

**City of Virginia
Department of Public Utilities**

Utility Fee Schedule
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Assessments
Effective January 1, 2005

Water

General Facility Fee	<i>\$150.00 / ERU*</i>
Connection Fee	
Virginia Department of Public Utilities by policy does not install the customer service lines. The customer will hire a contractor and pay the fee charged by the contractor to install the tap into the main and the service line.	
Main Extension	Actual cost of installation

Electric

General Facility Fee (Only for new service connections<100 amps)	<i>\$75.00 /ERU*</i>
General Facility Fee (Only for new service connections>101 amps)	<i>\$150.00/ERU*</i>
General Facility Fee (Upgrade of Service Connection Application)	<i>\$40 / ERU*</i>
Extension of Electric Service	Actual cost of installation

Connection Fee (New or Upgraded Service where new wire is required):

Underground Fee-Routing to be determined by VDPU.	Actual cost of installation
Overhead Fee	Actual cost of installation
Security Lighting-VDPU only charges if a pole must be installed. The lamp, fixture, photocel and mounting are provided under current monthly charge. VDPU charges Pole Installation at actual cost.	
Billboard Lighting	Actual cost of installation
Power Pole Relocation - Customer requested	Actual cost of installation
Installation of Power Supplies for CATV (includes General Facility Fee)*	\$175.00

Gas

General Facility Fee	\$ 200.00 *
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Natural Gas Service Line and Main Installations	Actual cost of installation
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Steam Heat

General Facility Fee	<i>\$150.00 / ERU*</i>
Front Footage Fee	<i>\$50.00 / LF*</i>
Connection Fee	<i>Actual Cost</i>
Meter Purchase Charge	<i>\$0.00 Each</i>
VDPU Steam Inspection Fee	<i>\$25.00 Each*</i>
Voluntary Permanent Disconnection of Steam Service Fee	Single Line \$ 2,000.00
A joint line (involving 2 properties sharing a service line) pays 1/2 the Single Line fee	
When more than two (2) properties share a service line, fee is assessed based on the	

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Service Fees

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Office Hours

Regular Hours 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.
After Hours 3 p.m. until 8 a.m.

Office Services

Delinquency Notice (Mailer)	\$ 5.00	Notice
Final Notice Fee	\$ 25.00	Notice
Disconnect - Reconnection Chg (Delinquent Accounts)		
Regular Hours	\$ 100.00	*/**
Between 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. (Customer Serviceman)	\$ 100.00	*/**
After Hours	\$ 250.00	*/**
Trip Charge	\$ 20.00	**/**
Lien Recovery Charge	\$ 100.00	Termination
Duplicate Billing (2nd Party)	\$ 5.00	Billing
Printouts - consumption history for non-owners & non account holders	\$ 5.00	Printout
Returned Check/ACH (NSF/Account Closed/Stop Payment)	\$ 25.00	Each
Affidavit	\$ 1.00	Each

*Half (1/2) of fee is charged to the account when an account is disconnected, the other half (1/2) is for reconnection (full amount must be paid prior to reconnection).

**Disconnect/Reconnect fee increases depending on number of disconnects in twelve (12) month period (going forward 9/1/03)

After 2 times in one year; third (3rd) time in one year doubles amounts, four (4) or more times in one year may result in permanently doubling the fee.

***Charged to the account when disconnection is written, crew is dispatched and customer pays to prevent disconnection (paid at that time).

Field Services

WATER:

Customer Requested Service Call (Utility or Non Utility Related) during regular hours		No Charge**
Customer Requested Service Call (Non Utility Related) after hours		Actual Cost***
Fire Hydrant Installation (Private Property)	\$2,500.00	/ Installation
Hydrant Set up	\$ 50.00	
Hydrant Consumption		Current Rate
Flow Testing --Pressure Testing	\$ 50.00	
Meter Testing - Customer Requested 3/4" & 1"	\$ 25.00	*
Meter Testing - Customer Requested 1-1/2" & 2"	\$ 35.00	*
Meter Testing - Customer Requested 3" & above	\$ 50.00	*
Disconnection/ Reconnection of Water (Customer Requested- Seasonal) during regular hours only	\$ 20.00	/ Request****
Temporary turn off at standpipe during regular hours only		No Charge for 1 attempt
After 1st attempt	\$ 20.00	
48 hour notice requested for the following:		
Customer Requested Water Main Shut-off during regular hours (no standpipe located)	\$ 100.00	Plus notification expenses
Customer Requested Water Main Shut-off after hours (no standpipe located)	\$ 250.00	Plus notification expenses

ELECTRIC:

Customer Requested Service Call (Utility or Non Utility Related) during regular hours		No Charge**
Customer Requested Service Call (Non Utility Related) after hours		Actual Cost***
Service Line Maintenance	\$ 40.00	/ Hour
Meter Testing - Customer Requested (Residential & Commercial - No Demand)	\$ 25.00	*
Meter Testing - Customer Requested - All Demand Meters	\$ 50.00	*
Disconnection/ Reconnection of Electric (Customer Requested- Seasonal) during regular hours only	\$ 20.00	/ Request****
Emergency		No Charge
Electric Line Insulation	\$ 10.00	/ Linear foot

