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Subject: FW: Pricing for meter Installs

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Lisa,
I spoke with Dan about the meter installs and this is what he came up with on pricing:

$1000-$1200 per dig which includes the excavation portion of installing the meter. Dan would like the District to purchase all the equipment and fittings up front and he would install.

Regarding the moving of the meter from inside to outside he would charge this at $75 per hour with an estimated 1-2 hour per house not knowing what he will run into on the insides of the home.

Estimated Parts Costs (District Purchase)
Meter pit, dome, frost cover and lid - $314.68
Meter Yolk - $97.78
Copper line needed per meter – 12' per meter at $4.30 per foot = $51.60
Compression fittings for outside meter install – 2 at $70 per unit = $140
Compression fittings for inside once meter is removed 2 at $20 per unit = $40
Copper needed inside once meter is removed - $4.30

Total cost per location $1823.56
***Assuming 1 hour removal of inside meter and $1100 per dig.

Dan and I discussed what happens if he digs the curb stop up and the valve needs replaced? Well Dan just purchased the equipment to freeze the line prior to the valve which will allow him to change the valve without having to shut down the main line (this would have come in handy a few weeks ago☺) This would be an additional $120 per location not including the valve. We would not know this until after excavating the valve and wanted to make the board aware of this potential issue.

Any restoring of landscaping (rocks, bushes, fencing, etc.) Dan would prefer to have the Districts landscaper do since they have all the necessary equipment/connections to get this done much more efficiently and cost effective.

The other discussion item maybe your Dan would know is do we have to change out the meter transponders to outdoor units or will the indoor units work outside in a meter pit?

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