

**APPENDIX C**

**SUMMARY OF FIRE PROTECTION PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN WATER  
UTILITY RATE SCHEDULES**

Utility	Fire Hydrant Regulation	Fire Hydrant Charge	Fire Sprinkler Charge	Minimum Monthly Charge With Commodity Component	Disclaimer of Liability for Fire Protection	Free Water Service for Fire Fighting Purpose	Notes
Adair County Water District	X			X			
Allen County Water District	X		X	X	X	X	Sprinklers metered.
Alton Water and Sewer District	X			X	X		
Auxler Water Company, Inc.				X	X	X	
Bandana Water District				X			
Barkley Lake Water District							
Bath County Water District	X	X		X			Monthly charge of \$10. Customer bears cost of installation and maintenance.
Beaver-Elkhorn Water District				X			
Beech Grove Water System, Inc.				X			
Berea College, Office of Utilities	X	X		X			Monthly charge of \$12 for public and private hydrants Monthly fee (\$41 - \$90) for sprinkler line. Charge for water used. Public hydrants once installed become property of the utility.
Big Sandy Water District				X			
Black Mountain Utility District				X			
Boone County Water District	X			X			Fire hydrant handled by special contract. Fire fighters permitted to withdraw water from system, but no reporting requirements.
Bracken County Water District				X	X	X	
Bronston Water Association, Inc.				X			
Buffalo Trail Water Association				X			
Bullock Pen Water District				X	X	X	
Butler County Water System, Inc.	X			X	X	X	Customer bears cost of installation and maintenance of public and private hydrants. Limit of 4 hours of water service without charge. Any service connection that involves fire protection facilities is a non-standard service. All fire service lines shall be metered.
Caldwell County Water District		X		X	X	X	Tariff provides for monthly charge for sprinklers but none stated. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Sprinklers exempted from metering requirements.
Cannonsburg Water District				X			
Carroll County Water District No. 1			X	X			Fee of \$25.00 assessed to all businesses with sprinkler systems.
Cawood Water District				X			

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Center Ridge Water District, Inc.							Flat monthly fee for use/je.
Christian County Water District				X			
Consumers Water District				X			
Cool Waterworks, Inc.							
Corinth Water District	X			X		X	
Crittenden/Livingston County	X			X			
Cumberland County Water District				X			
Cumberland Falls Highway	X	X	X	X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Monthly charge of \$15 for each private hydrant or for sprinkler fire protection.
Cunningham Water District				X		X	Customer bears cost of installation of fire hydrant. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Monthly charge of \$15 for hydrants.
Dewitt Water District <sup>2</sup>	X	X		X	X		Customer bears cost of installation of fire hydrant. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Monthly charge of \$15 for hydrants.
Dexter-Alno Heights Water District	X			X	X	X	Tariff provides for monthly charge for sprinklers but none stated. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Sprinklers exempted from metering requirements.
Doe Valley Association, Inc.				X			Tariff permits the assessment of \$4.50 availability fee.
East Casey County Water District				X		X	All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Backflow preventer required for fire connection. Sprinkler and fire service classified as non-standard service that requires aspecial user agreement.
East Clark County Water District				X			
East Daviess County Water				X			Tariff prohibits the use of water for fire protection
East Knox County Water District <sup>2</sup>	X	X		X			Customer bears cost of installation of fire hydrant. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Monthly charge of \$15 for hydrants. Fire services exempted from metering requirement.
East Laurel Water District				X	X		
East Logan Water District Inc.				X		X	All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Backflow preventer required for fire connection.
East Pendeton Water District				X			

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Edmonson County Water District	X			X	X	X	Private fire hydrants may be used only to fill fire trucks. No other purpose permitted. Cost of installation borne by customer.
Eik Lake Water Company				X			
Elkhorn Water District				X	X		
Estill County Water District No. 1				X			
Fancy Farm Water District				X			
Farmdale Water District	X			X	X		Tariff provides that system hydrants are for flushing purposes only.
Fern Lake Company				X			
Fleming County Water Association,	X			X	X		Tariff provides that system hydrants are for flushing purposes only.
Fountain Run Water District No. 1				X			
Francis Water Company	X			X	X		
Gallatin County Water District				X			
Garrard County Water Association,	X	X		X	X	X	Annual fire hydrant charge of \$50 per hydrant. Private fire hydrant service is prohibited. Public entities may request public fire hydrants, must bear total cost of equipment and installation. Annual maintenance fee must be paid in advance
Garrison-Cuincy-Ky-O-Heights Goshen Utilities, Inc.				X			
Grayson County Water District	X			X	X	X	Customer bears cost of installation and maintenance of public and private hydrants. Limit of 4 hours of water service without charge. Charge for water service in event of fires is to owner of structure. Fire departments must bear record of usage. Hydrants will be used solely for fire fighting. Fire hydrants considered non-standard use. (Metering not required.)
Green Hills Water District	X			X			
Green River Valley Water District	X			X	X	X	
Green-Taylor Water District				X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility.
Hardeman Water District				X	X		
Hardin County Water District No. 1		X		X			Annual fire hydrant charge of \$50 per hydrant.

