

INLAND EMPIRE UTILITIES AGENCY WATER CONNECTION FEE FACT SHEET

The Inland Empire Utilities Agency (IEUA) is a regional wastewater treatment agency and wholesale distributor of imported water and recycled water. Today, IEUA and its member agencies are responsible for serving approximately 830,000 people over 242 square miles in western San Bernardino County. IEUA is committed to investing in our water supply for today and tomorrow through fiscal responsibility, efficient business practices, water supply management and environmental stewardship. For other inquiries regarding the fee, please call (909) 993-1600.

What is the IEUA Water Connection Fee?

•The water connection fee is a one-time fee paid to IEUA for any new or upsized water meter connection to a water distribution system within the IEUA service area.

When does it take effect?

•The new fee takes effect January 1, 2016.

What types of meters are subject to this one-time fee?

- Potable water
- Recycled water
 - Landscape
- •Temporary, fire & parallel service meters are not subject to the fee

What if I change out the water meter to a different size?

•The fee is determined based on the difference between the original and upsized meter. There is no fee for downsizing a meter.

How do I calculate the fee?

•Fees are determined by the size and number of water meters being installed for your particular project.

When do I pay the fee?

•Fee paid at the time you pay your local water agency meter fees.

Where do I pay the fee?

•Fees are paid directly to IEUA located at 6075 Kimball Avenue, Chino Monday-Thursday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm or by mail to: P.O. Box 9020, Chino Hills, CA 91709 Attn: Water Connection Fee

What types of payment are accepted?

- Personal check
- Cashier's check
- •If sending payment by mail, include site address and Tract/Parcel #

How much will the new fee cost?

•Fees are calculated based on the 2016 adopted rates set forth below

2016 WATER METER CONNECTION FEE RATES

5/8"-3/4"	1"	1.5"	2"	3"	4"	6"	8"	10"	12"
\$693	\$1,733	\$3,465	\$5,544	\$12,128	\$21,830	\$48,510	\$83,160	\$103,950	\$121,275



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- IEUA wastewater connection fees currently in place do not pay for investments in the regional water system.
- With growth increasing, population is expected to reach **1.2 million within the next 20 years.**
- \$91 million in expanded and new water infrastructure is needed to support recycled water, regional resiliency and water conservation projects.
- IEUA has a responsibility to ensure that the regional water system is financially sound.
- Without the new fee, \$91 million of regional water reliability projects needed to meet growth will be unfunded.
- Proposition 26 mandates costs should be reasonable and appropriately allocated to payers based on the benefit received.
- A comprehensive rate study in 2014 established the proposed fee.

Inland Empire Utilities Agency Service Area

