

EDU Discussion

EDU (Equivalent Dwelling Unit) is equal to 250 gallons per day per household, which equals approximately 7500 gallons per month.

Residents and businesses are charged 1 EDU. This means that they pay all fees once per month. Those with two EDUs are basically paying a second water bill each month for one meter. The only charge that is not multiplied is the water usage.

For example, a customer with 1 EDU with 1000 gallons usage would be charged 86.05. A customer with 2 EDUs with 1000 gallons usage is charged \$162.10.

The EDU spreadsheet provides the average gallons used per meter and the number of EDUs charged for that meter. By taking the entire number of averaged gallons and dividing it by the number of EDUs, the average number of gallons used is 2166 per EDU, which is well below the 7500 standard.

Three averages were skewed due to large leaks over the last year. At least one other property had large usage due to summer watering.