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Hardin County Water District No. 2	X	X	X	X	X	X	Tariff acknowledges that WD can provide fire protection in certain portions of system. Special contract required for private connection to these portions of system. Fire hydrant charge or other connection to system for fire protection purpose is on a negotiated fee basis. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Fire hydrant connection fee of \$350.
Harrison County Water Association	X	X		X	X		Separate rate for metered services of volunteer fire departments. Sprinkler systems exempted from metering requirements and are charged a flat monthly fee based upon size of tap. Approved sprinkler systems exempted from metering requirements and are charged a flat monthly fee based upon size of service line.
Henderso County Water District	X		X	X	X	X	Hydrants are for flushing purposes only Installation of fire hydrants in new real estate subdivision developments is prohibited.
Hendron Water District			X	X			
Henry County Water District No. 2	X			X	X		
Hickory Water District				X			
Hyden-Leslie County Water District				X			
Jackson County Water Association,	X			X	X	X	
Jessamine County Water District No. 1	X	X	X	X	X		Fire sprinkler service billed according to rates for 1-inch service (\$26.40 per month -- includes 5,000 gallons of water). Fire hydrant charge is \$16.70 per month or \$200 annually. Fire protection service disclaimed on all lines that do not meet PSC fire hydrant standards. Installation of detector check valve required for fire sprinkler systems. Customer must pay the cost of actual water used by sprinkler.
Jessamine-South Elkhorn Water District	X			X	X	X	Customer pays actual cost of installation of fire hydrant. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Customer must execute contract for sprinkler or hydrant service. Fee is not set forth in tariff. Provisions regarding fire hydrant and fire sprinkler service set forth in form contract.
Jonathan Creek Water District					X		Monthly charge without commodity component. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility.
Judy Water Association, Inc.				X			

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Kentucky-American Water Company	X	X	X		X	X	Monthly charge without commodity component. Customer bears cost of installation and maintenance of public and private hydrants. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Fees differ for public/private fire protection. (\$24 per month vs. \$36 per month). Cost of water for fire fighting purposes is included in fire hydrant fee. Monthly service charge for each fire protection service connection based upon size of connection (\$4 - \$255).
Kingston-Terrill Water District <sup>s</sup>			X	X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Sprinkler fees a monthly fee based upon the number of sprinkler heads. Fire connections must have back flow preventers.
Kirkville Water Association, Inc.	X			X		X	Hydrants for line flushing purposes only, but may be used to fill fire trucks.
Knott County Water & Sewer District				X		X	
Lake Village Water Association, Inc.				X			
Larue County Water District No. 1	X			X			Use of fire hydrants by fire departments permitted. Tariff silent on cost or reporting requirements.
Laurel County Water District No. 2	X			X	X		WD does not recognize any lines as adequate to provide fire flows, but reserves the right to assess a nominal fee for fire service connections. All hydrants once installed become property of the utility.
Ledbetter Water District	X			X	X	X	All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Fire sprinkler systems are exempted from metering. Tariff provides for assessment of monthly charge, but no charge established.
Levee Road Water Association, Inc.				X			
Lovellaceville Water Company				X			
Lyon County Water District				X			
Madison County Utility District							
Magoffin County Water District				X			
Marion County Water District		X		X			Fire hydrant fee (non-metered 6-inch connection) assessed a monthly fee of \$7.50.
Martin County Water District	X			X	X	X	All hydrants once installed become property of the utility.

