



Utilities Covid Dashboard Update

Monthly Summary

Metrics

Metric	Included
Community electricity use	\checkmark
Community peak demand	\checkmark
Residential electricity use	\checkmark
Small/Med commercial electricity use	\checkmark
Large commercial electricity use	\checkmark
Industrial commercial electricity use	\checkmark
Daily treated water	\checkmark
Single-family home water use	\checkmark
Multi-family home water use	\checkmark
Small & medium commercial water use	\checkmark
Daily wastewater influent flow	\checkmark
Eligible disconnects for non-payment	\checkmark

Notes

New this week

- Data through December 31

Key takeaways (March 26 through December 31)

- Total electricity use (-4%) and peak demand (-1%) trending near expected values
 - Residential use was higher by 3%
 - Small / medium commercial was lower by 11%
 - Large commercial was lower by 11%
 - Industrial commercial use was highly variable and lower by 6%
 - Accounts eligible for disconnect were up 46% compared to 2019 average. Distribution of CARES Act funding has supported over 1350 customers with nearly \$550,000 to pay outstanding account balances
- Community treated water up ~ 6% and wastewater down ~ 8%
 - Single-family home water use up by ~6%
 - Multi-family home water use down by ~7%
 - Small and medium business water use down by ~10%
- Reports available at fcgov.com/utilities/covid-19





- Total use lower by ~4% from March 26 to December 31
- The data shows that use is trending back towards expected levels. The last seven days use was ~4% lower than the expected value.



Community Peak Demand



Notes:

- Peak demand averaged lower by ~1% from March 26 to December 31
- The data shows that peak demand is trending back towards expected levels. The last seven days peak was ~2% lower than the expected value.





- Residential electricity use higher by ~3% from March 26 to December 31
- The data shows that residential use is trending higher compared to expected levels. The last seven days use was 5% higher than the expected value.



Small/medium commercial electricity



Notes:

- Small/medium commercial use lower by ~11% from March 26 to December 31
- The data shows that use remains lower than expected levels. The last seven days use was ~13% lower than the expected value.
- Includes E200 and E250 rate classes (aka GS and GS25)





- Large commercial use lower by ~11% from March 26 to December 31
- The data shows that use remains lower than expected levels. The last seven days use was ~16% lower than the expected value.
- Includes E300 rate class (aka GS50)

Industrial commercial electricity use



Notes:

- Industrial commercial use variable and lower by ~6% from March 26 to December 31
- Usage variability due to process related changes with causes unknown
- Includes E400 and E600 rate classes (aka GS750 and Substation)



Community treated water demand



Notes:

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- Treated water demand from March 26 to December 31 was higher by ~6% compared to 2019
- Data is not weather normalized
- Outdoor water restrictions in support of the Horsetooth Outlet Project from Oct 1 through Nov 10. Water use decreased 35% and reached the 15 million gallons daily target

Data Notes: Does not include transfers to other water districts



Single-Family Homes daily water use



Notes:

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- Daily water use was higher by ~ 8% from March 26 to December 31 compared to 2019
- Data is not weather normalized
 - Outdoor water restrictions in support of the Horsetooth Outlet Project from Oct 1 through Nov 10. Water use decreased 35% and reached the 15 million gallons daily target
- Includes single family and duplex homes



Multi-family homes daily water use



Notes:

- Daily water use was lower by ~ 7% from March 26 to December 31 compared to 2019
- Data is not weather normalized
 - Outdoor water restrictions in support of the Horsetooth Outlet Project from Oct 1 through Nov 10. Water use decreased 35% and reached the 15 million gallons daily target
- Includes multi-family
 properties





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- Daily water use was lower by ~10% from March 26 to December 31 compared to 2019
- Data is not weather normalized
 - Outdoor water restrictions in support of the Horsetooth Outlet Project from Oct 1 through Nov 10. Water use decreased 35% and reached the 15 million gallons daily target
- Includes smaller water tap sizes (3/4" to 2")



Community wastewater influent flow



Notes:

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Wastewater influent flow was lower by ~8% lower compared to the 2018/19 average

Data Notes: includes both Drake and Mulberry treatment plants

Non-payment Disconnect Information



Notes:

- Weekly average data from March 26 to December 31 is 46% higher than the 2019 monthly average
- Distribution of CARES Act funding has supported over 1350 customers with nearly \$550,000 to pay outstanding account balances related to COVID-19
- Late and reconnection fees have been waived since April
- Disconnect notices resumed in November for past-due accounts

Data Notes: Data collected daily Monday through Friday each week

Next steps

Monthly data and metric updates

 Reports available on Utilities website (https://www.fcgov.com/utilities/covid-19)

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Utilities COVID-19 Dashboard

See how COVID-19 is impacting our electric and water use, as well as the amount of wastewater treated at our water reclamation facilities. Numbers are updated weekly and presented to Council monthly.

View Dashboard

Data and Analysis Notes

Electricity use by sector analysis notes:

- 2019 data (Jan-Dec) is used as the baseline with linear or parabolic weather normalization
- Weather normalization is split into weekday and weekend day types
- Premises in each rate class grouped based on classification in Q1 2020
- Uncertainty in the estimated usage is about 3% after systematic corrections
- Residential analysis does not account for vacant dwellings which may be impacted calculated averages

Water use by sector analysis notes:

- Single-family sector also includes duplex home types
- Small and medium commercial sector includes tap sizes from ³/₄ to 2 inches
- Larger and industrial sector not charted; usage appears to not be impacted by covid19
- Irrigation only water taps excluded
- Comparison is to similar period in 2019
- No weather normalization included