

# SERVICE FEE SCHEDULE

## UTILITY BILLING DEPARTMENT FEES

RECONNECT FEE (BUSINESS HOURS)	\$25.00
RECONNECT FEE (AFTER BUSINESS HOURS)	\$50.00
RECONNECT FEE (LINE CREW)	\$75.00
RECONNECT FEE (LINE CREW, AFTER BUS. HOURS)	\$125.00
ACCOUNTS TRANSFER FEE	\$20.00
TEMPORARY ACCOUNT ESTABLISHMENT FEE	\$20.00
ACCOUNT ESTABLISHMENT FEE	\$45.00
SAME DAY SERVICE CHARGE	\$50.00
MISC. SERVICE FEE (per visit)	\$10.00
METER TAMPERING CHARGE	\$250.00

## SANITATION FEES

RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE PICKUP	\$13.00
ADDITIONAL CART	\$7.00
RENTAL APARTMENT GARBAGE PICKUP	\$13.00
COMMERCIAL GARBAGE PICKUP	\$20.50
CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS PICKUP (per 3 cubic yards)	\$16.00

## FIRE PROTECTION RATE

	<i>Inside City</i>	<i>Outside City</i>
6" AND UNDER Fireline Service	\$70.00	\$105.00
8" Fireline Service	\$130.00	\$220.00
10" Fireline Service	\$350.00	\$525.00
12" and over Fireline Service	\$500.00	\$750.00

## INSPECTIONS AND PLANNING DEPT. FEES

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY (ADMINISTRATIVE)	\$10.00
CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY (RESIDENTIAL)	\$25.00
CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY (COMMERCIAL)	\$100.00

## UTILITY CONNECTION FEES

<u>WATER TAP FEES</u>	<i>Inside</i>	<i>Outside</i>
3/4"	\$700.00	\$1,050.00
1"	\$900.00	\$1,350.00
1 1/2"	\$1,000.00	\$1,500.00
2" and over	COST	COST + 50%
3/4" IRRIGATION METER INSTAL.(No tap)	\$225.00	\$325.00
<u>SANITARY SEWER TAP FEES</u>		
4"	\$700.00	\$1,050.00
OVER 4"	COST	COST + 50%
<u>ELECTRICAL FEES</u>		
POLE INSTALL (SECURITY LIGHT)	\$45.00	

# UTILITY DEPOSIT AGREEMENT

The City of Clinton, in order to protect the financial integrity of the City's utility systems, shall require customers to provide a deposit in order to obtain service in accordance with the following requirements and policies.

The required deposit amount will be determined according to the level of service provided and the results of a third party service which accesses the applicant's utility credit report and applies calculations to return a prediction of the likelihood that the applicant will become delinquent or past due on a utility bill. Customers will be classified into three classes of customers based on the results of the credit analysis. The required deposits will be as follows:

Credit Risk	Electric Deposit	Water Deposit	Sewer Deposit	Total
RED—High	\$150	\$50	\$50	\$250
YELLOW—Medium	\$125	\$25	\$25	\$175
GREEN—Low	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

An applicant whose credit history is good, as determined by the third-party service or by the customer's established payment history with the city, will not be required to provide a deposit to initiate service. For a customer to be exempt from the provision of a deposit based on their payment history with the city, the customer must have no less than twenty-four (24) months payment history with the city with no more than one (1) late fee and no service disruptions due to nonpayment of a utility bill.

A customer who chooses not to provide a social security number or other required identity information required in order to conduct the credit analysis shall be required to pay a deposit of \$200 for electrical, \$75 for water service, and \$75 for sewer service.

A customer who maintains an account in good standing for more than six (6) months shall have their deposit returned when they choose to discontinue service and close their utility account. Deposits shall not accrue interest.

In addition to the security deposit, a customer is required to pay an account set up fee in the amount of \$45, and an inspection fee that ranges from \$10 to \$25. These fees must be paid prior to services being connected.

# ELECTRIC RATES

The City of Clinton is a member city of the Piedmont Municipal Power Agency. The City serves approximately 4,500 electric customers. The electric rates for the City of Clinton are listed below:

## RESIDENTIAL RATE \*

Basic Facilities Charge—per month	\$20.00
Energy Charge—per kwh	\$0.1480

## ELECTRIC GENERAL SERVICE \*

Basic Facilities Charge—per month	\$32.65
Demand Charge	
First 10 kw of billing demand	\$0.00
Over 10 kw of billing demand	\$9.52
Energy Charge—per kwh	
First 3,000 kwh	\$0.1890
Over 3,000 kwh	\$0.1071

## ELECTRIC LARGE GENERAL SERVICE \*

Basic Facilities Charge—per month	\$46.08
Demand Charge	
First 10 kw of billing demand	\$0.00
Over 10 kw of billing demand	\$13.65
Energy Charge—per kwh	
For the first 125 kwh of billing demand	
First 3,000 kwh	\$0.2033
Next 87,000 kwh	\$0.1053
Over 90,000 kwh	\$0.0629
For the next 275 kwh over kw of billing demand	
First 140,000 kwh	\$0.0972
Next 60,000 kwh	\$0.0873
Over 200,000 kwh	\$0.0792
For all over 400 kwh per kw of billing demand	
First 1,000,000 kwh	\$0.0777

\* plus the applicable PPCA (Purchased Power Cost Adjustment)

# WATER RATES

## MONTHLY BASE READINESS TO SERVE CHARGE

Meter Size	Inside City	Outside City	Outside City w/o Power
3/4" Meter	\$ 8.05	\$12.42	\$19.12
1" Meter	\$17.41	\$27.61	\$34.32
1 1/2" Meter	\$30.29	\$48.51	\$55.22
2" Meter	\$53.71	\$86.50	\$93.20
3" Meter	\$106.39	\$171.97	\$178.38
4" Meter	\$176.63	\$285.92	\$292.63
6" Meter	\$352.24	\$570.82	\$577.53
8" Meter	\$586.39	\$950.68	\$957.39
10" Meter	\$996.15	\$1,615.44	\$1,622.15

## WATER USE CHARGES—INSIDE CITY LIMITS

The City of Clinton charges customers a water use rate for each gallon of water used by the customer. The rates are based on 1,000 gallons.

