

CHAPTER 92
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92.01 SERVICE CHARGES. Each customer shall pay for water service provided by the City based upon use of water as determined by meters provided for in Chapter 91. Each location, building, premises or connection shall be considered a separate and distinct customer whether owned or controlled by the same person or not.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

92.02 RATES FOR SERVICE. Rates for water service for all customers of the City of Bloomfield are as follows:

Facility Charge	\$30.00 per month
Usage Charge	No usage charge for up to 1,000 gallons \$10.50 per 1,000 gallons for usage over 1,000 gallons in a month.

On or before the 1st day of February of each year, the City Clerk shall compute an adjustment to the water rates based on the multiplication of the current rate by a factor equal to the increase in the Consumer Price Index (C.P.I.) as established by the federal government for the preceding twelve (12) month period (January 1 through December 31). This adjustment shall be submitted to the City Council at the first Council meeting in February. At the Council's discretion, this adjustment may be applied to the minimum bill on the 1st day of the following month.

(Section 92.02 – Ord. 728 – May 23 Supp.)

92.03 BILLING FOR WATER SERVICE. Water service shall be billed as part of a combined service account, payable in accordance with the following:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.84)

1. Bills Issued. The Clerk shall prepare and issue bills for combined service accounts on the twentieth (20th) day of each month.
2. Bills Payable. Bills for combined service accounts shall be due and payable at the office of the Clerk by the tenth (10th) day of each month.