

HYDRANT METER POLICY & APPLICATION

All fire hydrant meters are required to have a reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly installed at the hydrant meter to protect the City of Avondale distribution system from cross connections. Water taken from the hydrant meter shall only be used for dust control and new on-site development within the City of Avondale water service area. Hydrant meters are not intended to be used for everyday work activities or as a permanent source for water.

Hydrant Meter Account Fees

Deposit	\$1,000.00	Monthly Base Fee:	\$ 152.81
<u>Installation</u>	<u>\$ 50.00</u>	Water Usage (Per 1,000 Gallons):	\$ 5.39
Total Upfront Costs	\$1,050.00		

Conditions of Hydrant and Hydrant Meter Use

- Hydrant meter will be used only at designated City fire hydrants (include a map of the desired hydrant location with this application).
- Hydrant meter will be made available for random accuracy testing and inspection.
- Hydrant meter will be made available to record consumption at the end of each month.
- Hydrant meter will not be relocated from its original location unless approved in advance by Public Works personnel.
- Contractor will control water flow on the hydrant meter gate valve only as shown in attached detail.
- Contractor will be responsible for any damages or theft of the hydrant meter. The current replacement cost of a hydrant meter is \$895.66.
- Hydrant will not be operated without a Reduced Pressure Backflow Assembly (RPBA). Backflow must be installed per City of Avondale Detail A1394 as attached.
- RPBA must be tested by a certified backflow testing company that is approved by the City of Avondale. List of certified companies are available on our website at www.avondaleaz.gov/backflow.
- Backflow test report shall be sent to backflow@avondaleaz.gov and must be reviewed by City of Avondale personnel prior to hydrant operation.

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the Hydrant Meter Policy Agreement and have completed the required Hydrant Meter Application & Billing Information.

Signature

Date

Written Name

PUBLIC WORKS USE ONLY	
<input type="checkbox"/> Approved / Hydrant # _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Approved
Comments _____	

HYDRANT METER APPLICATION & ACCOUNT BILLING INFORMATION

Business Name (Party Responsible for Payment): _____

Employer Tax I.D. No: _____

Mailing Address:

Street Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Business Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Onsite Contact: _____ Onsite Contact Phone: _____

Project Name: _____

Project Location: _____

Service Address (Hydrant Location): _____

Duration of project: _____

Brief description of project and principal use(s) of hydrant (paving, boring, dust control, etc.):

Approximate usage per day (gallons): _____

1. E-mail completed application to PublicWorks@avondaleaz.gov. Your application will be reviewed, approved or denied, then returned to the e-mail provided above.
2. If application is approved, contact the contact the Finance Department by phone or in-person (contact information in upper right) to pay the Hydrant Deposit and Installation fee.
3. Once Finance confirms the deposit has been made, Public Works will contact you to schedule a time to install the hydrant meter and to schedule the backflow inspection.

WATER BILLING USE ONLY

Application Date: _____ Service Start-Up Date: _____

Meter Account #: _____ Amount paid: _____

Comments _____

