## B. Connection Charge \$2415.00

Each applicant shall pay a charge to cover the costs of: excavation and tapping the main, furnishing and installing service pipe from the main to the lot line; furnishing and installing corporation and stop cocks; furnishing and installing meter crock, yoke and setter. Also, each applicant shall pay a system capacity fee. The charge for a 5/8" x ¾11 meter setting will be Two Thousand four Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$2415.00), plus cost of any highway or county permits required. The charge for a larger than 5/8" x ¾" meter tap shall be the cost of labor, materials, power machinery, transportation, and overhead incurred form installing the tap, but in no case shall it be less than the amount for the meter setting of \$2415.00.

### C. Membership fee \$100.00

A membership fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) shall be paid in addition to the above connection charges, upon application for membership in the Corporation.

### **D. Late Payment Charge**

Utility service bills are mailed on *the* first of each month and are considered payable without a late payment charge if they are received in the utility office by the seventeenth  $(17_{th})$  day of the month. If the net bill is not paid by the seventeenth  $(1T_h)$  it shall become a delinquent bill and a late payment charge will be added in the amount of ten (10) percent of the first three (3) dollars and three (3) percent of the excess of three (3) dollars.

### E. Reconnection **Charge \$50.00**

Whenever, for any reason beyond the control of the utility a reestablishment of service is required by anyone customer, or whenever the service is turned off for non-payment of a bill or nonpayment of any other debt outstanding by the customer (except as prohibited by Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission Water Rules and Regulations) a reconnection fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) will be made. This charge will cover the disconnection and reestablishment of service and will be made during the hours of 8:00 a.m., and 4:00 p.m. weekdays. The charge, together with any arrears due to the utility, shall be paid **by** the customer before service will be reestablished.

#### F. Temporary Users

Water furnished to a temporary user such as a contractor will be charged on the basis of the metered gallons rate herein before set forth as estimated and established by the Waterworks Superintendent.

### **G. Fire Protection Service \$100.00**

Public Hydrants per annum this charge will be made once each calendar year to the person responsible for said payment. The statement will be sent by the utility office and receipted accordingly.

## H. Service Charge - Bad Check \$ 25.00

In the event a check, draft or other instrument tendered to the utility by a customer in payment of charges made by the utility for water service rendered to the customer, is dishonored by the bank or other institution upon which it is drawn, by reason of insufficient funds", "account closed11, or similar cause, a charge of Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00) per such dishonored check will be made by the utility against the customer involved; and such charge will be added to and will be due and

payable on the terms and conditions of the utilities billing, in payment of which the dishonored instrument was so tendered.

# I. General Service Charge \$7.00

A General Service Charge will be established in the amount of Seven Dollars (\$7.00). The charge will be made in the following manner; at a predetermined date each month, when delinquent accounts are subject to disconnection, the utility will deliver to each delinquent customer a notice granting a days extension of time in which to pay their bill without an involuntary interruption of service. The charge for this service will be Seven Dollars (\$7.00), purpose; to avoid an interruption of service, eliminate wear on valves, promote better customer relations, enable the utility to contact all delinquent accounts with the period of time allotted.

#### J. Read out Meters

The utility reserves the right to install a read-out meter and an appropriate reading device where it is needed. Said customer will provide a monthly reading to the utility upon payment of their bill. On the monthly statement mailed to each customer there will be a space provided for the meter reading. If a meter reading is not provided by the customer the utility will estimate that period of usage in accordance with his average.

#### K. Start Up Fee \$45.00

New members will pay Forty®five dollars (\$45.00) nonrefundable startup fee. This fee to covet the administration and maintenance cost associated with activating a new membership. This cost is over and above the membership fee of \$100.00 and Tap Fee of \$2415.00.

### L. General Service Call \$50.00

This charge will be made for any trip to the members premises at their request for conditions on the members responsibility side of the meter, during normal business hours.

### M. Service Call – After Hour \$100.00

This charge will be made for any trip to the members premises at their request after normal business hours for conditions on the members responsibility side of meter. This includes all holidays and weekends.