



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT WASTEWATER INVOICES!

- A volumetric rate of six dollars, eighty-two cents (\$6.82) for one thousand (1,000) gallons of metered water consumption shall be applied to all users of the wastewater facilities of the City May 1, 2016.
- There is a minimum charge of four dollars (\$4.00) per month to each user of the wastewater facilities of the City May 1, 2016. The minimum charge will be charged for every user regardless of whether they are present through the winter months, have no water usage, or have had their meter pulled since they are still connected to the sanitary sewer system. The minimum charge will automatically increase on May 1 by \$0.10 each year until the year of 2026.
- Invoices are generated monthly citywide.
- The previous read date and current read dates are located in the blue box on your bill. This indicates the metered water usage reported by IL-American Water that is used to calculate current wastewater charges.
- Winter averages will be allowed for those monthly customers classified as a residential home owner occupied user. The usage from the months of November through April will be averaged, and the lesser of this average or the actual metered usage during the summer billing period will be the amount charged for the summer billing period. If a customer has not been serviced for a full period, an average usage of 2,500 gallons per household will be used.
- Compute wastewater charges from your current Illinois-American Water bill as follows:
Gallons multiplied by \$6.82 then divided by 1,000 = Operational Charge
Operational Charge + \$4.00 minimum charge = total charge for that month
Example: 5,000 gallons
 $5,000 \times \$6.82 = 34,100/1,000 = \$34.10 + \$4.00 = \38.10
- **Go Green!** Sign up for electronic bill pay and receive invoices days faster than through US Mail. Visit www.ci.pekin.il.us and click on the “Pay Wastewater Bill Here” link. First time users may register and then add your individual utility account or multiple accounts!

Do you have questions or comments? We would like to hear from you.

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