Effective January 1, 2026

CITY OF CRESCO
UTILITY RATES

WATER
$6.65/1,000 gallons up to 7,000 gallons
next 60,000 gallons used per month
is $6.07 per 1,000 gallons
all over 67,000 gallons used per month
is $5.56 per 1,000 gallons

Minimum bill 1,500 gallons, $9.98

SEWER
$11.16 per 1,000 gallons in City limits

Minimum bill $16.74 per month
Based on 1,500 gallons

GARBAGE – Regular household pickup
$24.98 per month for residential
$24.02 per month for senior residential
(at least one resident of household over 65 years of age)
$30.97 per month minimum commercial
Hawkeye Sanitation must be contacted at 547-3828 by commercial customers to establish contracts.

YARDWASTE
$3.25 per month
Billed year around due to the very labor intensive and high operational costs of the program during the spring and fall collection period.
Calendars available at City Hall or on website at www.cityofcresco.com

WATER DEPOSIT
$80.00 Residential
$100 Commercial
$200 Industrial
Based on credit history, deposit will be refunded after three years. Your refund will be applied to your account. If you move out of town, the refund will be applied to your final bill.
No interest is paid by the City.

YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE PICKUP

DAY IS: _____
Please set on the curb the night before.

RURAL WATER
$14.00/1,000 gallons up to 7,000 gallons
next 60,000 gallons used per month
is $12.75 per 1,000 gallons
all over 67,000 gallons used per month
is $11.68 per 1,000 gallons

Minimum bill 1,500 gallons, $21.00

RURAL SEWER
$22.32 per 1,000 gallons outside City

Minimum bill of $33.48 per month
Based on 1,500 gallons

RECYCLING –Biweekly same day as your garbage pickup – recycling calendars available at City Hall or on website at www.cityofcresco.com
$6.95 per month
$8.57 per month minimum commercial

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND
$3.50 per month
Coded as CI on your bill this is a special fund set up for the extension and maintenance of the sanitary sewer, storm sewer and water mains.

LATE PAYMENT PENALTY
Bills not paid when due shall be considered delinquent. A one-time late payment penalty of ten percent (10%) of the amount due shall be added to each delinquent bill.

SALES TAX/WATER EXCISE TAX
Residential customers pay 6% IA water excise tax on the water charges only. Commercial customers pay 6% water excise tax on water and 7% (6% IA sales tax, 1% Local Option sales tax) on sewer and garbage unless signed up with the city as tax exempt.

HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE must be bagged in the cart provided by Hawkeye Sanitation. Any bag is acceptable until the cart is full. The cart is considered full when the lid is shut. **Any additional garbage that doesn't fit into the cart must be in a pre-purchased Hawkeye Sanitation trash bag**.
No cardboard boxes allowed. **Corrugated cardboard must be recycled**.

*****PLEASE HAVE CARTS OUT BY 6 AM ON DAY OF PICKUP*****