

Buckeye Lake Village Water Department

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Notice

Dear Water Customers,

On January 22, 2018, the Village of Buckeye Lake Council adopted a five-year schedule of rates as recommended by the RCAP rate study. These rates will become effective on your April 2018 bill.

The office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel (OCC), the residential utility consumer advocate, recommends that consumers consider ways to reduce water usage. Reducing usage can help to save money on water bills.

We would like to encourage you to look at the following:

- Rate structure listed with example at the bottom of this page.
- **Take this time to check for leaks in your home.** A small leak may not look like a problem, but you could be paying unnecessarily for many gallons of wasted water each month. Go to <http://ow.ly/QCBCY> for a drip calculator.
- Please review your daily water usage for possible ways to conserve water resources.

“Fix a Leak Week” March 19-25, 2018

“Fix a Leak Week is an opportunity to engage Ohioans in their water usage by encouraging awareness,” said PUCO chairman Andre T. Porter. “By finding and fixing leaks in and around the home, consumers can use water more efficiently and save money on water and energy bills.”

For more information and water saving ideas please visit www.epa.gov/watersense/fixaleak.

5 year rate schedule:

<u>WATER RATES</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>April 2018</u>	<u>Jan 2019</u>	<u>Jan 2020</u>	<u>Jan 2021</u>	<u>Jan 2022</u>
Minimum monthly water bill (FIRST 2,000 GALLONS)	\$31.50	\$35.25	\$36.14	\$37.07	\$38.02	\$39.01
Each Additional 1,000 Gallons	\$ 6.50	\$ 9.95	\$10.45	\$10.70	\$11.00	\$11.30

<u>Residential Bill Example:</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>Commercial Bill Example:</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>2018</u>
Average monthly usage	4,500	4,500	Average Monthly usage	15,000	15,000
Minimum monthly bill	\$31.50	\$35.25	Minimum monthly bill	\$63.00	\$70.50
Additional water cost	\$16.25	\$24.88	Additional water cost	\$71.50	\$109.45
Monthly Bill	\$47.75	\$60.13	Monthly Bill	\$134.50	\$179.90

If you have any questions, please contact the Buckeye Lake Water Department: 740-928-7100.