

Notice of Golden State Water's Rate Increase Request

Golden State Water Company's (GSWC) 2026 General Rate Case Application to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) A.26-07-001 – Region 2 Service Area

What is Being Requested?

GSWC's Region 2 service area includes all or portions of the cities of Artesia, Bell, Bell Gardens, Carson, Cerritos, Compton, Cudahy, Culver City, Downey, El Segundo, Gardena, Hawaiian Gardens, Hawthorne, Huntington Park, Inglewood, Lakewood, La Mirada, Lawndale, Long Beach, Norwalk, Paramount, Santa Fe Springs, South Gate, the communities of Athens, Lennox, Willowbrook and Moneta, Florence-Graham, Del Aire and vicinity, Los Angeles County and portions of City of Los Alamitos, and Orange County.

GSWC is requesting an increase in revenues of \$71,090,728 or 31.1% from 2028-2030 to cover its anticipated costs for improvements return on rate base, allocated general office and district office expenses (such as customer service, water quality), depreciation expense, Federal income tax, property taxes.

Customer Class	\$ Increase	% Increase	Estimated Average Bill Changes (\$)
Residential	\$ 27,619,547	29.9%	\$26.39
Commercial	\$ 37,092,957	32.0%	\$60.14
Industrial	\$ 849,061	33.0%	\$330.07
Public Authority	\$ 3,282,676	35.8%	\$342.42
Irrigation	\$ 1,649,254	33.3%	\$105.22
*Contract	\$ 420,537	24.4%	\$624.11
Other	\$ 10,856	20.1%	\$225.87
Private Fire	\$ 165,840	12.5%	\$1.00/inch

** Estimated average bill change will vary due to various meter sizes and usage.*

How Would This Impact the Average Residential Customer?

If the request is approved, the average residential customer with a 5/8 x 3/4" meter using 8 ccf (1 ccf = 748 gallons) per month would see a rate increase of approximately \$26.39 per month, phased in over three years. The actual impact will vary based on usage and other factors.

Additional Information

An administrative law judge will hold hearings, consider evidence, testimony, and public comments before drafting a proposed decision on this application. CPUC Commissioners will then vote on a final decision at a public meeting.

You can read more about the utility's request and make public comment by visiting apps.cpuc.ca.gov/c/a2607001. For questions about participating in CPUC matters, you can contact the Public Advisor's Office at Public.Advisor@cpuc.ca.gov, 1-866-849-8390, or 505 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, CA 94102. Please reference A.26-07-001 in any communication with the CPUC.

Questions About the Request

For questions about this application, please contact GSWC Regulatory Affairs Department at: GSWC_Reg_Affairs@gswater.com, 1-800-999-4033 or 630 E. Foothill Blvd., San Dimas, CA 91773.