

The Town of
Star Valley Ranch, Wyoming

ORDINANCE: 2007-02

APPENDIX 4-2 – WATER SERVICE FEES

The Town of Star Valley Ranch will implement collection of fees for culinary water services on July 1, 2007. Fees are due and payable at the beginning of the billing cycle and shall be delinquent if not paid before the expiration of one month and ten (10) days after the date the statement was prepared for mailing or before the expiration of one month and ten (10) days after the beginning of the billing cycle, whichever is later. It is incumbent upon property owners having water connections where the water is currently in a turned off status to notify the Municipality so that they will not be billed for the Water Service Fee.

Water Service Connection Fee: The fee to be charged by the Municipality for providing a new culinary water service connection, inclusive of the connection to the water main line, meter and stop waste valve will be based on service size in accordance with the following schedule. The Water Utility will provide meters or other upgrades as necessary to properties that currently have water connections at the Towns actual cost of providing the meters or upgrades.

<u>Service size</u>	<u>Fee</u>
¾ inch	\$4,700.00
1 inch	\$8,000.00
1 ½ inch	\$18,000.00
2 inch	\$30,000.00

Base Fee and Water Service Fee: Quarterly fees, based on standard calendar quarters, will be charged by the Municipality. The Municipality will charge a uniform quarterly base fee, based on service size, to all properties within the corporate limits of the Municipality that have been provided a water service connection. The Municipality will charge a uniform quarterly water service fee, based on service size, on all connections where the water service is turned on, until such time as water meters are available on all such connections. The quarterly fee will be charged for each quarter or portion of a quarter that the water service connection has been available. A quarterly billing statement will be issued by the Municipality to the property owner or designated recipient of record. It is incumbent upon property owners to advise the Municipality in writing if the billing statement is to be directed elsewhere.

<u>Service Size</u>	<u>Quarterly base Fee</u>	<u>Quarterly Water Service Fee</u>
¾ inch	\$15.00	\$60.00
1 inch	\$25.00	\$100.00
1 ½ inch	\$55.00	\$225.00
2 inch	\$90.00	\$375.00

A ten (10) percent discount will be provided to customers who pay for a full year of water service in the first month of the Municipal fiscal year which begins July 1 of each year.

Turn On/Turn Off Fee: The Municipality will charge a fee to turn water off or to turn water on to a property.

Turn On/Turn Off Fee	\$15.00 (during normal working hours)
	\$30.00 (outside of normal working hours)
	\$250.00 (turn on or off by other than authorized person, except in case of emergency)

Fees Outside of the Town Corporate Limits: Water users outside of the Municipal corporate limit will be charged fees that are 1 ¼ times the rates shown above.

Penalties: A penalty of 5% will be assessed on payments that are delinquent.

Interest: Interest will be charged on delinquent payments at the rate of 1½% for each full month or portion of a month that the payment is delinquent.

PASSED ON FIRST READING THIS 8th DAY OF MAY, 2007.

Boyd Siddoway, Mayor

Andrew Moffett, Town Clerk

PASSED ON SECOND READING THIS 22nd DAY OF MAY, 2007.

Boyd Siddoway, Mayor

Andrew Moffett, Town Clerk

PASSED ON THIRD READING THIS 12th DAY OF JUNE, 2007.

Boyd Siddoway, Mayor

Andrew Moffett, Town Clerk