

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of the Town of Orland, Indiana, shall hold a public hearing on January 12, 2026 at 6:45 p.m. in the Town of Orland, Indiana, Orland Community Building, 9535 SR 120, Orland, Indiana 46776, concerning proposed rates and charges for the use and availability of the Town's waterworks system inside and outside the Town of Orland, Indiana, payable by each person whose premises or property is made available or served by the waterworks system. An Ordinance has been introduced establishing just and equitable rates and charges for the services rendered by the waterworks system of the Town of Orland as follows:

Beginning with the January 2026 billing cycle, each person whose premises or property is made available and/or served by the Town waterworks shall pay the following rates and charges:

<u>Metered Rates per Month</u>	<u>Rate per 1,000 Gallons</u>
First 1,000 gallons	\$25.41
Next 4,000 gallons	\$ 6.35
Next 5,000 gallons	\$ 5.97
Next 10,000 gallons	\$ 5.84
All over 20,000 gallons	\$ 5.72

<u>Fire Protection Charges per Annum</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Hydrants 6" connection-per hydrant	\$505.00
Sprinklers 2" line-per line	\$ 350.00
4" line-per line	\$ 525.00
6" line-per line	\$ 880.00
8" line-per line	\$1,275.00

<u>Connection Charges</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Residential-Churches-Halls	\$ 307.75
Commercial	\$ 395.00
Industrial	\$1,755.00

Beginning with the January 2026 billing cycle, each person whose premises or property is made available and/or served by the Town waterworks shall pay a minimum charge in accordance with the following applicable size of meter installed for which the user will be entitled to the quantity of water set out in the above schedule of metered rates per month.

<u>Size of Meter Minimum Charge Per Month</u>	<u>Rate</u>
No meter	\$ 25.41
Up to a 3/4" meter	\$ 25.41
1" up to 2" meter	\$ 106.05
2" up to 4" meter	\$ 212.10
4" up to 6" meter	\$ 403.35
6" and larger meters	\$ 742.25

Beginning with the billing cycle hereinafter noted, each person whose premises or property is made available and/or served by the Town waterworks shall for the availability, use of, and/or service rendered by the waterworks system of the Town of Orland the following Hydrant Surcharges which remain unchanged:

<u>Hydrant Surcharge per Month</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Up to a 3/4" meter	\$ 7.08
1" up to 2" meter	\$ 17.70
2" up to 4" meter	\$ 56.65
4" up to 6" meter	\$112.11
6" and larger meters	\$206.49

Any users of the waterworks for services to property located outside the Town of Orland corporate boundaries may, following adoption of an ordinance establishing the fees and charges stated herein, may be entitled to petition the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission under I.C. §8-1.5-3-8.3 to review and adjust the rates and charges imposed on said users if a petition under I.C. §8-1.5-3-8.2 with respect to the same rate ordinance has not been filed.

All interested persons may be heard concerning proposed fees for the waterworks system of the Town of Orland. At such hearing, which may be adjourned from time to time, the Town Council, after considering all testimony, shall take final action on the ordinance establishing said rates and charges for the services rendered by the waterworks system of the Town of Orland. A copy of the introduced Ordinance is and a copy of the above proposed rates and charges is available for inspection at the Clerk-Treasurer's office at 6035 N State Road 327, Orland, Indiana 46776 during normal Town of Orland business hours.

Dated this 23rd day of December, 2025.

TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF
ORLAND, INDIANA

By: April Sanders, Clerk-Treasurer

Note: This Notice must be (i) published in *Herald Republican* one time (1x), at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing; (ii) mailed to owners of vacant or unimproved property if the ordinance establishing the rates and charges includes a fee for water to vacant or unimproved property; and (iii) mailed to users of the waterworks for service to property located outside the Town's corporate boundaries.