

Proposed water rates

The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department is expected to release rates by communities at a meeting today. Rates are expected to increase an average of 8.5 percent throughout the region.

Rate per 1,000 cubic feet of water

Community	Existing* 2011-2012	Proposed* 2012-2013	Percentage change	Community	Existing 2011-2012	Proposed 2012-2013	Percentage change
Allen Park	\$12.19	\$13.23	8.6%	Novi	\$27.96	\$29.18	4.4%
Ash Township	12.78	13.87	8.5	Oak Park	8.59	9.37	9
Auburn Hills	20.7	22.41	8.3	Oakland Co. Drain Comm.	5.77	6.18	7.1
Belleville	13.7	14.68	7.2	Orion Township	24.38	26.79	9.9
Berlin Township	19.14	20.76	8.5	Plymouth	14.97	16.18	8.1
Brownstown Township	18.16	19.62	8	Plymouth Township	23.57	17.86	-24.2
Canton Township	21.93	23.75	8.3	Pontiac	12.46	14.82	18.9
Center Line	9.44	10.13	7.4	Redford Township	11.7	12.64	8
Chesterfield Township	17.36	18.93	9	River Rouge	8.51	8.68	2
Clinton Township	11.35	12.4	9.2	Riverview	14.76	15.89	7.6
Commerce Township	34.81	36.12	3.8	Rochester Hills	24.1	26.04	8.1
Dearborn	10.9	11.84	8.6	Rockwood	14.35	15.53	8.2
Dearborn Heights	11.2	12.18	8.7	Romeo	21.35	20.68	3.1
Eastpointe	8.61	9.3	8	Romulus	11.87	12.73	7.3
Ecorse	7.83	7.86	0.4	Roseville	8.55	9.24	8.1
Farmington	13.1	14.2	8.4	Royal Oak Township	12.84	13.3	3.6
Farmington Hills	22.63	24.42	7.9	SOCWA	12.31	13.41	8.9
Ferndale	9.12	9.6	5.2	Shelby Township	23.64	24.82	5
Flat Rock	13.56	13.72	1.2	South Rockwood	14.46	15.53	7.4
Flint	17.53	19.12	9.1	Southgate	12.3	13.28	8
Fraser	12.33	13.38	8.5	Sterling Heights	15.37	16.74	8.9
Garden City	13.42	14.52	8.2	St. Clair County - Greenwood	30.04	32.97	9.8
Gibraltar	16.05	17.83	11.1	St. Clair County - Burtchville Twp.	21.17	27.49	29.9
Greater Lapeer C.U.A.	19.74	21.34	8.1	St. Clair Shores	9.01	9.78	8.5
Grosse Ile Township	19.15	20.56	7.4	Sumpter Township	17.34	15.27	-11.9
Grosse Pt. Park	14.33	15.94	11.3	Sylvan Lake	19.85	23.14	16.6
Grosse Pt. Shores	18.40	23.71	28.9	Taylor	10.14	11.04	8.8
Grosse Pt. Woods	12.07	13.23	9.6	Trenton	14.27	15.74	10.3
Hamtramck	8.24	8.79	6.7	Troy	16.27	17.62	8.3
Harper Woods	11.87	11.65	-1.9	Utica	13.93	15.07	8.2
Harrison Township	12.06	13.62	12.9	Van Buren Township	13.25	17.02	28.5
Hazel Park	11.58	10.11	-12.7	Walled Lake	17.91	19.29	7.7
Huron Township	19.11	20.77	8.7	Warren	11.67	12.7	8.9
Inkster	10.9	12.32	13	Washington Township	24.37	26.42	8.4
Keego Harbor	18.10	19.43	7.3	Wayne	13.93	15.24	9.4
Lenox Twp.	13.8	14.73	6.7	West Bloomfield Township	26.93	29.18	8.4
Lincoln Park	12.39	13.46	8.6	Westland	14.23	15.43	8.4
Livonia	16.49	17.95	8.9	Woodhaven	18.54	20.16	8.7
Macomb Township	21.79	23.78	9.1	Ypsilanti Comm. Util. Auth.	13.67	14.86	8.7
Madison Heights	8.91	9.44	6	Wixom	17.66	19.06	7.9
Melvindale	9.46	10.2	7.8	Average Wholesale**	15.74	16.98	7.8
New Haven	16.96	17.07	0.7				
Northville	15.95	17.27	8.3				
Northville Township	27.57	29.83	8.2				

*Reflects example unit costs - NOT existing or proposed commodity charges.

**Expressed in terms of effective existing unit costs at time new rate proposals were made.

Greater Lapeer County Utilities Authority: Village of Almont; Imlay City, Lapeer, Elba, Goodland, Imlay Township, Lapeer Township, Oregon Township, Mayfield Township

Oakland County Drain Commission: Bloomfield Hills, Bingham Farms, Franklin Village, Highland Township, Lyon Township, Oakland Township, Orchard Lake, Oxford Township, Springfield Township, White Lake Township, Wolverine Lake

Ypsilanti Community Utility Authority: Ypsilanti, Charter Township of Ypsilanti, Pittsfield Township, Augusta Township, Sumpter Township and Superior Township

Southeastern Oakland County Water Authority (SOCWA): Berkley, Beverly Hills, Bingham Farms, Birmingham, Clawson, Huntington Woods, Lathrup Village, Pleasant Ridge, Royal Oak, Southfield, Southfield Township