City of Dawsonville
Garbage Service

- City will provide one 95-gallon single rolling trash cart
- Pick-up every Monday (have the cart out by 6 a.m.)
- Monthly charge of $13.25 will appear as a separate line item on your water/sewer bill

Change of Occupancy

Each Customer shall give not less than three (3) days notice <u>in writing</u> (by filling out a termination form) at City Hall to discontinue water, sewer, and/or garbage service. The outgoing party shall be responsible for all water consumed and the discharge of all sewage up to the time of departure or the time specified for departure, whichever period is longer.

The new occupant shall apply for water and/or sewer within forty-eight (48) hours after occupying the premises, and failure to do so shall make the applicant liable for paying the water consumed and the sewer discharged since the last meter reading.

There is a Twenty-Five Dollar ($25) service charge for all returned checks.

City of Dawsonville

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415 Highway 53 East, Suite 100
Dawsonville, GA 30534
Phone: (706) 265-3256
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Office Hours: Monday - Friday
8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Email: water@dawsonville-ga.gov
Website: www.dawsonville-ga.gov

W. James Grogan, Mayor

Caleb Phillips, Council Member

Jason Power, Council Member

Angie Smith, Council Member

Mike Sosebee, Council Member

Gary Barr, Utility Director

Water & Sewer Department

A person or entity seeking water and/or sewer service from the City of Dawsonville shall complete an application in person at City Hall in Dawsonville, GA. A deposit shall be required for each line as follows:

Type of Service:	Deposit Required:
Residential Home Owners: Water and/or Sewer	$90.00 ($75 Refundable)
Residential Renters: Water and/or Sewer	$165.00 ($150 Refundable)
Commercial Owners: Water and/or Sewer	$90.00 ($75 Refundable)
Commercial Renters: Water and/or Sewer	$165.00 ($150 Refundable)

Fifteen dollars ($15.00) is a non-refundable administration service fee.

ALL FEES AND RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

(Revised July 1, 2016)

This information is printed in the City of Dawsonville Water and Sewer Ordinance, and amendments.

A copy is on file and it can be purchased at City Hall.

Tap Fees

Each consumer subscribing to use the water and/or sewer service of the City shall pay a connecting or tap-on fee as follows:

Meter Size	Water Meter	Sewer Meter
¾”	$2,000.00	$4,000.00
1”	$2,500.00	$5,000.00
1½”	$5,000.00	$6,000.00
2”	$8,000.00	$10,000.00
3”	$12,000.00	$15,000.00
4”	$20,000.00	$25,000.00
6”	$35,000.00	$40,000.00
8”	$60,000.00	$60,000.00

Responsibility for Leaks

ALL leaks, which occur on the discharge side of the water meter, shall be the responsibility of the property owner.

It shall be the responsibility of the Water Department to maintain and repair the water line ending at the meter inlet coupling and the meter.

Customers or property owners shall be charged for water consumed and/or sewage discharge due to any leak on the customer’s side of the meter.

Payment Methods:

CASH – CHECK – MONEY ORDER
CREDIT CARD ONLINE (fee applied)

Payments can be made in the following ways

- Mail in your payment
- 24 Hour Curbside Drop-Box
- At our office located in City Hall
- www.dawsonville-ga.gov

Monthly Rates

All water furnished by the City to Residential or Commercial users or property located within or outside the corporate limits shall be metered and computed monthly and paid for at the following rates:

Residential Water	In City	Outside City
0 -1500 Gal, minimum	$ 20.00	$ 29.90
1501-5000 per 1000 Gal	$ 4.80	$ 6.90
5001-10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 5.15	$ 7.45
>10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 5.45	$ 8.05
Residential Sewer		
0 -1500 Gal, minimum	$23.00	$34.50
1501-5000 per 1000 Gal	$ 6.30	$ 8.05
5001-10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 6.90	$ 8.60
>10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 7.45	$ 9.20
Commercial / Industrial Water		
0 -1500 Gal, minimum	$ 28.75	$40.25
1501-5000 per 1000 Gal	$ 5.15	$ 5.75
5001-10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 5.75	$ 6.30
>10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 6.30	$ 6.90
Commercial / Industrial Sewer		
0 -1500 Gal, minimum	$57.50	$69.00
1501-5000 per 1000 Gal	$ 8.05	$ 8.60
5001-10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 8.60	$ 9.20
>10,000 per 1000 Gal	$ 9.20	$ 10.90
Bulk Water (upon approval)	$8.00 per 1000 gallons	

Meter Readings & Billing

Meters are read mid-month. Bills to customers for water, sewer and/or garbage services shall be mailed out no later than the 25th day of each month and are due upon receipt. Failure to receive bills or notices shall not prevent such bills from becoming delinquent and shall not relieve the customer from payment of the same.

Past Due Accounts

The failure of water, sewer and/or garbage customers to timely pay charges duly imposed shall result in the automatic imposition of the following penalties and interest:

- Nonpayment by the 15th of the month in which the bill is due will result in a penalty of ten percent (10%) being applied to the delinquent account.
- Nonpayment by the last day of the month in which the bill is due will result in water being disconnected, provided the payment due is greater than $75.00.
- Nonpayment for 50 days after the due date will allow the City, in addition to all other rights and remedies, to terminate the account and apply the security deposit towards the outstanding balance.
- All accounts more than 30 days past due shall bear interest until paid at the rate of 1% per month (12% APR) or such other rate as may be set in the future by Resolution of the Council.
- In the event that a customer makes application for water, sewer, or garbage service and it is determined that they have an outstanding balance due to the City, the City is not obligated to supply any such services until such debt is satisfied.

Conditions for Reconnection

When water and sewer service is discontinued for nonpayment of bills will be restored only after bills are paid in full and a service charge is paid for each meter reconnected.

The City, it’s Mayor, or any duly authorized representative shall have the authority to enforce the provisions of this section by the discontinuance of water service and sewer service in the event any person shall continue to violate the provisions of this section after receiving oral or written notice of the violation from the City.