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BUFFALO CREEK PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT
a public utility

OF

AMHERSTDALE, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING
WATER

at Triadelphia Magisterial District, Accoville, Amherstdale, Brueholm, Latrobe, Lundale,
Robinette, Proctor Bottom, Kistler and Lorado, Logan County, West Virginia

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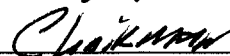
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Title

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- I. Rules and Regulations for the Government of Water Utilities, adopted by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, and now in effect, and all amendments thereto and modifications thereof hereafter made by said Commission.

SCHEDULE I

STEP 1

(Effective for a period of 24 months beginning June 1, 2017)

(C) **APPLICABILITY**

Applicable within the entire territory served, except the former customers of the Town of Man.

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial service.

RATES

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$10.03 per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000 gallons used per month	\$ 6.44 per 1,000 gallons
Next	8,000 gallons used per month	\$ 4.82 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	15,000 gallons used per month	\$ 3.22 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE

No bill will be rendered for less than the following based on meter size:

5/8 inch meter	\$ 20.06 per month
3/4 inch meter	\$ 30.09 per month
1 inch meter	\$ 50.15 per month
1 - 1/4 inch meter	\$ 73.22 per month
1 - 1/2 inch meter	\$ 100.30 per month
2 inch meter	\$ 160.48 per month
3 inch meter	\$ 320.96 per month
4 inch meter	\$ 501.50 per month

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full when due, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net current amount unpaid. This delayed payment penalty is not interest and is to be collected only once for each bill where it is appropriate.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the water utility up to a maximum of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(C) Indicates change in text

(N)

SCHEDULE II
STEP 1 (Continued)

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the District up to a maximum of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

RECONNECTION - \$20.00

To be charged whenever the supply of water is turned off for violation of rules, nonpayment of bills or fraudulent use of water.

TAP FEE

The following charges are to be made whenever the utility installs a new tap to serve an applicant.

A tap fee of \$250.00 will be charged to customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system. The fee for connecting larger meters shall be actual cost plus twenty percent (20%).

SECURITY DEPOSIT

A security deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall be required of all new customers.

(N) Indicates new schedule

SCHEDULE I

STEP 2

(Effective 24 months after June 1, 2017)

APPLICABILITY

Applicable within the entire territory served, except the former customers of the Town of Man.

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial service.

(D) **RATES**

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$ 9.30 per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000 gallons used per month	\$ 5.98 per 1,000 gallons
Next	8,000 gallons used per month	\$ 4.47 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	15,000 gallons used per month	\$ 2.99 per 1,000 gallons

(D) **MINIMUM CHARGE**

No bill will be rendered for less than the following based on meter size:

5/8 inch meter	\$ 18.60 per month
3/4 inch meter	\$ 27.90 per month
1 inch meter	\$ 46.50 per month
1 - 1/4 inch meter	\$ 67.89 per month
1 - 1/2 inch meter	\$ 93.00 per month
2 inch meter	\$ 148.80 per month
3 inch meter	\$ 297.60 per month
4 inch meter	\$ 465.00 per month

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

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RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the District up to a maximum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(D) Indicates decrease

SCHEDULE I (Continued)
STEP 2 (Continued)

RECONNECTION FEE- \$25.00

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TAP FEE

The following charge is to be made whenever the utility installs a new tap to serve an applicant.

A tap fee of \$250.00 will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.23 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when a bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such consumption above customer's historical average.

(D) **FIRE HYDRANTS**

Monthly service charge per hydrant \$1.80

SECURITY DEPOSIT

Not to exceed two-twelfths (2/12) of the average annual usage of the applicant's specific customer class, or fifty dollars (\$50.00), whichever is greater. This fee may be changed by applicable statutory provisions.

(D) Indicates decrease

SCHEDULE II
STEP 2

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to the former customers of the Town of Man, except booster service.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general, domestic, commercial and industrial service

RATES

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$10.59 per 1,000 gallons
Next	6,000 gallons used per month	\$ 8.45 per 1,000 gallons
Next	7,000 gallons used per month	\$ 7.55 per 1,000 gallons
Next	15,000 gallons used per month	\$ 6.25 per 1,000 gallons
Next	40,000 gallons used per month	\$ 5.00 per 1,000 gallons
Next	280,000 gallons used per month	\$ 3.38 per 1,000 gallons
Next	350,000 gallons used per month	\$ 2.45 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE

No bill will be rendered for less than \$21.18 per month:

5/8 inch meter or less	\$ 21.18 per month
3/4 inch meter	\$ 40.32 per month
1 inch meter	\$ 71.68 per month
1 - 1/4 inch meter	\$ 111.98 per month
1 - 1/2 inch meter	\$ 286.67 per month
2 inch meter	\$ 573.35 per month
3 inch meter	\$ 645.03 per month
4 inch meter	\$ 1146.67 per month
6 inch meter	\$ 2,580.01 per month

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SCHEDULE II (Continued)
STEP 2 (Continued)

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