

Douglasville-Douglas County Water and Sewer Authority

Water and Sewer Rates and Charges

Effective December 1, 2025 for all bills mailed on or after that date.

Base Fees & Water Rates

Meter Size	Water Base	Sewer Base	Tier 1 (\$6.05 per 1,000 Gal for consumption between)	Tier 2 (\$7.55 per 1,000 Gal for consumption between)	Tier 3 (\$12.10 per 1,000 Gal for consumption over)
Senior 5/8"	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	0 to 5,000	5,001 to 8,000	over 8,000
Senior 3/4"	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	0 to 7,500	7,501 to 12,000	over 12,000
5/8"	\$ 13.50	\$ 7.65	0 to 5,000	5,001 to 8,000	over 8,000
3/4"	\$ 13.50	\$ 7.65	0 to 7,500	7,501 to 12,000	over 12,000
1"	\$ 26.10	\$ 11.00	0 to 12,500	12,501 to 20,000	over 20,000
1 1/2"	\$ 46.75	\$ 22.00	0 to 25,000	25,001 to 40,000	over 40,000
2"	\$ 70.00	\$ 44.00	0 to 40,000	40,001 to 64,000	over 64,000
3"	\$ 321.00	\$ 66.00	0 to 75,000	75,001 to 120,000	over 120,000
4"	\$ 379.00	\$ 88.00	0 to 125,000	125,001 to 200,000	over 200,000
6"	\$ 621.00	\$ 132.00	0 to 250,000	250,001 to 400,000	over 400,000
8"	\$ 951.00	\$ 176.00	0 to 400,000	400,001 to 640,000	over 640,000
10"	\$ 951.00	\$ 176.00	0 to 575,000	575,001 to 920,000	over 920,000

Wastewater Rates

A sewer treatment charge of **\$10.90** for Tier I and **\$12.70** for Tier II and III per 1,000 gallons is levied on 80% of water consumption for all meter sizes.

Other Fees & Charges

- * Application Fee: \$25.00
- * Fire Hydrant Meter Rental: \$1,250.00 deposit/\$25.00 per week rental fee.
- * Trip Fee or Re-read Request: \$25.00.
- * Same-Day Service Initiation Fee: \$50.00.
- * Delinquent Account Restoration of Service Fee: \$50.00.
After Hours Restoration/Same Day Fee: \$100.00.
- * Unnecessary (as determined by the Authority) trip fee to the site - \$100.00.
- * Late Payment Penalty: 15% of unpaid current past due charges.
- * Returned Check Fee: \$30.00.
- * Credit/Debit Card Fraud: \$50.00.
- * Credit/Debit Card Use Transaction Fee: 2.95% with a minimum charge of \$1.95.
- * ACH Fee: \$2.75 per transaction
- * Stormwater User Fee: \$4.00 per Equivalent Residential Unit (ERU). The fee for non-residential properties is based on the actual area of impervious surface.
- * Tampering with meters: 1st offense-\$100.00; 2nd offense-\$500.00; 3rd offense-\$1,000.00.
- * Meter replacement cost = \$145.00 (cost is for residential size - 5/8" only).
- * Damage to meter box, lid and AMR end point, etc. (caused by customer) = \$125.00 to \$500.00.
- * Water usage on irrigation only meters for residential and commercial customers will be billed at the established third-tier retail rate,
- * Sewer cleanout repair fee = \$50.
- * For violations to the Authority's Rules and Regulations, the Authority reserves the right to charge a penalty of not more than \$1,000.00 per day per violation until the violation is corrected to the Authority's satisfaction.

