

Serrano Water District Fee and Charge Study - October 2026

Fee	Labor (hr)	Rate (\$/hr)	Material (\$)	Service (\$)	Total (\$)	Comments
Water Capacity Fees						
1-1/2 Inch Meter	-	-	-	-	\$ 3,314.00	Cost are based on the capital cost of Well No. 6. The new well is estimated to cost \$8,000,000. The capacity of Well No. 6 is 3,000 gpm. 2,300 gpm, which is equal to the capacity of the existing well, is designated for reliability of existing customers. 700 gpm or 23.3% of the well is designated for future connections. 700 gpm can support approximately 1,100 3/4" meters. This is equivalent to \$1,657 per 3/4" meter. The costs for larger meters were calculated using the Meter Capacity Ratios developed in the Serrano Water District 2026 Rate Study.
2 Inch Meter	-	-	-	-	\$ 5,302.00	
3 Inch Meter	-	-	-	-	\$ 10,605.00	
4 Inch Meter	-	-	-	-	\$ 16,570.00	
6 Inch Meter	-	-	-	-	\$ 33,140.00	
Customer Service Fees						
Credit card payment of water bills	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5.25	\$ 5.25	Service fee from vendor. Customer pays this directly to payment vendor.
Notice of Discontinuance (Door hanger for water bill delinquency)	0.2	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 18.93	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, hang door hanger, and return to headquarters.
Re-establish water service during business hours	0.75	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 71.00	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, turn water on, and return to headquarters.
Re-establish water service after business hours	0.75	\$ 141.99	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 106.49	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, turn water on, and return to headquarters. (includes overtime labor rate)
Returned checks and rejected ACH payments	0.5	\$ 86.27		\$ 10.00	\$ 53.14	Labor to notify customer and account for returned payment plus the service fee charged by the bank.
Tampering with District locks	1	\$ 94.66	\$ 60.00	\$ -	\$ 154.66	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, replace the lock, and return to headquarters plus the cost of a master keyed pad lock.
Water Meter Re-Read	0.25	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23.67	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, read meter, and return to headquarters.
High Water Use Inspection	1	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 94.66	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, perform inspection, and return to headquarters.
Fire Flow Testing	2	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 189.32	Labor to perform the fire flow test
Meter testing (fee refunded if meter over registers)	1	\$ 94.66	\$ -	\$ 65.00	\$ 159.66	Labor included to equip vehicle, drive to location, replace meter, and return to headquarters plus the cost to test the meter.