

Gholson WSC News

All bills are due on the 20th day of the month. If payment is not received by the due date, there will be a \$15 late charge added to the bill & a disconnect notice will be mailed out. There is a \$25.00 lock fee & a \$25 reconnect fee. If for some reason you don't receive a water bill by the 1st day of the month, please call our office & we will send one. If your service is disconnected for non-payment, we must receive payment in our office no later than 5:00pm to ensure reconnect on that business day. **For after hour emergencies, please call Jamie at (254)652-1254.** All Members are responsible for providing access to & keeping the area in/around their meters clean. **If you don't clean the area around your meter, our employee may do so & you will be charged \$30 for labor.**

PROHIBITION OF MULTIPLE CONNECTIONS TO A SINGLE TAP- No more than one (1) residential, commercial or industrial service connection is allowed per meter. The meter is for the sole use of the Member or customer & is to provide service to only (1) dwelling or one (1) business. Extension of pipe to transfer utility service from one property to another, to share, resell, or sub meter water to any other persons, dwellings, businesses, or property, etc. is prohibited and subject to disconnection of service until the violation is corrected.

Gholson WSC Board of Directors

-Burl Shelton-President -Tom Buzbee- Vice President -Dannis Russell- Secretary/Treasurer
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*Monthly Meetings are held on the first Monday of the month at our office at 6pm. Due to Holidays the date may change. See website for meeting dates.

*We offer Fax and Notary services at no charge to Gholson Water Supply Members.

Remember to Conserve Water!!

We ask all Members to help conserve water. It will not only save you money, but it will also help save our natural resources. Repair all personal water leaks promptly & routinely check for running toilets & dripping faucets. ALWAYS call in for a line locate before digging! Texas law requires homeowners to contact 811 two-business days (excluding weekends & holidays) before digging. Call Gholson WSC at (254)829-2907 for the main water line locates.

Community Contact Numbers

Here is a frequently requested list of contact numbers for various services in our area:

Electric Service- Hilco- (800)338-6425 TXU/Oncor- (800)242-9113
Trash Service- Eagle Disposal- (866)288-4692 Frontier Waste- (254)221-0705 Access Disposal- (888)854-7905 Progressive Waste Solutions of Texas- (800)250-3142 **Internet Service-** Rise Broadband-(254)265-1422 Nextlink-(855)698-5465 or nextlinkinternet.com **Propane-** Poor Boy Propane-(254)266-3869 **ASAP Septic Service-** (254)829-0088

Dig Tess- Call for telephone/electric service line locates (800)344-8377 or 811.

Call Gholson WSC to mark main water lines (254)829-2907 or (254)652-1254

Office Hours- Our office hours are Monday- Friday from 8:30am-12:00pm and from 2:00pm -5:00pm. Check out our website at gholsonwsc.myruralwater.com- Go to the website to make online payments!

To sign up for alerts, please go to the website- gholsonwsc.myruralwater.com

*We accept cash, check & money orders *Credit/debit cards are accepted in office with a 3.00% convenience fee plus \$0.50 if the payment is under \$100.00. E-check payment fee-\$1.10. We have a drop box located in front of the building. Please do not put cash in the drop box.

You may also mail the payment to the office at 12520 Gholson RD. Waco, TX 76705. We offer automatic drafts on or around the 15th to pay the water bill. Call Gholson WSC office (254)829-2907 for more information.

Bills may be paid or mailed to the following banks:

- Citizens State Bank in West PO Box 98 West, TX 76691
- Pointwest Bank in West-PO Box 279 West, TX 76691
- Peoples Bank in Whitney- PO Box 547 Whitney, TX 76692

Water Rates

Capital Improvements		Gallonage charges since January 2024	
\$30.25		\$30.25	MINIMUM (DOES NOT INCLUDE ANY WATER)
\$3.00		\$3.00	PER 1,000 GALLONS UP TO 10,000 GALLONS
\$3.00	\$0.50	\$3.50	PER 1,000 GALLONS NEXT 40,000 GALLONS
\$3.00	\$1.00	\$4.00	PER 1,000 GALLONS NEXT 10,000 GALLONS
\$3.00	\$1.50	\$4.50	PER 1,000 GALLONS OVER 60,000 GALLONS

There is a \$0.03 charge per 1,000 gallons for customers in McLennan County charged by the Southern Trinity Groundwater Conservation District. There is now a \$0.20 charge per 1,000 gallons for customers in Hill County charged by the Prairielands Groundwater Conservation District.

<u>METER SIZE</u>	<u>METER EQUIVALENTS</u>	<u>Base Rate- Includes 0 gallons</u>
5/8" BY 3/4"	1.0	\$30.25
1"	2.5	\$75.63
1 1/2"	5.0	\$151.25
2"	8.0	\$242.00

Late Charge: A \$15.00 late fee will be added to the bill if not received on or by the 20th.

Disconnect Fee: A \$25.00 fee will be added to the bill if the service is disconnected.

Reconnect Fee: A \$25.00 fee will be added to the bill when the service is reconnected.

Return check fee: A \$25.00 fee will be added to the bill for a returned check.

New Service Fees:

Cost of Membership and meter (if property is accessible to our water lines):

Membership:	\$100.00
Installation:	\$650.00
Parity:	\$1900.00
Engineering fee:	\$100.00
Total	\$2,750.00 **

** This is an estimated cost of installing a new tap if there are no improvements to the water system required. If a road crossing or line extension/upgrade is needed, we will have to talk to the contractor and get a bid.

Gholson WSC mails out bills around the 25th of each month. Bills are due up receipt and no later than the 20th of the following month. If we do not receive payment by the 20th of the month a late charge will be added to the bill and a disconnect notice will be mailed. If payment is not received by the due date on the disconnect notice, the service will be disconnected. When service is disconnected, a \$25.00 disconnect fee will be added to the bill. There will be a \$25 fee to reconnect service & the account balance must be paid in full, including the disconnect/reconnect fees.

To report a line leak call: Jamie Rager, Office Manager – Office (254)829-2907 Cell (254)652-1254