

Name _____

Account No. _____

BUDGET BILLING AGREEMENT

This Agreement in no way alters any ordinance regulating the use of public water and sewer service for the City of Irrigon. It only provides for an alternative method of payment by the customer.

- Customer may take part in budget billing after twelve months of continuous service with good payment history. Good payment history is no more than three late payments and/or no service interruptions for non-payment.
- Subject to other applicable laws and regulations, your participation in the Budget Billing plan will continue automatically until you withdraw or cease to be eligible for the plan.
- Customer will receive a bill indicating monthly water usage, amounts charged and the current balance but will be billed the Budget Billing amount.
- Budget Billing amounts will be re-calculated every six month and could be raised or lowered depending on changes in city council approved rates or lifestyle of the customer. At that point, the customer agrees to pay the new Budget Billing amount for the next year or to cancel the program.
- Customer agrees to pay the Budget Billing amount on time each month (not the amount that the bill would be if not on Budget Billing) in order to avoid late fees and disruption of Budget Billing and/or service
- If a customer becomes delinquent while on the budget billing plan, the City of Irrigon has the option of removing the customer from the budget billing plan. If at that time the account has a deferred balance, that balance will become due.
- When customer elects to go off of budget billing or terminates services customer must bring account to a zero balance.
- It is the customer's responsibility to monitor the balance of their account to ensure the monthly budget payment is covering their account balance.
- If customer no longer wishes to participate in the program, he/she will notify the City of in writing prior to the next utility bill.

By signing below, the customer understands and agrees to the above terms and conditions for Budget Billing.

Customer Name (Print)

Service Address

Phone Number

Customer Signature

Date