Consumption Amount	Cost per 1,000 gallons	Cost per gallon
First 500,000 gallons	\$2.57	\$0.00257
Next 4,500,000 gallons	\$2.40	\$0.00240
Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$2.19	\$0.00219

## WATER USE CHARGES—OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS

The City of Clinton charges customers a water use rate for each gallon of water used by the customer. The rates are based on 1,000 gallons.

Consumption Amount	Cost per 1,000 gallons	Cost per gallon
First 500,000 gallons	\$4.17	\$0.00417
Next 4,500,000 gallons	\$3.90	\$0.00390
Over 5,000,000 gallons	\$3.55	\$0.00355

## WATER USE CHARGES—OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS WITHOUT CITY ELECTRIC UTILITY

The City of Clinton charges customers a water use rate for each gallon of water used by the customer. The rates are based on 1,000 gallons.

Consumption Amount	Cost per 1,000 gallons	Cost per gallon
0—1,000 gallons min. charge	\$6.71	\$0.00671
Next 3,000 gallons	\$6.03	\$0.00603
Next 4,000 gallons	\$5.72	\$0.00572
Next 5,000 gallons	\$5.64	\$0.00564
Over 12,000 gallons	\$5.35	\$0.00535

# SEWER RATES

## MONTHLY BASE READINESS TO SERVE CHARGE

Charge Type	Inside City	Outside City
Monthly Base Charge	\$7.88	\$11.82

## WASTEWATER COLLECTION CHARGE

The City of Clinton charges customers a wastewater collection charge based on each 1,000 gallons of water used. These charges are designed to cover the cost of maintaining and operating the sanitary sewer collection system.

Charge Type	Inside City	Outside City
Collection Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$2.52	\$3.78

## WASTEWATER TREATMENT CHARGE

The City of Clinton charges customers a wastewater treatment charge equivalent to the amount that Laurens County Water and Sewer Commission charges the city for the treatment of city sewer at the Joanna Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Charge Type	Inside City	Outside City
Treatment Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$3.67	\$3.67

## WASTEWATER TREATMENT SURCHARGE

The City of Clinton treatment bill received by the Laurens County Water & Sewer Commission is based on actual gallons treated by their treatment plant, while the bill the city charges the customer is based on the gallons of water the customer used in a month. There is a difference between these two amounts based on infiltration of water into the sewer system from other sources. The Wastewater Treatment Surcharge is designed to spread these costs out among customers based on their water use and it is revaluated every six months to make sure that the treatment charge and the treatment surcharge do not generate more revenue than is needed to pay the treatment costs.

Charge Type	Time Period	Rate For All Customers
Treatment Surcharge (per 1,000 gallons)	7/1/16—12/31/16	\$1.53

## INFILTRATION & INFLOW CHARGE

The City of Clinton collects an Infiltration & Inflow Charge. Funds collected are used to make repairs to the system which will result in a reduction in the amount of infiltration and inflow into the sewer system resulting in a reduction in the Wastewater Treatment Surcharge.

Customer Type	Rate
Residential	\$3.00 per month
Institutional	\$8.00 per month
Commercial	\$3.00 per month plus \$0.0005 per gallon of metered water

# ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

## INCENTIVE RATES

### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RATE (EDR)

The City of Clinton offers a competitive rate structure designed to encourage new growth and expansion of existing industries. This rate is designed to be lower by at least 2% than economic development rates offered by South Carolina's largest utility provider. Average cost per kWh and average cost per kW of demand fluctuate based on the season and the EDR customer's load profile. To qualify, a prospective EDR customer must:

- Bring a new energy load to the system either as a new customer or an expansion of an existing energy load.
- Have an annual average monthly demand of 100 kW or greater
- Have an annual average monthly load factor of 100 kW or greater.
- Meet all requirements outlined in the EDR rate schedule.

### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADDITIONAL CREDITS RIDER (EDACR):

The City of Clinton offers a series of additional credits toward the costs of utilities for qualifying economic development customers. The EDACR rate provides a 20% discount on the utility bill for the customer during year 1, a 15% discount during year 2, a 10% discount during year 3, and a 5% discount in year 4. To qualify, a prospective customer must:

- Bring a new energy load to the system either as a new customer or an expansion of an existing energy load.
- Have an annual average monthly demand of 100kW or greater
- Have an annual average monthly load factor of 100 kW or greater.
- Meet all requirements outlined in the EDR rate schedule.
- Meet one of the following economic development criteria:
  1. Employ 75 full time employees per 1,000 kW of new electric utility load.
  2. Invest at least \$400,000 and employ at least 25 full time employees per 1,000 kW of new electric utility load.

## PURCHASE POWER COST ADJUSTMENT

The City of Clinton adds a Purchase Power Cost Adjustment Charge to each kWh sold to ensure that utility revenue covers the cost of purchasing power for resale without impacting the portion of the rate designed to pay for utility operations. The PPCA is adjusted monthly based on costs.