

Notice of Proposed Increase in Utility Rates - The Town of Sunman will hold a public hearing on April 21, 2022 at 6:30 pm, at the Sunman Town Hall, 604 N. Meridian Street, Sunman, IN 47041. Persons with disabilities or non-English speaking persons who wish to attend the public hearing and need assistance should contact Cheryl Taylor, Clerk-Treasurer – PO Box 147, Sunman, IN 47041, (812) 623-2066 not later than April 18, 2022. Every effort will be made to make reasonable accommodations for these persons.

The purpose of the public hearing is to consider an increase in the monthly water, sewer, and sanitation rates for the users of the town waterworks, sewer works, and sanitation services. During the public hearing, interested parties may be heard concerning the water rates and charges.

The proposed ordinances set water, sewer, and sanitation rates and makes such amended rates and charges effective for July 15, 2022, which rates and charges are set forth below. The proposed ordinances are available for review at the Clerk-Treasurer’s office, at the Sunman Town Hall, 604 N. Meridian St., Sunman, Indiana 47041 during normal business hours and will be available at the public hearing.

Upon passage the following water rates will be:

	12% Increase	10% Surcharge	11% Increase	10% Surcharge	11% Increase	10% Surcharge
Metered Rates (per month)	Effective July 15, 2022		Effective July 15, 2023		Effective July 15, 2024	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
2,500	\$ 8.60	\$ 9.46	\$ 9.55	\$ 10.50	\$ 10.60	\$ 11.66
2,500	\$ 7.56	\$ 8.32	\$ 8.39	\$ 9.23	\$ 9.31	\$ 10.25
5,000	\$ 6.45	\$ 7.10	\$ 7.16	\$ 7.88	\$ 7.95	\$ 8.74
10,000	\$ 5.35	\$ 5.89	\$ 5.94	\$ 6.54	\$ 6.60	\$ 7.26
80,000	\$ 4.14	\$ 4.56	\$ 4.60	\$ 5.06	\$ 5.11	\$ 5.62
100,000	\$ 2.88	\$ 3.17	\$ 3.20	\$ 3.51	\$ 3.55	\$ 3.90

	10% Increase	10% Surcharge	5% Increase	10% Surcharge	5% Increase	10% Surcharge
Minimum Charge (per month)	Effective July 15, 2022		Effective July 15, 2023		Effective July 15, 2024	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Usage Allowed						
2,500 gallons	\$ 21.50	\$ 23.65	\$ 23.87	\$ 26.26	\$ 26.50	\$ 29.14
5,680 gallons	\$ 44.80	\$ 49.28	\$ 49.73	\$ 54.70	\$ 55.20	\$ 60.72
17,722 gallons	\$ 114.00	\$ 125.41	\$ 126.55	\$ 139.20	\$ 140.47	\$ 154.51
54,521 gallons	\$ 269.26	\$ 296.19	\$ 298.88	\$ 328.77	\$ 331.75	\$ 364.93
107,958 gallons	\$ 480.63	\$ 528.69	\$ 533.49	\$ 586.84	\$ 592.18	\$ 651.40

Permit Fee for Individual Water Taps	
Line Size	Tap-in Fee
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5/8-inch	\$ 1,500.00
3/4-inch	\$ 1,500.00
1-inch	\$ 1,800.00
1-1/2-inch	\$ 2,200.00
2-inch	\$ 2,500.00
3-inch	\$ 3,000.00
4-inch	\$ 5,000.00
6-inch and above	\$ 8,000.00

Service Fees	Charge
After working hours, Monday - Friday	\$ 50.00
Bacteriological sampling fee (per sample, two sample minimum required)	\$ 100.00
Bad check charge	\$ 35.00
During working hours, Monday - Friday	\$ 15.00
Reconnect Fee and Disconnect Fee	\$ 35.00
Holidays	\$ 75.00
Saturday	\$ 75.00
Service call charges	\$ 50.00
Sunday	\$ 75.00

Upon passage the following sewer rates will be:

Monthly Residential Rate	Effective July 15, 2022		Effective July 15, 2023		Effective July 15, 2024	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Single Family Dwelling	\$ 48.07	\$ 52.88	\$ 53.36	\$ 58.69	\$ 59.23	\$ 65.15

Sewer Base (per month)	
5/8-3/4 - inch	\$ 21.67
1-inch	\$ 52.14
1-1/4-inch	\$ 82.50
1-1/2 - inch	\$ 119.02
2-inch	\$ 204.11
3-inch	\$ 468.93
4-inch	\$ 812.30
6-inch and above	\$ 1,846.19

Permit Fee for Individual Sewer Taps	
Line Size	Tap-in Fee
5/8-inch	\$ 2,500.00
3/4-inch	\$ 2,500.00
1-inch	\$ 2,800.00
1-1/2-inch	\$ 3,000.00
2-inch	\$ 3,500.00
3-inch	\$ 4,000.00
4 inch and above	\$ 8,000.00

Rate Surcharge Based Upon Suspended Solids						
	Effective July 15, 2022		Effective July 15, 2023		Effective July 15, 2024	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Charge per pound	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.46	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.49

Upon passage the following administrative fee will be added to each sanitation account service effective July 15, 2022: \$1.00