

## Notice of Upcoming Water Rate and Monthly Meter Service Charge Adjustment

Dear Valued Customer.

We would like to inform you that effective January 1, 2026, the water rate and monthly meter service charge will each increase by 10%. This adjustment represents the first rate increase in five years and follows the completion of a comprehensive Water Rate Study conducted to evaluate the financial sustainability of our water system. Based on this study the El Jardin WSC Board of Directors voted to adjust our current rates. The rate increase will affect each rate class differently based on meter size and water consumption. (See Rate Tables on the reverse side)

Over the past several years, we have worked hard to maintain stable rates while continuing to deliver safe, reliable, and high-quality water service. However, rising costs associated with **system maintenance, infrastructure improvements, regulatory compliance, and operational expenses** have made this adjustment necessary to ensure the continued sustainability of our water system.

The revenue generated from this rate adjustment will be used to maintain and improve aging infrastructure and ensure reliable service for all customers.

We understand that any increase impacts our customers, and we want to assure you that this decision was made carefully and only after a thorough review of our system's financial needs.

If you have any questions regarding this change, please contact our office at (956) 831-9981.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support as we work to serve you better. We value your business, and we are committed to making sure you continue to receive exceptional service and support.

Sincerely,

Jessica Sanchez General Manager El Jardin Water Supply Corporation



## **RATE TABLES**

## **Monthly Meter Service Charge**

Meter Size	Current Rate	New Rate With 10% Increase
5/8" X 3/4" Meter	\$28.04	\$30.84
3/4" Meter	\$42.06	\$46.27
1" Meter	\$70.11	\$77.12
1 1/2" Meter	\$140.20	\$154.22
2" Meter	\$224.32	\$246.75
3" Meter	\$490.71	\$539.78

## **Charge Per Thousand Gallons**

Service Rate	Current Rate	New Rate With 10% Increase
1-10,000 Gal	\$3.97 / 1,000 Gal	\$4.37 / 1,000 Gal
10,001-20,000 Gal	\$4.21 / 1,000 Gal	\$4.63 / 1,000 Gal
20,001 + Gal	\$5.54 / 1,000 Gal	\$6.09 / 1,000 Gal
High Volume Gal	\$4.55 / 1,000 Gal	\$5.01 / 1,000 Gal