Budget Billing Application

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As a convenience for customers, the City of Morganton continues to offer a "Budget Billing" program to help manage unexpectedly high utility bills during winter and summer months. Budget Billing customers make fixed monthly payments throughout the year and then with the June bill, the customer account is settled by either paying any balance owed or by the City issuing a check, if the customer's actual utility usage has been less than expected.

The fixed monthly payment is based on the customer's previous years' utility usage. While the program doesn't reduce bills for savings, it does allow the customer to manage cash flow with level payments for most of the year. Customers can enroll in Budget Billing throughout June and July for the Budget Billing cycle which runs from July 1 through June 30th of the following year. Except for Budget Billing, normal utility policies apply. The fixed payment is not a negotiated amount, so let the City staff calculate your monthly fixed payment today.

To qualify, customers must:

- have been a utility customer with the City for one year
- paid utility bills on time
- no history of bad checks

Customers may opt out of Budget Billing at any time, but payment of the balance owed will be required.

Customer Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Account#: _____

Phone: _____

Budget Billing monthly payment agreement calculated by City staff

Monthly Budget Billing Total **$** _____

Signature: _____ **Date**: _____

Print Name: _____

Enrollment Approved By

Signature: _____ **Date**: _____

Print Name: _____

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