or Special Project Tap Fee	\$6,800.00 or Special Project Tap Fee

1. In District Tap Fees, Special Project Tap Fees

For purposes of establishing tap fees under this Permit, Fee and Charge Schedule, "In District" shall be defined to be any real property located within Carroll Township, Ottawa County, Ohio. The "Special Project Tap Fee" shall be defined to be the tap fee for connection to any new water line project, whether constructed by the District, a developer, or other, which provides services to a specific parcel or parcels of land, and for which the tap fee has been determined and set by the District as a Special Project Tap Fee for construction of such project. For In District taps, the tap fee charged will be either the "In District" fee listed above, or the "Special Project Tap Fee", if applicable, whichever is higher. Any additional expenses related to the connection and incurred by the District after said fee is levied shall be borne by the customer.

2. Outside District Tap Fees, Special Project Tap Fees

For purposes of establishing tap fees under this Permit, Fee and Charge Schedule, "Outside District" shall be defined to be any real property located outside of Carroll Township, Ottawa County, Ohio, whether or not such property is added to the District under R.C. 6119.051, or its successor. Said "Outside District" owners who connect to the District Water System shall pay either the "Outside District" tap fee listed above, or the "Special Project Tap Fee", if applicable, whichever is higher. Any additional expenses related to the connection and incurred by the District after said fee is levied shall be borne by the customer.

3. The above fee schedule includes the cost of the water meter.

4. The size tap to be provided to other buildings and structures shall be determined by the Carroll Water and Sewer District or its designated representative.

B. Temporary Water Service: Temporary water service may be obtained by connection to the nozzle connection of a fire hydrant on the water distribution system. The permit fee for a temporary water service shall be as follows:

TABLE II

<u>Tap Size (Inches)</u>	<u>In District</u>	<u>Outside District</u>
1	\$ 50.00 fee/\$100 deposit	\$100 fee/\$100 deposit
1 ½	100.00 fee/\$200 deposit	200 fee/\$200 deposit
3	150.00 fee/300 deposit	300 fee/\$300 deposit

When the permit fee is paid, a nozzle connection, backflow preventer and meter will be supplied for the purpose of making the temporary connection. The gallonage of water used will be billed at the regular rate.

PART II -- MONTHLY WATER SERVICE CHARGES

A. Minimum Monthly Charge

The minimum monthly charge shall be based on the size of the customer's water meter, as follows:

TABLE III

<u>Tap Size (Inches)</u>	<u>In District</u>	<u>Outside District</u>
¾	\$ 12.00	\$ 17.00
1	20.00	28.00
1½	41.00	57.00
2	81.00	113.00
3	161.00	227.00
4	240.00	340.00
6	400.00	566.00
8	601.00	850.00

B. Monthly Service Charge

The monthly usage charge shall be based on the number of gallons of water used as follows:

TABLE IV

<u>Amount Used Per Month</u>	<u>Charge Per 1,000 Gal.</u>	
	<u>In Dist.</u>	<u>Outside Dist.</u>
A The First 12,000 gal	\$6.40	\$8.59
B Over 12,000 gal	5.68	7.50

1. The minimum monthly charge shall be levied regardless of whether or not any water is used during the month. It also shall apply to seasonal disconnections and customers who have purchased taps but have not made a water connection. Additional monthly charges shall be determined as described herein.
2. Unless determined by the District to be inaccurate, the amount recorded on the water meter will be taken as the actual amount of water used when computing the bill. The billing will be computed by utilizing Table IV herein and multiplying the applicable charge per 1000 gallons by the number of gallons so used.
3. There will be a Thirty-five Dollar (\$35.00) monthly connection charge for lines that are installed for fire protection purposes only.
4. Water Service Charges will be due on the date shown on the bill. A late charge of two percent (2%) of the past due amount (Two Dollar (\$2.00) minimum) shall be charged each month until the bill is paid in full.

PART III -- MISCELLANEOUS FEES and CHARGES

- A. **Service Deposit:** Any customer who owns property that is connected to the District water system, as well as any customer who is a tenant and is renting or leasing property, that is connected to the District's water system, where such tenant is responsible for the payment of water service, will be charged and must pay a service deposit of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) before receiving service if such customer is not already receiving water service from the District as of November 11, 1998. Such deposit shall be applied toward any monthly service charges that are past due. If at any time such deposit is entirely expended to pay past due monthly service charges, the District retains the right under this Permit, Fee and Charge Schedule, as well as the District's Rules and Regulations as they now exist or may be amended from time to time, to discontinue the provision of water service to the property and/or to collect said unpaid charges from the customer or tenant by any and all legal means, including certification of said unpaid charges to the county auditor for collection as an assessment against the property. Further, the District retains the right hereunder to refuse current or future water service to any person who has a record with the District of failing to timely pay monthly service charges.

- B. Connection and Service Inspection:** The inspection fee shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00) per hour when applicable.
- C. Plan Review Fees and Deposits:** The fees and deposits shall be made as follows:
 1. Prior to submission of construction drawings, site plans, utility plans or grading plans, an initial deposit of two percent (2%) of the estimated cost of construction, but not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00), for the Plan Review Fee.
 2. Prior to the beginning of construction, an initial deposit of five percent (5%) of the estimated cost of construction, but not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00), for the Inspection Fee.
 3. Additional deposits shall be requested as needed to cover the above stated costs to the District.
 4. Upon final acceptance of the construction by the District, and receipt by the District of a written request from the person making the deposits, the District shall refund any unused portion of the amounts deposited. All funds not so requested within one year of the District's acceptance of the construction shall be placed in the District's general fund to be used at the sole discretion of the District.
- D. Reconnection Fee:** The Reconnection Fee shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).
- E. Water Meter Replacement Charge:** Due to damage other than that of normal usage, the water meter replacement charge shall be the actual cost of the meter to the District plus the following fee based on the meter size:

TABLE V

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>In District</u>	<u>Outside District</u>
1" and below	\$ 50.00	\$ 75.00
1½ & 2"	100.00	150.00
3" & 4"	200.00	300.00
6" and up	500.00	750.00

- F. Book Fees**
 1. Regulations \$25.00
 2. Construction & Material Specification \$25.00
 3. Standard Drawing \$10.00
- G. License Fees**
 1. New License \$25.00
 2. Renewal of License \$15.00