GAS:

Customer Requested Service Call (Utility or Non Utility Related) during regular hours		No Charge**
Customer Requested Service Call (Non Utility Related) after hours		Actual Cost***
Service Line Maintenance	\$40.00	/ Hour
Meter Testing - Customer Requested - Sizes 175 through 415	\$ 25.00	*
Meter Testing - Customer Requested - Sizes 750 through 5000 & Flow	\$ 50.00	*
Gas Leak & Carbon Monoxide Detection		No charge
Disconnection/ Reconnection of Gas (Customer Requested- Seasonal) during regular hours only	\$ 20.00	/ Request****
Emergency		No Charge

STEAM:

Customer Requested Service Call (Utility or Non Utility Related) during regular hours		No Charge**
Customer Requested Service Call (Non Utility Related) after hours		Actual Cost***
Meter Testing - Customer Requested - Sizes A through D	\$ 25.00	*
Meter Testing - Customer Requested - Sizes E through G & Flow	\$ 50.00	*
Disconnection/ Reconnection of Steam (Customer Requested- Seasonal)		Not available

* Meter testing requires meters to be disconnected & reconnected for an additional charge. See Disconnect / Reconnect fees above.

** Misuse of Non Utility Related calls during regular hours may result in billing for a minimum of two (2) hours of current labor & equipment rates.

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**** If more than 1 commodity is being disconnected/reconnected at that time, there is only one (1) \$20.00 fee per request.

THE DPU MUST AUTHORIZE THE REMOVAL OF ANY METERING DEVICE

UTILITY LOCATES

Regular Hours	No Charge
Emergency	No Charge
After Hours	Not available

All fees included applicable State Sales Tax

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SCHEDULE FOR LABOR AND EQUIPMENT CHARGES

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LABOR CHARGES

	CITY CHARGE	DPU CUSTOMERS
Serviceman – Operator.....	37.00	40.00
Serviceman – Welder.....	39.00	43.00
Serviceman.....	38.00	41.00
Customer Serviceman.....	36.00	40.00
Supervisor - Electric & Gas.....	46.00	50.00
Supervisor - Steam & Water.....	46.00	50.00
Lineman.....	39.00	43.00
Groundman-Truck Driver.....	35.00	38.00
Inspector/Locator	39.00	43.00
Meter Serviceman.....	37.00	41.00
Fuel Handler/Utilityman.....	35.00	34.00
Warehouseman.....	36.00	39.00

CITY STREETLIGHT CHARGES

Electric Manager	46.00
Electric Lineman.....	39.00

Wages include overhead charges of 10%

(MINIMUM CHARGE SHALL BE ONE (1) HOUR DURING BUSINESS HOURS AND TWO (2) HOURS AT ALL OTHER TIMES)
OVERTIME WILL BE CHARGED OUT AT ONE-AND-A-HALF (1.5) TIMES THE STATED RATE
IF A HOLIDAY, TIME WILL BE CHARGED OUT AT EITHER TWO (2) TIMES OR TWO-AND-A-HALF (2.5) TIMES DEPENDING ON THE HOLIDAY

EQUIPMENT CHARGES (DOES NOT INCLUDE OPERATOR)

Air Compressor and Hammer.....	55.00	per hour
Service Truck Charges..... (where a service truck is used in connection with work being done)	50.00	per hour
Pickup Truck Charges.....	30.00	per hour
Electric Service Trucks.....	92.00	per hour
Skid-Steers		
Small.....	55.00	per hour
Large.....	60.00	per hour
Dump Truck.....	65.00	per hour
Fusing Equipment.....	72.00	per hour
Gas Tap.....	72.00	per tap
Gasoline-Driven Water Pump.....	55.00	per hour
Digger And Loader.....	90.00	per hour
Trencher.....	66.00	per hour
Vactron.....	70.00	per hour
Diversion Meter	55.00	per day
Wire Trailer (plus truck).....	42.00	per hour

(MINIMUM CHARGE SHALL BE TWO (2) HOURS)
AN ADDITIONAL \$25.00 PER HOUR WILL BE ADDED TO THE STATED CHARGE IF OVERTIME RESULTS
IF A HOLIDAY, THE ADDITIONAL TIME WILL BE CHARGED OUT AT EITHER TWO (2) TIMES OR TWO-AND-A-HALF (2.5) TIMES DEPENDING ON THE HOLIDAY

Material = Cost + 30%
City of Virginia + 10%

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Fines and Penalties

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	<u>Fine / Penalty</u>
Intentional Diversion/Violation -	
First Occurrence *	\$100.00
Second Occurrence *	\$250.00
Third Occurrence *	\$500.00

Unintentional Diversion/Violation -

(If there is no response to the first letter the following fines will be imposed.)

Fine for non-compliance with first letter (imposed with second letter)	\$50.00
If non-compliance after 5 additional days fines revert to First Occurrence Intentional Diversion/Violation fines until corrections are made.	

If an Unintentional Diversion occurs at an address with the same property owner a second time (repeated occurrence) of the same commodity, the occurrence will be considered as an Intentional Diversion/Violation.

* Progressive Fines for each occurrence by a property owner of the same commodity (whether the Diversion/Violation takes place at the same location or not).