

# 2020 RATE CHANGES: WHAT TO EXPECT



## DID YOU KNOW?



LWP is a **non-profit utility** committed to providing you fair rates



Rate dollars are directly **reinvested** to maintain high-quality utility services



Rate increases are an **integral part** of providing reliable utilities for years to come.

Learn more about  
**Rates, Charges and Fees at**  
[www.cityofloveland.org/UtilityRates](http://www.cityofloveland.org/UtilityRates)

Loveland Water and Power (LWP) is committed to keeping utility costs low and reliability high for all customers. Like all utility providers, LWP periodically evaluates the cost of maintaining reliable infrastructure to provide excellent water, power and wastewater services. Different types of customers—like residential and commercial—pay different rates based on the cost of providing service. LWP collaborates with expert rate consultants to review the different rates every three years analyzing the average use of service for each group and comparing it with their unique costs. Before rates are set in stone, LWP must present its findings to the Loveland Utilities Commission (LUC) and Loveland City Council for final approval. The two governing boards review each rate class thoroughly to ensure Loveland customers are charged a fair price for service.

## 2020 PROPOSED BUSINESS RATE CHANGES

ESTIMATED USAGE		ESTIMATED BILL INCREASE (compared to 2019 rates)	
WATER		Percent	Dollar
13,200 Gallons/month (3/4" Tap size)		7%	\$4.33
WASTEWATER			
11,300 gallons/month		7%	\$4.90
POWER (Based on summer rates)			
Small General (SG)	2,000 kilowatt hours/month	4%	\$10.20
Large General (LG)	45,000 kilowatt hours/month + 130 kilowatt demand	6%	\$301.20

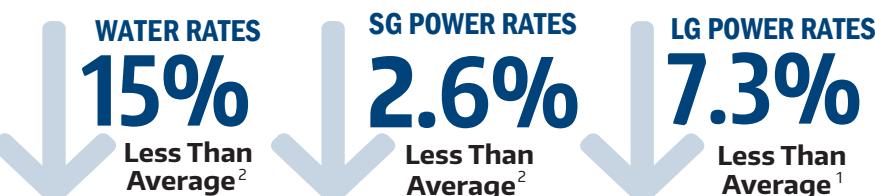
Individual bills will vary based on your business use.

**You can save by reducing your usage!** Learn more about saving through the Efficiency Works Business program at [efficiencyworks.org/business](http://efficiencyworks.org/business)



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Business

## 2019 RATES COMPARED TO OTHER NORTHERN COLORADO PROVIDERS



1. Source: CAMU 2019 Survey

2. Source: Sept. 18, 2019 Loveland Utilities Commission Meeting