



# WATER RATE ADVISORY AD HOC COMMITTEE

In February 2023, the Dixon City Council established the Water Rate Advisory Ad Hoc Committee (Committee). The goal of the Committee was to make a recommendation to the City Council regarding appropriate new water rates.

The Committee worked for over a year to review the financial and operational history of the water system and understand the system's needs. The City held twelve public Committee meetings, a public workshop and answered 42 questions submitted by the public.

In April 2024, the Committee voted to recommend a five-year rate schedule that will meet the critical and near-term needs of the water system. These increases are necessary to maintain a safe and reliable drinking water system and fund necessary capital improvement projects. The projects include well, tank and other system upgrades, but do not include treatment upgrades, including for Chromium 6.

## Key facts about Dixon's water rates:

- The current City of Dixon water rates were adopted in 2013. Since then, construction costs have increased 49%.
- Even with the proposed 2024 rate adjustment, City of Dixon rates will remain the lowest in the region.
- Your City utility bill includes water and sewer charges. The proposed adjustments only apply to the water portion of your bill.

For more information and to view meeting recordings visit: <https://www.cityofdixon.us/watercommittee>.

### COMMITTEE WEBSITE



### RATE STUDY REPORT



### NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE ADJUSTMENTS

