

BLOCK ISLAND WATER COMPANY
FISCAL YEAR 2027
SCHEDULE OF WATER FEES & CHARGES
Effective July 1, 2026

WATER USE CHARGES PER 1,000 GALLONS

January – April: \$18.69 May: \$23.37 June: \$30.38 July – August: \$42.06
September: \$30.38 October: \$23.37 November – December: \$18.69

RI Water Resource Board \$0.0292 per 100 gallons

RI sales tax on commercial accounts only: 7%

CUSTOMER INFRASTRUCTURE TAX

Determined annually on July 1st by:

- a) The total billed water usage of the previous calendar year, and
- b) The months the billed water usage occurred during the previous calendar year.

\$27.72/month. **Low Impact 1** - If the account has an annual usage of less than 73,000 gallons and less than 65% of that use occurs between June-September

\$46.47/month. **High Impact 1** - If the account has an annual usage of greater than or equal to 73,000 gallons and less than 65% of that use occurs between June-September

\$69.44/month. **Low Impact 2** - If the account has an annual usage of less than 73,000 gallons and greater than or equal to 65% of that use occurs between June-September

\$115.73/month. **High Impact 2** - If the account has an annual usage of greater than or equal to 73,000 gallons and greater than or equal to 65% of that use occurs between June-September

Over Usage Penalty Charge: July thru September, \$55.00/1,000 gallons over account allocation

Sprinkler Service \$2,546.62 per annum

Fire Flow Test \$ 150.00 per occurrence

Hydrants \$1,200.00 per annum

Water Allocation \$47.44 per gallon per day, paid in

* Special consideration for accounts with allocation over 20,000 gallons for the third quarter of an additional \$6.97 per gallon per day

Accounts are payable by the end of the month in which the bill is received.

Interest – 18% per annum, charged 1.5% monthly on accounts unpaid by end of month.

WATER RESTRICTION PENALTIES

First offense: Shall be a warning

Second offense: \$250.00 fine

For each offense after: \$500.00 fine

Repeat violations may warrant the suspension of water service to the violator's premise.

OTHER WATER CHARGES

Seasonal Meter \$ 50.00 per turn on/off service/add \$150.00 after 3:30pm

Backflow Device Test \$ 95.00 per test

Meter Testing/Reading \$ 35.00 per on-site visit

Frozen Meter \$ 50.00 per event plus cost of meter & parts

New Account \$ 35.00 per connection plus cost of parts; we supervise

Installation Permit Fee \$ 35.00 each for domestic service

Inspection Fee \$ 75.00 per connection per visit/\$2.50 per foot for fire service

Tapping Fees (Water) 1" tap is \$800.00/2" tap is \$1,200.00 plus material and excavation costs

Property Transfer Meter Reading \$100.00 per meter reading

ENGINEERING PLAN REVIEW: Price determined by engineer's invoice