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Gainesville Regional Utilities (GRU) is hereby submitting proposed tariff sheet revisions for approval by the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC). GRU is submitting one copy of the proposed tariff revisions in legislative format and three (3) copies of the proposed tariff sheets in final form. The new rates would become effective as of October 1, 2008.

A list of the existing tariff sheets that are affected by the proposed revisions and the corresponding revised tariff sheets is provided below. The changes being presented reflect increases to activation charges (turn-on charges) and a decrease to the late fee to more accurately reflect the cost of these services.

Current Sheet

Ninth Revised Sheet No. 1.0
Sixth Revised Sheet No. 4.6
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 4.71

Proposed Sheet

Tenth Revised Sheet No. 1.0
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 4.6
Fifth Revised Sheet No. 4.71

Please feel free to contact me at (352) 393-1282 if you have any questions, comments or require additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Wilson
Managing Utility Analyst

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GAINESVILLE REGIONAL UTILITIES
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Ninth Revised Sheet No. 1.0
Replaces
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 1.0

ELECTRIC DOCUMENTATION

GAINESVILLE REGIONAL UTILITIES

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- (f) Any previous balance not paid in fully by the close of business on the seventh (7th) day after being rendered shall be reported to the general manager for utilities or his/her designee, who may thereupon discontinue all service. After disconnection, no services shall be restored until the customer makes arrangements satisfactory to the general manager for utilities or his/her designee to pay all required payments.

Appendix A, UTILITIES (6)b. SERVICE CHARGES.

- 8. Late fee for combined monthly statement (27-14(e)).....\$1.00
(or one and one-half (1 ½) percent of the previous balance amount, whichever is greater)

Sec. 27-14.1. SAME-SEPARATE SERVICES.

If the city is furnishing two (2) or more of the same utility services under separate applications to the same premises, each customer involved shall be treated separately and billed accordingly.

Sec. 27.14.2 SAME-CONSUMPTION DETERMINATION; ESTIMATE OF CONSUMPTION WHEN METERS FAIL TO REGISTER.

- (a) The city shall endeavor to have each customers' meter or meters read at approximately monthly intervals to determine the billed consumption.
 - (1) Electric. Electric meters measure the amount of energy used in kilowatts over predetermine intervals (15 minutes, 30 minutes, 60 minutes, etc.). The measurements are accumulated by the meter to indicate the amount of energy consumed over the billing period in kilowatt-hours and/or the billing demand in kilowatts. The meter reading(s) taken during the current billing period and the resulting measurement(s) shall be disclosed on the combined monthly statement.
 - (2) Gas. Gas meters measure the amount of gas used in cubic feet. The volumetric reading taken during the previous billing period and the reading taken during the current billing period together with the volumetric measurement of gas consumed during the period shall be disclosed on the combined monthly statement. Customers pay only for the amount of heat in each cubic foot of gas (CCF); therefore, CCF are converted to therms, or 1000,000 British thermal Units. The therm conversion factor shall also be disclosed on the combined monthly statement.
 - (3) Water/Wastewater. Water meters measure the water used in gallons. For billing purposes, water meter readings are rounded downward to whole thousand gallons and shall be disclosed on the combined statement. For billing purposes, readings on meters installed to measure wastewater returned to the city's wastewater system are rounded downward to whole thousand gallons and shall be disclosed on the combined statement.
- (b) If the meter on the customer's premises is destroyed or otherwise fails to register, the customer may be billed for the period involved on the basis of previous consumption, consumption after repair or replacement of the meter, or any other method in accordance with generally accepted utility practices which produces a reasonable estimate of consumption during the relevant period. Where is has been necessary to estimate the customer's consumption, the combined statement shall carry appropriate notice to that effect.

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And/or made during other than normal working hours (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding city holidays), an additional service charge in accordance with the schedule set out in Appendix A, shall be assessed and paid to the city before any service is reconnected. Should reconnection be made at the same time for more than one (1) utility service at the same premises, only one (1) reconnection charge shall be assessed. However, the assessed service charge shall be that service charge which is the greatest of those applicable.

Appendix A. UTILITIES (6)b. SERVICE CHARGES.

2.	Installation or turn-on of service (§ 27-15a):	
	(i) Electric Service:	
	(A) Non-demand Meter.....	\$30.00
	(B) Demand Meter.....	\$60.00
	(ii) Water Service	\$30.00
	(iii) Gas Service:	
	(A) Residential, with electric or water turn-on.....	\$40.00
	(B) Residential, gas turn-on only.....	\$50.00
	(C) All other retail classifications.....	\$100.00
	(iv) In addition to all other applicable charges, the following rates may also apply:	
	(A) If guaranteed service is requested for the same or any fully-scheduled workday*.....	\$40.00
	(B) If service is provided any time on holidays or weekends.....	\$50.00
3.	Transfer of utility service classification ((§ 27-15b).....	\$10.00
4.	Field Visit for special purpose ((§ 27-15d):	
	(i) Delinquent payment.....	\$20.00
	(A) In addition, if commercial gas service is disconnected, electric service is disconnected at the point of service (pole or service drop), or the water meter is removed due to safety requirement, unauthorized connection, or customer request	\$30.00
	(ii) Special visit at customer request to:	
	(A) Reread meter where reading is found to be correct	\$20.00
	(B) Temporarily disconnect meter	\$20.00
	(C) Provide conservation service where customer failed to appear as scheduled.....	\$20.00
	(D) Turn on gas where customer failed to appear as scheduled.....	\$20.00

Sec. 27.16. Responsibility for all Taxes or Assessments.

The customer shall be liable for any taxes or assessments that are lawfully imposed by any governmental authority on any service. Exemptions from such taxes or assessments shall be granted only by the taxing or assessing authority having jurisdiction. It shall be the customer's responsibility to secure and document such exemption on a continuous basis to the satisfaction of the city. A failure by the city to levy or collect any such tax or assessment, does not relieve the customer of the responsibility for the payment of such tax or assessment.

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