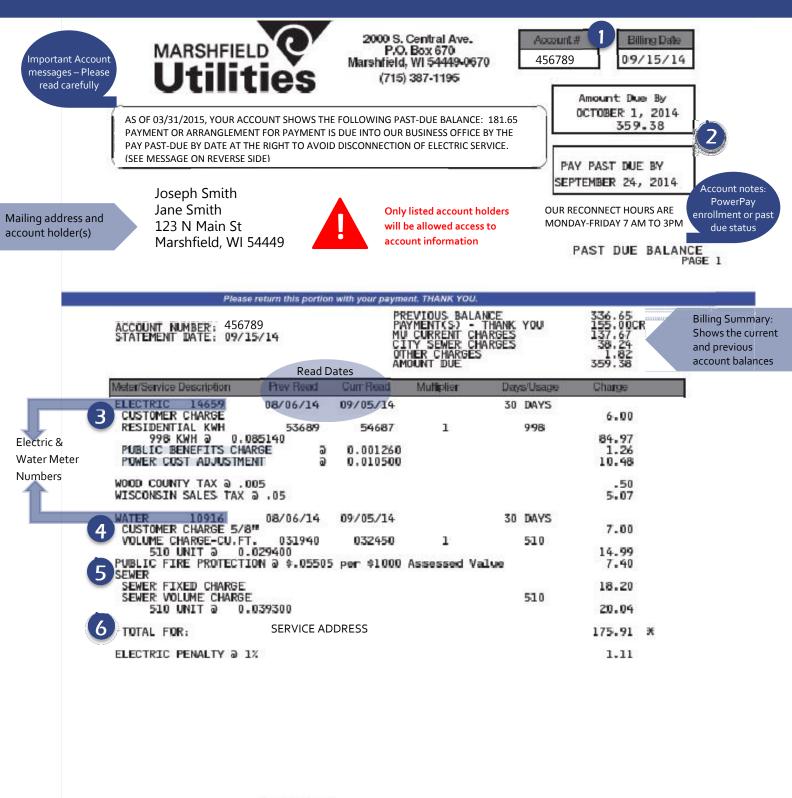
Understanding your Marshfield Utilities' Statement



MARSHFIELD	2000 S. Central Ave. P.O. Box 670	Office Hours: Monday - Friday	Amount Due
Itilitioe	Marshfield, WI 54449-0670	7 a.m. to 4 p.m.	359.38
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1. The account number is stated several places on the statement and is required for account access.

2. The amount due will include all account charges, including any past balance(s). If there is a past balance due, the box below will give the date that the past balance needs to be paid by (which differs from the current balance due date). Any past due charges will be broken down in the account message box to the left of the past balance due date.

3. All of the electric charges are shown in this section, including the monthly customer charge, the consumption (in kilowatt/hour, kwh), the consumption charge (per kwh), public benefits, power cost adjustment, and sales tax (residential accounts are billed sales tax May through October).

Public Benefits Charge - Marshfield Utilities is required to charge customers a low income assistance and energy efficiency fee, pursuant to Wisconsin Act 9 and Act 141. This fee is based on the customer's current monthly kilowatt hour usage. All fees collected are sent to the state, where 50% of the fees collected are used for the public benefits low income assistance program, while the remaining 50% is used to fund the Focus on Energy program.

<u>Power Cost Adjustment</u> - Built into our rates is the base cost of power that Marshfield Utilities purchases. If Marshfield Utilities' cost of power is higher than this base, the Power Cost Adjustment is an additional charge, or if our cost of power is lower than this base, the Power Cost Adjustment is a credit. The Power Cost Adjustment amount is calculated based on the customer's current monthly kilowatt hour usage.

4. All of the water charges are shown in this section, including the monthly customer charge, the consumption (in cubic feet, CU. FT.), the consumption charge, and the public fire protection charge (which is based on the assessed value of your property).

5. All of the sewer charges are shown in this section, including the monthly fixed charge, the consumption (based on water consumption), and the consumption charge. Sewer rates are set by the City of Marshfield and billed by Marshfield Utilities.

6. This section shows the total of the charges for the service address shown. If there are multiple service addresses on your bill, the charges will be shown separately for each service address.