

HAUSER LAKE WATER ASSOCIATION

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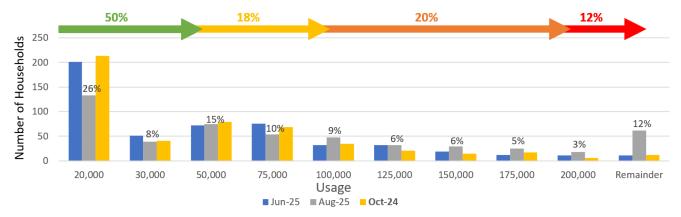
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To Our Valued Members,

As part of our ongoing effort to ensure reliable water service for every household and to preserve adequate fire protection, the Board of Directors is sharing some information about water usage across our system.

During our hottest months, when demand is highest, the July & August meter readings show a clear pattern:

- 12% of members used over 200,000 gallons = 18,000,000 total gallons used, averaging 290,339 gallons per household
- 80% of members used less than 150,000 gallons
- 68% of members used less than 100,000 gallons
- 50% of members used less than 50,000 gallons = 5,157,000 total gallons used, averaging 20,879 gallons per household



This data highlights how water use varies among members, and it allows each of us to compare our usage against the community as a whole. We encourage you to look closely at your monthly bills and reflect on where your household stands in relation to your neighbors.

As a reminder, the flat monthly service rate has remained the same at \$37.00 for 10,000 usage per month. However, our **OVERAGE** fee structure was updated this year. Members who exceed base allocations will see increased charges. These fees are necessary to curb excessive use, ensure adequate fire protection, and ensure that the system can continue to serve all members reliably.

We are fortunate to have access to the aquifer, but it is a finite resource. With an increasing population and higher demands on the system, conservation is essential. Practicing responsible water use helps protect this resource for all of us, both now and in the future. Thank you for being a thoughtful part of our water system. Together, we can make sure Hauser Lake continues to be a great place to live.

For details on the new overage fee schedule, please visit our website at: https://hauserwater.com/faq
Conservation tips can also be found at: https://hauserwater.com/conservation-tips

Feel free to contact our office at (208) 786-0670 should you have any questions.

Thank you for being a responsible steward of our community's water.

Sincerely,

Hauser Lake Water Association Board of Directors