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WATER RATES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-18

May 18, 2017



Budget Overview for FY 2017-18

RESOURCES \$270.1 Million	REQUIREMENTS \$270.1 Million			
Bond Proceeds \$79.9	Capital Program \$109.2			
Capital Revenues \$10.7				
Monthly Charges \$166.7	Operations & Maintenance \$88.1			
	Debt Service \$55.8	Total may not add due to		
Other Revenues/Sources \$12.8	Other Expenditures \$17.0	rounding.		
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Rate Summary for Fiscal Year 2017–18

- Retail rate increase: 6.7%
 - Prior rate forecast for FY 2017-18: 8.4%
- System Development Charges: 7.4% increase
- Fixed fees and charges
 - Charges for services, mains, hydrants, and other development fees



Smoothing Rates



How will rate changes affect typical customer bills?

	Typical monthly use (ccf)	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	Change
Typical residential customers	5	\$33.83	\$36.11	\$2.28
Qualifying low-income residential customers	5	\$16.93	\$18.05	\$1.12
Medium-sized commercial customers	100	\$459.85	\$490.72	\$30.87



A Penny Buys 1.7 Gallons of Water





Portland water bills represent about 6% of the typical monthly utility services for residential customers.



Telephone –With calling features such as caller ID, call waiting, voicemail, and unlimited national-wide calling | Solid Waste & Recycling –35-gallon cart, bi-weekly outside pickup | Water –Typical single family using 5 ccf per month | Natural Gas –Average Oregon residential customer using 55 therms per month | Sanitary Sewer & Stormwater –Average single family | Internet Service –Download speed at up to 50 MBps including modem | Cable TV –Digital starter with HD receiver equipment | Cell Phone –Family plan, 2 lines, unlimited talk and text, 2 GB shared data | Electricity –Average residential customer using 900kWh per month



How do Portland's FY 2017-18 water rates compare?



Based on proposed rates to be effective July 1, 2017, if available; otherwise based on current rates. Water bills are calculated based on 5 ccf usage.



How do Portland's System Development Charges compare?





Proposed rate for Portland effective FY 2017-18. All others based on current rates unless proposed rate available.

Questions?

