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Below if the information Phil provided to me regarding the cost for meter replacement. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,  
Katie

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**From:** Phil Rubin <mayor@hideoututah.gov>  
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Katie

As you know we charge more for the new meters than the meter cost. The fees we charge cover the following

The specific elements that go into our pricing are:

- The cost of the electronic meter varies depending on the size required to service the building.
- The cost of cellular service for the meter
- The software setup fee and costs for the customer monitoring service portal
- The cost of billing integration for our Billing Vendor software
- The monthly service pricing per meter
- The cost of the fittings
- The cost of the meter insulation foam and lids
- The cost of service installation/inspection

The Town fee for meters is based on the water meter connection size.

- A 1-inch meter connection is \$3000
- A 1-1/2 inch meter connection is \$4500, and
- A 2-inch meter connection is \$5000.

When you say in the meeting that the meters cost \$500, it gets residents quite upset as we charge more than \$500. So while what you state is correct, there is more there than the meter cost. We need to be sensitive when we discuss this at the budget.

Thanks,

Phil Rubin

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