

Ratification of the 2024 Rates for the Replacement Water Supply Agreements (2-Tier Contracts)

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Ratification of 2-Tier Rates

- Replacement Water Supply Agreements (2-Tier) were created as the negotiated settlement of a rate case filed in 1991.
- There are thirteen (13) 2-Tier agreements, 98,999 ac-ft.
- Referred to as 2-Tier because there are two rates.
 - Activated Water (Election water) rate.
 - Not Activated (Option-water) at ½ the Election rate.



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- In July we present the estimated 2024 2-Tier rate in our Customer meetings and Board meeting.
- Annual Rate Increase is calculated using the change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the month of November in a defined formula per the agreement.
- The November CPI is published in mid to late December, therefore the 2-Tier rate is calculated at this time for 2024.
- Letters are sent out to the 13 customers in December notifying them of the proposed new 2- Tier rates.



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- The proposed new 2024 rates require Board ratification in January.
- Proposed rate increase:
 - Activated Water (Election water) \$29.93 to \$30.37
 - Not Activated (Option-water) \$14.96 to \$15.18
- Once approved, we will bill the 2-Tier customers.



"BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Brazos River Authority hereby ratifies the 2024 rates of \$30.37 per acre-foot for Election Use Water and \$15.18 per acre-foot for Option Use Water as adjusted in accordance with the formula stated in the existing Replacement Water Supply Agreements."