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McCreary County Water District		X	X	X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Backflow preventer required for fire protection connections. Special agreement for fire hydrant or sprinkler system required. Form contract provides for negotiated fee for hydrant or sprinkler service.
McKinney Water District				X	X		Backflow preventer required for fire protection connections. All hydrants are for flushing purposes only. Fire district or fire department responsible for
Meade County Water District				X		X	
Milburn Water District				X			
Monroe County Water District	X			X	X		Hydrants are for flushing purposes only and are not intended for use as fire protection.
Montgomery County Water District No. 1				X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Backflow preventer required for fire protection connections.
Morgan County Water District	X			X	X		Hydrants are for flushing purposes only and are not intended for use as fire protection.
Mountain Water District			X				Monthly sprinkler or fire protection connection fee based upon size of connection (\$12.50 - \$50.00). Installation charge for each fire hydrant is \$1,380. Monthly fire hydrant charge of \$12.5). All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Backflow preventer required for fire protection connections. Special user Agreement required for fire protection service.
Mud Creek Water District				X		X	
Muhlenberg County Water District	X			X	X	X	Fire hydrant installation charge of \$2,667.
Muhlenberg County Water District No. 3	X			X	X	X	Utility acknowledges ability to provide fire service tows in limited areas, but disclaims for all others.
Murray No. 2 Water District				X			
Murray No. 3 Water District				X			
Nebo Water District	X			X	X		All hydrants are for flushing purposes only. Fire departments may use these hydrants. Subsequent tariff sheet allows addition of fire hydrants where pressures and fire flows exist. Customer bears cost of installation.

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Nicholas County Water District	X			X			Location, installation, ownership, and responsibility for maintenance are subject to negotiation. Applicant for fire hydrant service must pay the cost of installation.
North Hopkins Water District				X			
North Logan Water District No. 1				X			
North Manchester Water Association,	X			X	X		Hydrants may only be used for flushing purposes.
North Marshall Water District					X		Minimum charge has no commodity component. Utility makes no guarantee of water pressures for fire service.
North McLean County Water District				X			
North Mercer Water District	X			X		X	Tariff requires the use of collapsible hoses when connecting to any hydrant.
North Nelson Water District				X			
North Sheby Water Company	X		X	X	X		Monthly fire protection charge equal to \$,0075 per sq. ft. of sprinklered space. Fire protection service disclaimed; Customer must provide protection on site by using means other than utility's distribution mains.
Northeast Woodford County Water		X		X			Unmetered fire service connections permitted upon application. Utility will contract with fire departments for fire protection service. Customers located near hydrants will paid a prorated charge for annual fire hydrant rental. Non-customers will be debited on utility books and assessed fee when applying for water service. Yearly rental fee is not specified.
Northern Kentucky Water District	X		X	X		X	WD assumes labor costs for installation of public fire hydrants. WD's tariff establishes responsibilities for FDs. Utility responsible for public hydrants' maintenance, supplying gaskets and parts to FDs. Cost of installation of public hydrants assumed by FD or property owners or real estate subdivision developers. Water to FD for emergencies/emergency prevention at no charge. Backflow preventers required. Private fire protection, including sprinklers, require a regular meter or a fire line by-pass meter. If any water usage indicated on by-pass meter, monthly minimum usage will be charged.



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Ohio County Water District	X			X	X	X	All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Fire sprinkler systems are exempted from metering. Tariff provides for assessment of monthly charge, but no charge established. Location installation, ownership, and responsibility for maintenance are subject to negotiation. Applicant for fire hydrant service must pay the cost of installation.
Oldham County Water District				X	X		
Overland Development, Inc.							
Parksville Water District				X	X		Customer responsible for maintenance of hydrants that it installs. Hydrants are to be used for flushing purposes only.
Peaks Mill Water District				X	X		
Pendleton County Water District	X			X	X		All fire lines must be metered for the purpose of monitoring usage. No charge will be assessed for water used for fire protection purposes. No monthly minimum will be assessed.
Powell's Valley Water District				X	X		Hydrants are for flushing purposes only. Customer may request the installation of a flushing hydrant. Once installed, the hydrant becomes WD property.
Rattlesnake Ridge Water District				X			
Reid Village Water District				X	X		Hydrants are for flushing purposes only
Rockcastle County Water Association				X			
Rowan Water, Inc.				X			
Sandy Hook Water District		X		X			Annual fire hydrant rental fee of \$48.
Sandy Valley Water District				X			
Sedalia Water District				X			
Sharpsburg Water District				X			
Simpson County Water District	X			X	X	X	WD will install fire hydrants for cost of installation. Limit of 4 hours of water service without charge. Any service connector that involves fire protection facilities is a non-standard service. All fire service lines shall be metered.
South 641 Water District				X			
South Anderson Water District				X			Fire hydrants considered non-standard service.

