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## Notice of Rate Increase

As many of our long time members are aware, there have been very minimal rate increases over the last 6 years despite the cost of operations rising each year. During the last rate increase in 2019, it was decided to change the base rate only, while leaving the tiers the same as they have been since 2015. After much discussion, and very careful consideration, the Board of Directors have voted to increase rates in an effort to offset the rising costs of operations. This Board has seen many improvements to our water system over their time of service, and have been able to maintain a healthy revenue at a minimal cost to our members. With the drastic growth in our area, in such a short time frame, and the construction of a new well to ensure adequate capacity, the rate increase is needed to ensure that Cross Country WSC can continue to maintain and sustain the water resources upon which you rely.

The breakdown of this rate increase is outlined below:

**New Meter Cost:** (*Effective Immediately*) The cost of a new meter will be changing from the current rate of \$5,000 to \$6,500. This is in response to, not only the rising cost of materials and labor to install new meters, but also, the rising cost in administrative, legal, and engineering expenses. \*last increase January 2003.

### Rate Increases Effective January 2022 billing cycle:

Current Base Rate (0 Gallons)	New Base Rate (0 Gallons)
\$33.00	\$45.00

\*last increase October, 2019

Tier Breakdown	Current Water Usage Rates (Per 1,000 Gallons)	New Water Usage Rates (Per 1,000 Gallons)
0-15,000 Gallons	\$3.00	\$3.50
15,001-30,000 Gallons	\$3.50	\$4.75
30,001-45-000	\$5.25	\$6.75
45,000+	\$8.25	\$9.75

\*last increase January, 2015

Current Reconnect Fee	New Reconnect Fee
\$50.00	\$100.00

\*last increase January, 2003

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office and we will be happy to assist you.