

RICEVILLE UTILITY DISTRICT

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APRIL-JUNE 2017 NEWSLETTER

HOURS:

MON-FRI 8AM-4PM

PAYMENT METHOD:

CASH/CHECK/CREDIT CARD AT OFFICE-Drive-Thru/Night Drop SOUTHEAST BANK AND TRUST(B-4 15th)
 AUTO DRAFT(Drafted 7th)

METERS ARE READ BETWEEN 8TH AND THE 20TH OF EACH MONTH.

BILLS WILL BE MAILED TO CUSTOMERS BY THE LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH.

BILLS CAN BE PAID WITHOUT PENALTY UNTIL THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH, AFTER THE 15TH A 10% PENALTY WILL BE ADDED TO THE BILL.

ACCOUNTS OVER \$50 NOT PAID BEFORE THE 22ND OF EACH MONTH WILL BE SUBJECT TO BE DISCONTINUED (CUT OFF) AND A FEE OF \$50 WILL BE CHARGED FOR RECONNECTION.

COMMISSIONERS:

- RICK BROWN
- RON BANKS
- JEFF MELTON

Water Rates (as of 8/1/15)

Residential- Minimum Bill

\$24.49(+Tax) 2000 Gallons
 Over 2000 Gallons \$.49 Per 100 Gallons

Commercial-Multi Use-

Minimum Bill

\$31.37 (+Tax) 2000 Gallons
 Over 2000 Gallons \$.88 Per 100 Gallons

WISE WATER USE

OUTSIDE YOUR HOME

- Water your lawn wisely by:
 - Making the most of your watering in the early morning. As much as 30 percent of water can be lost to evaporation by watering during midday.
 - Planning for fewer, deep-soaking watering's to encourage deep root growth and stronger turf.
- Set your lawn mower one notch higher to make your lawn more drought-tolerant
- Use drip irrigation hoses to water plants.
- Use a broom instead of a hose to clean your sidewalk, driveway, or patio
- Plant appropriately for your local climate.

INSIDE YOUR HOME

- Run dishwashers and clothes washers only when they are full.
- Adjust the water level of your clothes washer so it matches your load size.
- Regularly check your toilet, faucets, and pipes for leaks. If you have a leak fix as soon as possible.
- Check your water meter before and after a one-hour period when not water is being used. If the meter changes at all you probably have a leak.
- Consider water and energy-efficient appliances
- Insulate exposed water pipes with pre-slit foam insulation. You'll enjoy hot water faster and avoid wasting water while it heats up.
- Turn off the tap while brushing your teeth or washing dishes in the sink

FIRE DEPARTMENT USAGE

JAN-MAR

RICEVILLE 21,800

IDLEWILD 2400

HILLSVIEW **NO REPORTS**

Monthly water reports by fire departments help RUD keep our State regulated unbilled water within requirements. We appreciate all the hard work these Fire districts do in protecting RUD customers and hope with the help of these reports RUD, under State Guidelines, will be able to continue helping provide water for these Districts.

REMINDERS

- Flushing 1-2pm Monday thru Friday.
- Keep all meters accessible for easy, accurate reading.
- Monthly meetings- 3rd Thursday at the office.
- Keep us informed with updated addresses and phone numbers for emergencies.



Know what's below.
Call before you dig.

Unrepaired Leaks can be Costly

Water Loss in Gallons		
Leak this Size	Loss per Day	Loss per Month
•	120	3,600
•	360	10,800
•	693	20,790
•	1,200	36,000
•	1,920	57,600
•	3,096	92,880
•	4,296	128,880
•	6,640	199,200
•	6,984	209,520
•	8,424	252,720
•	9,888	296,640
•	11,324	339,720
•	12,720	381,600
•	14,952	448,560

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