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South Graves County Water District				X	X		Hydrants are for flushing purposes only.
South Hopkins Water District				X			
South Logan Water Association, Inc.				X			
South Shore Water Works Company	X	X		X	X		Public and private fire hydrants permitted. All public hydrants will be furnished and installed by utility. All hydrants are for flushing purposes only. Monthly hydrant charge of \$10.45.
South Woodford Water District				X			Tariff states that WD will contract with others for fire protection service. No discussion of fees or rules.
Southeast Daviess County Water			X	X			Monthly fee for sprinkler service is based upon size of the connection (\$12-\$75).
Southeastern Water Association, Inc.	X			X	X		Installation of fire hydrants is at applicant's expense. Private fire hydrant service is not provided.
Southern Madison Water District				X			
Southern Mason County Water		X		X	X		Monthly fire hydrant fee is \$.50 for city of Mayslick. Monthly fire hydrant fee for all outside the city of Mayslick is \$5.00. Hydrants are solely for the purpose of flushing.
Southside Water Association, Inc.				X			Utility may contract to install and maintain hydrants and lines for fire protection. Use of such facilities is limited to fire protection and training.
Spears Water Company, Inc.	X			X	X		Once installed, the hydrant becomes WD property. Special and fire service connections must have backflow preventers. Special contracts required for hydrant and sprinkler service. Provisions for hydrant service contained in special contract. Form is part of tariff. Utility will follow requirements of the city of Nicholasville. Annual service charges are set out in contract, not in filed tariff.
Symsonia Water District				X			Customer bears the cost of installation of hydrant. Special and fire service connections must have backflow preventers.
Todd County Water District	X			X	X		Once installed, the hydrant becomes WD property. Hydrants are for flushing purposes only.
Tri-Village Water District				X	X	X	Hydrants are intended for flushing purposes only.

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Trimble County Water District No. 1	X			X	X		WD does not provide private fire hydrant service. FDs may contract for public fire hydrant. Customer bears cost of installation and equipment.
Turner Water System							Flat monthly fee for service.
U. S. 60 Water District of Shelby,	X			X	X		Hydrants are intended for flushing purposes only.
Union County Water District				X			
Utilities of Kentucky, Inc.	X			X			Fire services will not be metered. Tariff refers to monthly charge for fire service, but is silent on amount.
Waco Water District <sup>2</sup>				X		X	
Warren County Water District	X			X	X	X	WD will install fire hydrants for cost of installer. Limit of 4 hours of water service without charge. Any service connection that involves fire protection facilities is a non-standard service. All fire service lines shall be
Webster County Water District				X			
West Carrol Water District	X			X	X		WD does not provide private fire protection service. Public FDs bear the full cost of installation of hydrants.
West Daviess County Water			X				Minimum monthly rate with no commodity component. Monthly charge for fire protection services ranges from \$12 to \$75 based upon size of connection.
West Laurel Water Association, Inc.				X	X		
West McCracken County Water			X				Minimum monthly rate with no commodity component. Sprinkler systems are not metered. Monthly sprinkler fee ranges from \$20 to \$40 and is based upon size of pipe connection. No free water is provided.
West Shelby Water District	X		X	X	X		All hydrants once installed become property of the utility. Annual sprinkler fee of \$300 plus actual water usage. Service to private sprinkler systems will be unmetered. Back flow preventer must be installed. Fire flow area are assessed a fire flow protection charge of \$.0015 per sq. ft. of building space.
Western Fleming County Water				X			

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Western Lewis-Rectorville Water	X			X	X	X	WD will install fire hydrants for cost of installation. Limit of 4 hours of water service without charge. Any service connection that involves fire protection facilities is a non-standard service. All fire service connections must be metered. Hydrants are installed primarily for flushing purposes
Western Mason County Water	X			X	X		Utility may contract to install and maintain hydrants and lines for fire protection. Use of such facilities is limited to fire protection and training.
Western Rockcastle Water				X			
White Hall Water District <sup>1</sup>		X		X			Annual hydrant fee of \$50.
Whitley County Water District No. 1				X			
Wood Creek Water District				X	X		

1 Beaver Creek-Elkton Water District and Mud Creek Water District have merged to become Southern Water and Sewer District

2 Dewitt Water District and East Knox County Water District have merged to become Knox County Utility Commission.

3 Have merged to form Madison County Utility District.