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**HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**  
**2023**

New Year's Day	Jan 2 <sup>nd</sup>
Martin Luther	Jan 16 <sup>th</sup>
Presidents Day	Feb 20 <sup>th</sup>
Good Friday (1/2 day)	April 7 <sup>th</sup>
Patriots Day	April 17 <sup>th</sup>
Memorial Day	May 29 <sup>th</sup>
Juneteenth	June 19 <sup>th</sup>
Independence Day	July 4 <sup>th</sup>
Labor Day	Sept 4 <sup>th</sup>
Columbus Day	Oct 9 <sup>th</sup>
Veteran's Day	Nov 10 <sup>th</sup>
Thanksgiving	Nov 23 <sup>rd</sup> & 24 <sup>th</sup>
Christmas	Dec 25 <sup>th</sup>

**OFFICE HOURS:**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
**8:00 am – 4:30 pm**  
**Friday**  
**8:00 am – 1:30 pm**

**HIGH BILL CHECK LIST**

Verify the reading on your meter by reading it left to right and ensuring it is correct. It will be slightly higher than the current reading on your bill.

The biggest culprit of a high water bill is a leaky toilet. We provide free leak detector tablets, or you could simply use food coloring. Drop a tablet in the tank of the toilet and wait 20 minutes. If the dye has seeped into the bowl at all your toilet is leaking and should be repaired immediately as any leaks can become quite costly.

If you have a sprinkler system you should be aware of exactly how much water you are using. Take a reading before and after the sprinkling cycle. Subtract the start read from the end read to get the consumption of your daily usage. Multiply that by the number of times you water weekly. Now multiply your weekly consumption by 12 for your total sprinkling usage per quarter.

**IT IS NOW MANDATORY THAT SPRINKLER SYSTEMS BE EQUIPPED WITH A MOISTURE SENSOR. THIS HELPS YOU, THE CONSUMER, SAVE ON YOUR OUTSIDE WATERING.**

Have you had visitors or additional people living with you? Did you know it is estimated that an individual uses over 70 gallons of water daily.

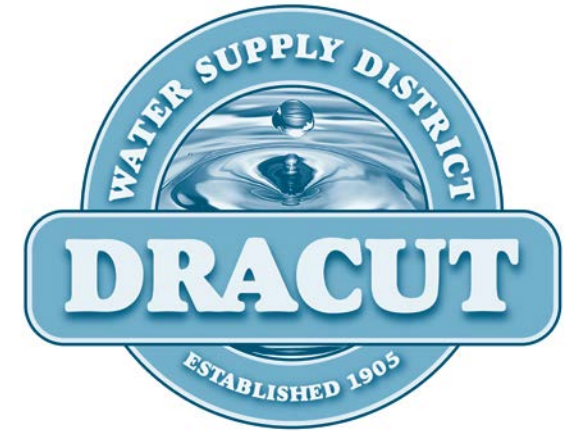
Have you filled your swimming pool?

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**DRACUT WATER  
SUPPLY DISTRICT**

**SCHEDULE  
OF  
FEES**

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Updated 6/27/23

**WATER USE**  
**Quarterly**

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**MINIMUM CHARGE**

Effective 07/01/2023

0-1250 cubic feet

\$ 97.80	5/8" meter
\$131.31	1" meter
\$210.37	1 1/2" meter
\$341.69	2" meter
\$404.68	3" meter
\$481.06	4" meter

**RESIDENTIAL**

**STEP 1**

1251-5000 cubic feet

\$5.57/100 c.f.

**STEP 2**

Over 5000 cubic feet

\$6.85/100 c.f.

**COMMERCIAL**

\$7.19/100 c.f.

- Discount 10% minimum  
(must qualify for abatement on taxes)
- Conservation Credit 10% minimum
- Late payments are subject to a \$10.00  
late charge and interest of 14% for unpaid  
balances

**SERVICE CALLS**

One man, One Truck  
7:00am to 3:30 pm \$63.50/hr

**\*\*All calls after business hours are  
charged a 2hr minimum at time  
and a half. (Min \$190.50).**

**NEW SERVICE  
CONNECTION**

System Development Fee \$7500.00  
-includes inspection

Sprinkler SDF fee 2x's annual fee

**Meter, Valve, & Installation**

5/8"	\$ 303.70
1"	\$ 364.60
1 1/2"	\$ 630.50
2"	\$ 729.20
3"	QUOTE
4"	QUOTE

**FIRE PROTECTION  
SPRINKLER SYSTEMS**

Annual Fee July 1-June 30

2" Line	\$318.65
4" Line	\$637.85
6" Line	\$893.25

**CROSS CONNECTION**

(Backflow Prevention)

Device testing \$90.80/per

DCVA's & PBV's are tested annually  
RPBP's are tested 2x's annually

**HYDRANT USE**

2 hr Service Call	\$127.00
Min Water Bill	\$ 97.80
Water Usage	\$7.19/100cf

**METER TO MAIN**

Optional insurance plan to cover line  
from street to meter in house.

Annual charge \$72.45

**OTHER FEES**

Compressor	\$ 60.60/hr
Contractor's Bond	\$3,307.50
Copies	\$ 0.25/copy
Copies of Voter's List	\$ 18.10
Inspection*	\$ 72.70/hr
Interest	14% annum
Final Reads /Closings	\$ 60.60
*less than 48 hr notice	\$121.25
*No show fee	\$ 50.00

Lien Processing \$286.65

2nd Lien Release \$ 30.15

Meter Test – 3rd party \$ 86.60  
\*no charge if faulty

New Valve/installation \$ 90.80

Returned Check \$ 40.00

Water shut off \$ 63.50

Water turn on \$ 63.50

Main tap fee per 1" \$1157.60

\*1 hr min – multiple daily visits shall  
be charged a 2 hr min or actual time.  
Whichever is greater.

**REPLACEMENT METERS**

If frozen or damaged

5/8"	\$212.35
1"	\$273.25
1 1/2"	\$425.25
2"	\$576.95