

RESOLUTION NO. GHCWD 2026-003

Resolution of the Gore Hill County Water District, Montana to Adopt the Updated Fee Schedule

WHEREAS, under Section 7-13-2301, MCA, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Gore Hill County Water District (the "District") is directed to fix and collect water rates and charges for the sale and distribution of the System services to all users; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 7-13-2275, MCA, the Board shall order a public hearing prior to the passage or enactment of an ordinance or resolution imposing, establishing, changing or increasing rates, fees, or charges for services or facilities. (5) A public hearing is not required for a cumulative rate increase of less than or equal to 5% within a 12-month period if the board provides notification of the increase to persons within the district on whom the rate will be imposed at least 10 days prior to the passage or enactment of the ordinance or resolution implementing the increase.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Gore Hill County Water District Board of Directors as follows:

Section 1. Fee Schedule. Updated Fee Schedule

Gore Hill County Water District, Cascade County, Montana

By Mary K. [Signature] Date 8/26/25
Board President

ATTEST: [Signature] Date 8/26/25

ATTEST: [Signature] Date 8-26-25

ATTEST: [Signature] Date 8/26/25

ATTEST: [Signature] Date 08-26-2025

ATTEST: [Signature] Date 8/26/25
Secretary

CERTIFICATE AS TO RESOLUTION AND ADOPTING VOTE

I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified and acting recording officer of the Gore Hill County Water District, Montana (the "District"), hereby certify that the attached resolution is a true copy of Resolution No. GHCWD 2026-003 entitled: "Resolution of the Gore Hill County Water District, Montana to Update Fee Schedule for the Users of the District's Water System" (the "Resolution"), on file in the original records of the District in my legal custody; the Resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Directors at a public meeting August 12, 2025, and that the meeting was duly held by the Board of Directors and was attended throughout by a quorum, pursuant to call and notice of such meeting given as required by law; and that the Resolution has not as of the date hereof been amended or repealed.

I further certify that, upon vote being taken on the Resolution at said meeting, the following Board Members

voted in favor thereof: 5

:voted against same: 0

:abstained from voting thereon: 0

:or were absent; 0

Witness my hand officially this 12 day of August 2025.

Christy Walter
District Secretary

GORE HILL COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

FEE SCHEDULE AS OF JULY 2025

New Service Deposit returned in 2 years for timely payments	\$ 150.00
Monthly Service Administration	\$ 12.54
Monthly Service O&M	\$ 13.23
Monthly Service Construction	\$ 13.78
Monthly Service \$4.99/1000 gallons of water	

Reconnection Fee - Termination for Cause	\$ 75.00
Returned Check Fee	\$ 30.00
Fine for Tampering with District Property	\$ 250.00
New Tap Fee – Meter Pit	\$3,500.00

** If boring under the road is required, the customer will be responsible for the cost.

Property within District, RID not previously paid 1 Acre	\$5,000.00
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Regardless of actual acreage – fee is for 1 acre

Minutes 7/24/12

There are 230 taps with 229 paying taps in the District. With the wells and cisterns the District currently has the maximum tap capacity is 266. There are 36 additional pieces of property eligible to receive water. Of these, 12 did not pay the original RID's and therefore need to pay those to receive water. The other 24 pieces of property did pay the original RID's.

Simple interest to be paid by GHCWD for deposits returned to members/customers shall be .01% which is equal to \$0.015/month to accumulate from July 2012 or the date the deposit was received until the date the deposit is returned.

