Water Utility Cost Presentation

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Water Service Pricing - Dayton for Trotwood

Water pricing set annually based on a Cost-of-Service Model

- Follows the "Utility Method" of rate setting as defined in:
 - > Principles of Water Rates, Fees, and Charges, Manual of Water Supply Practices, American Water Works Association M1, Seventh Edition, 2017.
- Under the Utility Method, costs are recovered through several components:
 - Operation and maintenance (O&M) expenses
 - Depreciation
 - > Rate of return on assets.

Other 2025 Cost of Service Model Parameters

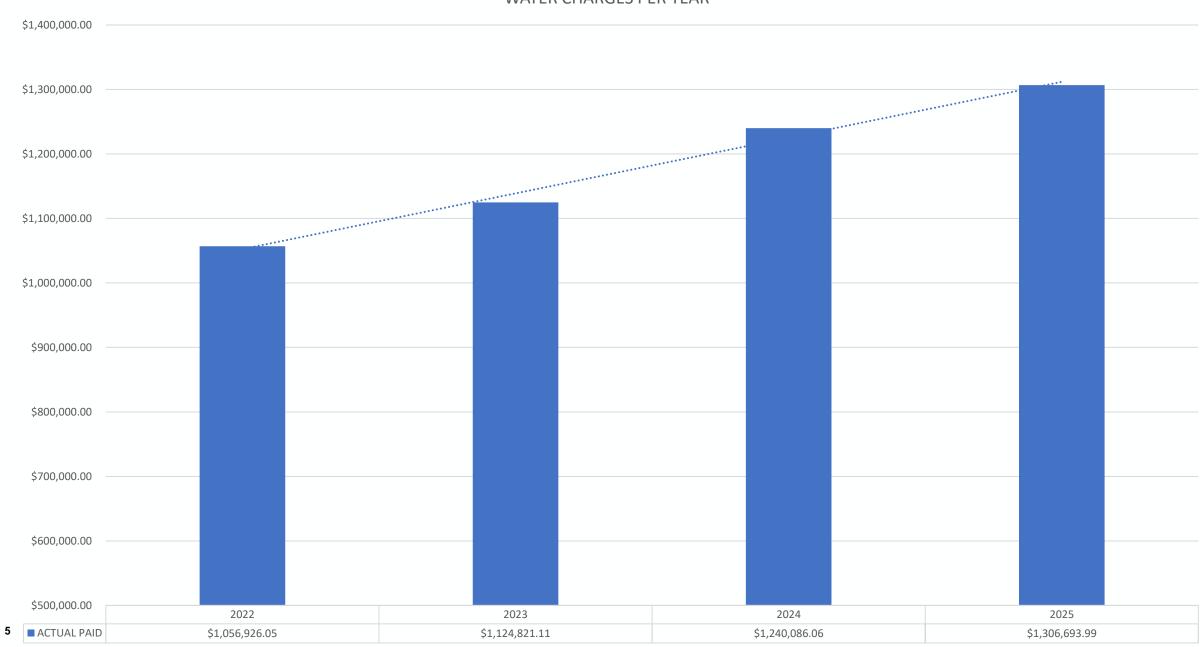
- Water demands are based on the average of the prior three years.
- O&M expenses are based on 2023 actual costs escalated to 2025.
- Capital costs are based on 2023 asset base and depreciation adjusted to 2025
- The cost of debt = 3.9%, equity return = 6.5%, WACC = 4.65%

Trotwood Water Rate Summary for 2025

Information provided by City of Dayton Water Department

	Model	% of	Trotwood	Trotwood	
	Calculated				
Description	FY 2025	Total	% of Total	Portion	
Billed Volume (CCF)					
Inside City	7,715,517	40.3%			
Outside City - Retail	432,921	2.3%	50.1%	216,842	
Outside City - Wholesale	33,837	0.2%			
Montgomery County	10,945,548	57.2%			
Total	19,127,823				
Base Charge Portion (Capital)					
Inside City	\$ 20,424,983	69.6%			
Outside City - Retail	462,206	1.6%	50.1%	\$231,655	
Outside City - Wholesale	20,339	0.1%			
Montgomery County	8,440,062	28.8%			
Total	\$ 29,347,590				
Volumetric Rate Portion (O&M)					
Inside City	\$ 23,896,689	56.4%			
Outside City - Retail	1,286,946	3.0%	50.6%	\$651,780	
Outside City - Wholesale	40,569	0.1%			
Montgomery County	17,142,458	40.5%			
Total	\$42,366,662				
Total Allocated Cost					
Inside City	\$42,858,660	61.0%			
Outside City - Retail	1,749,152	2.5%	50.5%	\$883,435	\$1,110,573 (
Outside City - Wholesale	60,707	0.1%			, , ,
Montgomery County	25,582,520	36.4%			
Total	\$70,251,039				
Trotwood Volumetric Rate (\$ / MCF)				\$30.06	
Trotwood Monthly Base Charge (\$)				19,305	
Equivalent Cost (\$ / MCF)				\$40.74	
Equivalent Cost (\$ / kgal)				, \$5.45	

WATER CHARGES PER YEAR



2025 WATER CHARGES COMPARISON CHART