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Water Impact Fees

<i>Size</i>	<i>Tap-on Fee</i>	<i>Installation/ Construction Cost</i>	<i>Meter Cost</i>	<i>Inspection Fee</i>	<i>Sub-Total</i>	<i>Deposit</i>	<i>Application Fee</i>	<i>Total</i>
Senior 5/8"	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 650.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,900.00	\$ 50.00	\$25.00	\$ 1,975.00
Senior 3/4"	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 700.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,575.00	\$ 87.50	\$25.00	\$ 2,687.50
5/8"	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 650.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,900.00	\$ 50.00	\$25.00	\$ 1,975.00
3/4"	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 700.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,575.00	\$ 87.50	\$25.00	\$ 2,687.50
1"	\$ 3,125.00	\$ 750.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,875.00	\$ 125.00	\$25.00	\$ 4,025.00
2" (Compound)	\$ 10,000.00		\$ 3,208.83	\$ -	\$ 13,208.83	\$ 275.00	\$25.00	\$ 13,508.83
3" (Compound)	\$ 18,750.00	\$ -	\$ 4,058.23	\$ 50.00	\$ 22,858.23	\$ 425.00	\$25.00	\$ 23,308.23
4" (Compound)	\$ 31,250.00	\$ -	\$ 5,976.23	\$ 50.00	\$ 37,276.23	\$ 575.00	\$25.00	\$ 37,876.23
4" Fire line			\$ 10,256.16					
6" (Compound)	\$ 62,500.00		\$ 9,682.94	\$ 50.00	\$ 72,232.94	\$ 900.00	\$25.00	\$ 73,157.94
6" Fire Line			\$ 14,367.01					
8"	\$ 100,000.00	\$ -	\$ 18,107.88	\$ 50.00	\$ 118,157.88	\$ 1,200.00	\$25.00	\$ 119,382.88
10"	\$ 143,750.00	\$ -	\$ 23,632.14	\$ 50.00	\$ 167,432.14	\$ 1,500.00	\$25.00	\$ 168,957.14

Installation/construction cost quoted is for a standard connection or tap. Should there be additional work needed at the site, the cost may be higher. Construction cost for 2" - 10" meters are set and installed by individual firms, contractors/developers. For 8 & 10 inch fire line meter cost, use the meter cost displayed. The pricing for the large meters includes shipping and strainer cost (if needed). Meters shall be provided by the Authority at the Authority's current price plus a 10% handling fee.

An Application Fee of \$25.00 will be assessed at the time a new account is established. This fee will be on the customer's first bill. In the case of a new tap, the application fee will be paid at the time the tap fee is collected.

Sewer Impact Fees

<i>Size</i>	<i>Tap-on Fee</i>	<i>Installation Cost</i>	<i>Meter Cost</i>	<i>Inspection Fee</i>	<i>Sub-Total</i>	<i>Deposit</i>	<i>Application Fee</i>	<i>Total</i>
Senior 5/8"	\$ 4,500.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 4,600.00	\$ 75.00		\$ 4,675.00
Senior 3/4"	\$ 6,750.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 6,850.00	\$ 112.50		\$ 6,962.50
5/8"	\$ 4,500.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 4,600.00	\$ 75.00		\$ 4,675.00
3/4"	\$ 6,750.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 6,850.00	\$ 112.50		\$ 6,962.50
1"	\$ 11,250.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 11,350.00	\$ 150.00		\$ 11,500.00
2"	\$ 36,000.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 36,100.00	\$ 300.00		\$ 36,400.00
3"	\$ 67,500.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 67,600.00	\$ 450.00		\$ 68,050.00
4"	\$ 112,500.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 112,600.00	\$ 600.00		\$ 113,200.00
6"	\$ 225,000.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 225,100.00	\$ 900.00		\$ 226,000.00
8"	\$ 360,000.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 360,100.00	\$ 1,200.00		\$ 361,300.00
10"	\$ 517,500.00			\$ 100.00	\$ 517,600.00	\$ 1,500.00		\$ 519,100.00

Note: Refer to the Authority's Rules and Regulations for the calculation of wastewater (sewer) system tap/impact fees for multi-family residential with more than five (5) units.

Effective Date of Rates and Fee Changes: December 1, 2025

Meter Costs - 2-10" meter prices are valid August 1, 2025 to January 30, 2026

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