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#### Water

Name:	Oskaloosa Municipal Water Department		
Location:	Oskaloosa , Iowa (Mahaska)		
Well Avg Depth (ft):	55	Peak Demand (mgd):	1.9000
Treated:	Yes	Cost/1000 Gal:	\$19.52
Rated Capacity (mgd):	3.0000	Storage Capacity (gal):	2,000,000
Temp Range (F):	50	Major Source:	Wells
Avg Capacity (mgd):	1.2000	Hardness (ppm):	118.0
Connection Fee:	Unknown		
Phone:	6416738476	Web Address:	<a href="http://www.oskaloosawater.org">www.oskaloosawater.org</a>

Data Source: Oskaloosa Municipal Water Department (2005)

#### Comments:

The connection fee for water service varies depending on the type of business and usage. The cost broken down is \$2.44/750 gallons with a quarterly minimum of \$14.64.

#### Sewer

Name:	City of Oskaloosa		
Location:	Oskaloosa , Iowa (Mahaska)		
Ownership Type:	Municipal	Average Daily Demand (mgd):	1.642
Rated Capacity (mgd):	2.2500	Peak Demand (mgd):	2.2500
Cost/1000 Gal:	\$3.87	Connection Fee:	Yes
Phone:	641 673 7472	Web Address:	

Data Source: City of Oskaloosa Public Works Department (2005)

Comments:

The City of Oskaloosa charges a flat rate of \$18.18 per quarter. There are additional charges for commercial properties as follows: \$9.09 more for restaurants, bakeries, and related foodservice; car washes are \$6.06 more; and commercial laundries pay \$1.82 more.

**Electric**

Name: MidAmerican Energy  
Location: Oskaloosa , IA (Mahaska)  
Ownership Type: Private Regulated: Yes  
Peak Demand (kW): 4,136 Generation Capacity (MW): 5,032  
Customers Served (Local): 5,636 Customers Served (State): 625,527  
Customers Served (System): 713,940  
Phone: 800-358-6265 Web Address: [www.midamericanenergy.com](http://www.midamericanenergy.com)

Distributor Comments:

Data Source: MidAmerican Energy Company (2007)

Comments:

**Natural Gas**

Name: MidAmerican Energy  
Location: Oskaloosa , IA (Mahaska)  
Customers Served (Local): 4,613 Customers Served (State): 543,880  
Customers Served (System): 694,493  
Pipeline Source: Gas Transportation Available: Yes  
Ownership Type: Private  
Phone: 800-358-6265 Web Address: [www.midamericanenergy.com](http://www.midamericanenergy.com)

Data Source: MidAmerican Energy Company (2007)

Comments:

**Telecommunications**

Name: Mahaska Communications Group  
Location: Oskaloosa , IA (Mahaska) POP Location: Oskaloosa  
Service Type: Phone, internet, IP-based video, VoIP DSL: No  
Customers Served (State): 3,600 Customers Served (System): 3,500  
Fiber Optics: Yes Switch Services: Yes, TDM, POTS and VoIP  
Phone: 641-673-1000 Web Address: [www.mahaska.org](http://www.mahaska.org)

Name: KDSI  
Location: Oskaloosa , IA (Mahaska) POP Location: Oskaloosa  
Service Type: Dial-up internet DSL: No  
Customers Served (State): 0 Customers Served (System): 0  
Fiber Optics: No Switch Services:  
Phone: 641-672-2505 Web Address:

Name: IowaTelecom  
Location: Newton , IA (Jasper) POP Location: Newton  
Service Type: Phone and internet DSL: Yes  
Customers Served (State): 0 Customers Served (System): 0  
Fiber Optics: No Switch Services:  
Phone: 641-787-2009 Web Address:

Name: Qwest  
Location: POP Location:  
Service Type: Phone and internet DSL: Yes  
Customers Served 0 Customers Served 0

(State):  
Fiber Optics: No  
Phone: 1-800-603-6000

(System):  
Switch Services:  
Web Address:

Name: Mediacom  
Location:  
Service Type: Cable and internet  
Customers Served (State): 0

POP Location:  
DSL: Yes  
Customers Served (System): 0

Fiber Optics: No  
Phone:  
Switch Services:  
Web Address:

Data Source: Mahaska Communications Group

Comments:

MCG provides broadband internet, IP-based video, POTS and VoIP phone service over a triple-play fiber to the home (FTTH) network with 100 Mbps and 1,000 Mbps of broadband capacity to the home or business. Four OC-48 circuits on two SONET rings intersecting in the middle of town provide resilient high-capacity traffic to other parts of the state and the Midwest. Additional capacity available for the expansion in 1,000 Mbps increments. IP video with 120 standard definition and 25 high definition channels plus 30 music channels, VoD, PPV and local broadcast capabilities. VoIP switch with 10,000 lines capacity. Internet speeds of 100 Mbps up and down standard. Additional speeds up to 1,000 Mbps available.

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