

PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED UTILITY RATE INCREASES

The Danville, Virginia City Council will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, May 21, 2013, 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, Fourth Floor, Municipal Building, 427 Patton Street to receive comments concerning the proposed Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 utility rate increases to be effective for bills issued August 1, 2013 and for FY 2015, to be effective for bills issued August 1, 2014. The monthly Customer Charge for residential electric customers will increase by \$3.80 on August 1, 2013, from \$4.00 per month currently to \$7.80 per month. Water rate increases under consideration are proposed to increase from \$1.57 to \$2.20 per hundred cubic feet (CCF) of metered water for all water customers in FY 2014 (40% increase) and to \$2.40 per CCF in FY 2015 (9% increase). In addition, the monthly Customer Charge for water will increase by \$1.50 per month for all water meter sizes on August 1, 2013 and again on August 1, 2014. Any concerns of the public about this matter should be presented at the scheduled public hearing. A copy of the proposed rate increase ordinance is available for examination in the Office of the City Clerk, Room 428, 427 Patton Street, Municipal Building, Danville, Virginia, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The City of Danville operates water, wastewater, gas, and electric utilities as authorized under Code of Virginia Section 15.2-2109.

**BY AUTHORITY OF THE COUNCIL
CITY OF DANVILLE, VIRGINIA
Susan M. DeMasi, City Clerk**