

# UTILITY RATES: Effective April 1 2017

## RESIDENTIAL (billed quarterly)

Water Base Charge:  
\$9.00/quarter  
Usage-\$1.82 per 1,000 gallons for the first 35,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.00 per 1,000 gallons for the next 15,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.15 per 1,000 gallons for the remaining gallons used per quarter

Sewer Base Charge:  
\$18 per quarter  
Sewer: \$3.50 per 1,000 gallons, minimum of 12,000 gallons  
Street Light: \$11 per quarter: single-family  
Street Light: \$7 per quarter: duplex  
Street Light: \$6 per quarter: multiple dwelling  
Storm Sewer: \$6.50 per quarter: single-family  
Storm Sewer: \$5.85 per quarter: duplex  
Storm Sewer: \$5.50 per quarter: multiple dwelling

## APARTMENTS (billed monthly)

Base Charge \$3.00 per month, per unit  
Usage-\$1.82 per 1,000 gallons for the first 12,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.00 per 1,000 gallons for the next 5,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.15 per 1,000 gallons for the remaining gallons used per quarter  
Sewer Base Charge: \$6.00 per month per unit  
Sewer Usage: \$3.50 per 1,000 gallons, minimum of 4,000 per month, per unit  
Street Light: Based on total lineal feet  
Storm Sewer: Based on total runoff

## COMMERCIAL (billed monthly)

Base Charge \$3.00 per month for every 10,000 gallons used  
Usage-\$1.82 per 1,000 gallons for first 12,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.00 per 1,000 gallons for next 5,000 gallons used per quarter  
Usage-\$2.15 per 5,000 gallons for remaining gallons used per quarter  
Usage - \$2.46 per 1,000 gallons for remaining gallons used per month  
Sewer Base Charge: \$6.00 per month per unit for every 10,000 used gallons or \$6 minimum if under 10,000 gallons used, per unit  
Sewer: \$3.50 per 1,000 gallons, minimum usage of 5,000 gallons per month  
Street Light: Based on total lineal feet  
Storm Sewer: Based on total runoff

## UTILITY BILL PAYMENT OPTIONS

**Auto Bank Payments.** Have utility bills automatically deducted from your bank account on the bill's due date each billing cycle by completing the "Automatic Utility Payment Application" provided on the Utility Billing page at [www.ci.oakdale.mn.us](http://www.ci.oakdale.mn.us). Please mail completed form to the Finance Department, 1584 Hadley Avenue, Oakdale, MN 55128.

**Drop Box.** Payments made by check or credit card can be placed in the drive-up drop box located in the City Hall parking lot. Please place your payment, along with the stub from your utility bill, in a sealed envelope before depositing into the drop box.

**Mail.** Mail your check and the stub from your utility bill. Or, fill out the section for a credit card payment on your utility bill stub and mail to the Finance Department, 1584 Hadley Avenue, Oakdale, MN 55128.

**Pay In Person.** Bring cash, a check or credit card to the first floor counter at City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue, Monday-Friday, 8 am to 4:30 pm.

**Pay by Phone with Credit Card.** Call 651-730-2716 or 1-877-885-7968 to provide your credit card information during regular business hours (Monday through Friday, 8 am to 4:30 pm). No fee is applied for credit card payments.

**On-line Payments** Go to [www.ci.oakdale.mn.us](http://www.ci.oakdale.mn.us), click on "Utility Bills & Other Payments" button. Select "Pay Utility Bill", which will take you to the PSN site to register or sign-in and make a payment. You can also select the "View Utility Bill" button and register or sign-in to view bills. Registered utility customers will receive an email each time a bill is ready. Then you can choose to pay online, mail in a payment, call in a credit card number, or stop at City Hall.

**Pay on Mobile Device.** Download "PSN Payments" from App Store or Google Play. (Register online before using app).

**Senior or Disabled Person Discounts** are available for qualified individuals with a total annual household income of \$48,500 or less. There are no base charges, the sewer charge is for actual usage during the winter quarter. Seniors must be 62 or older and the primary resident at the service address. Please call 651-730-2716 for more information.

## WATER SAVING TIPS

 Mulch plants to help them retain water	 Use a rain barrel to gather rainwater	 Soak pots and pans rather than letting water run	 Compost rather than use garbage disposal
 Turn off the water while washing your hands	 Wash clothes in cold water	 Join a community pool rather than installing one	 Limit showers to 5 minutes
 Turn off the faucet while brushing your teeth	 Use a refillable water bottle rather than multiple drinking glasses each day	 Wash fruits and vegetables over a pan to collect water	 Fix leaks as soon as they are discovered
 Take a shower rather than a bath	 Cook food in as little water as possible	 Run your dishwasher only when full	 Don't let the water run while shaving
 Collect running water while waiting for it to heat up and use on plants or lawn	 Scrape dishes rather than rinsing before washing	 Add a nozzle to your hose to control flow	 Install a low flow shower head