TODD CREEK VILLAGE





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You Asked: Understanding Your Water Bill, Part 2

The most frequent question we receive about the monthly water bill is about the Conservation Fee. The questions range from "What is it?" to "What does it cover?" In a nutshell, the Conservation Fee helps cover the cost of treating and distributing water to our customers.

Like other water utility providers, TCVMD uses a tiered rate system. But if you look at other water providers' billing, they lump customers into a limited number of broad usage tiers. This means that those who use less for that range are still paying the same rate as those who consume the maximum amount of that range, and with broad ranges, the inequity can be significant. TCVMD's narrower tiers mean that our customers who don't use as much water are charged more equitably and in accordance with their actual usage.

For both Potable and Non-Potable water usage there is a Conservation Charge. Currently, the Potable Conservation Fee starts at 5,000 gallons of usage in a billing cycle, and the Non-Potable Conservation Fee starts at 10,000 gallons in the billing cycle. For most residential customers, the current Conservation Fees are as follows:

34 INCH TAP POTABLE:	RATE	34 INCH TAP IRRIGATION:	RATE
Up to 4,999 gallons	\$ 0.00	Up to 9,999 gallons	\$ 0.00
5,000 to 5,999 gallons	\$ 5.00	10,000 to 14,999 gallons	\$ 6.00
6,000 to 7,999 gallons	\$ 8.00	15,000 to 19,999 gallons	\$13.00
8,000 to 9,999 gallons	\$10.00	20,000 to 24,999 gallons	\$19.00
10,000 to 14,999 gallons	\$31.00	25,000 to 34,999 gallons	\$25.00
15,000 to 19,999 gallons	\$38.00	35,000 to 44,999 gallons	\$31.00
20,000 to 24,999 gallons	\$44.00	45,000 to 54,999 gallons	\$38.00
25,000 and over	\$50.00	55,000 to 64,999 gallons	\$44.00
		65,000 and over	\$50.00

The Conservation Fee is a flat dollar charge based on total usage during the period. 10,000 gallons of Potable usage would generate a \$31 conservation fee. Other meter sizes, as well as commercial fees can be found at www.ToddCreekVillage.org. As a reminder, TCVMD generates bills on the last day of each month, and those bills are due by the 15th day of the following month. Customers can sign up for electronic copies of bills, electronic payments, including auto pay, and submit questions via the website.

Transparency Notice: Board meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 2:00 pm via Zoom. The public is always welcome and encouraged to attend.

