City of Grangeville Water Service Connection Policy

Connection Fees:

Water Tap Connection \$500.00

Street cut for asphalt streets \$150.00 minimum or \$2.50 per square foot

Equity Buy In Fees: \$1540.00

Each lot or parcel of property to be connected to the City Water System will be charged \$1540.00 per equivalent residence

All service connections should be scheduled at least ten (10) days in advance with the Public Works Department. All connection fees must be paid in advance by the plumbing contractor or the property owner (no exceptions). Street cut charges will be billed after completion of the job. Failure to pay street cut charges may result in discontinuance of service until all charges are paid.

The above costs assume that a City water main abuts the property to be serviced. Any services requiring main extensions will be treated separately on a case by case basis.

City Responsibility:

The City is responsible for the complete installation of water services, including excavation, material installation, trench filling, compacting and patching as necessary within the right of way. The City will provide a service line stub out behind the meter for the property owner to connect with. The City is responsible for maintaining the water service to the property line or to the back side of the meter depending upon the location of the meter with respect to the property being served.

Property Owner Responsibility:

The property owner's responsibility begins where the City's responsibility ends; that is, at the property line or at the back side of the meter depending upon the location of the meter with respect to the property being served. Additionally, the property owner is responsible for the cost of labor and materials to place a water service greater than standard, to the property line. The City has adopted the Uniform Plumbing Code (Ordinance No. 347) requiring all installations to be installed as per code. All fees and scheduling of plumbing inspection is the responsibility of the property owner or the plumbing contractor. A plumbing permit must be obtained through the State of Idaho by calling 1-800-955-3044.

The City will require the property owner to install back-flow or back siphonage devices to prevent cross connections or potential cross connections from contaminating the public water system. The City will determine if a cross connection potential is present and act accordingly.