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# RALEIGH COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility OF

SOPHIA, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

### WATER

in territories in Raleigh and Wyoming Counties, Beaver and Grandview areas, Raleigh County and area formerly served by Mead Community Water System

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# **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**

#### **APPLICABILITY**

Applicable within the entire territory served, except those former customers of the Glen White-Trap Hill PSD.

# **AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE**

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial customers.

# (I) METERED RATES

First 2,000 gallons used per month \$9.73 per 1,000 gallons All Over 2,000 gallons used per month \$9.73 per 1,000 gallons

# (I) FLAT RATE CHARGE (Customers with non-metered water supply)

Equivalent to 4,000 gallons of water usage - \$38.92

# (I) MINIMUM CHARGE

No bill will be rendered for less than the following amounts according to the size of the meter installed, to-wit:

5/8 inch meter	\$ 19.46 per month
3/4 inch meter	\$ 29.19 per month
1 inch meter	\$ 48.65 per month
1½ inch meter	\$ 97.30 per month
2 inch meter	\$ 155.68 per month
3 inch meter	\$ 311.36 per month
4 inch meter	\$ 486.50 per month
6 inch meter	\$ 973.00 per month
8 inch meter	\$1,556.80 per month

#### RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the bank fee assessed to the District, not to exceed \$25.00, will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

#### (I) Indicates increase

# **SCHEDULE I** (Continued)

#### **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.

#### **RECONNECTION FEE**

\$25.00

To be charged when the supply of water is turned off for violations of rules, non-payment 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 all customers who apply for service outside a certificate proceeding.

#### LEAK ADJUSTMENT INCREMENT

\$3.41 per M. gallons. 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 unusual consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

#### MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

\$100.00 to move an existing water meter for the benefit of the customer at the customer's request.

\$50.00 to raise or lower an existing meter for the benefit of the customer at the customer's request.

#### SECURITY DEPOSIT

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

#### **SCHEDULE II**

#### **APPLICABILITY**

Applicable to former customers of the Glen White-Trap Hill PSD.

#### **AVAILABILITY**

Availability for general domestic, commercial, industrial and sale for resale water service.

# (I) <u>RATES</u> (customers with metered water supply)

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$ 11.96 per 1,000 gallons
Next	8,000 gallons used per month	\$ 9.44 per 1,000 gallons
Next	20,000 gallons used per month	\$ 7.88 per 1,000 gallons
Next	20,000 gallons used per month	\$ 5.82 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	r 50,000 gallons used per month	\$ 4.84 per 1,000 gallons

# (I) MINIMUM CHARGE

No minimum bill shall be rendered for less than the following amounts, according to the size of the meter installed:

	5/8 inch meter	\$ 23.92 per month
3	3/4 inch meter	\$ 35.88 per month
1	inch meter	\$ 59.80 per month
1 -	1/2 inch meter	\$ 119.60 per month
2	inch meter	\$ 191.36 per month
3	inch meter	\$ 382.72 per month
4	inch meter	\$ 598.00 per month
6	inch meter	\$1,196.00 per month
8	inch meter	\$1,913.60 per month

# (I) RESALE RATE

All water for resale to City of Lester and Raleigh County Public Service District will be billed in accordance with the approved rate of \$4.80 per 1,000 gallons used per month.

# (I) Indicates increase

# **SCHEDULE II** (Continued)

#### DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full when due, ten percent 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.

#### **RECONNECTION**

\$10.00

To be charged whenever the supply of water is turned off for violations of rules, non-payment 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 \$100.00 will be charged to customers applying for service before construction is completed adjacent to the customer's premises in connection with a certificate proceeding before the Commission. This pre-construction tap fee will be invalid after the completion of construction adjacent to an applicant's premises that is associated with a certificate proceeding.

A tap fee of \$350.00, or the actual cost of the connection (solely determined by the District), whichever is greater, 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

\$2.88 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the 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 the customer's historical average usage.

# **SCHEDULE II** (Continued)

# RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

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

#### **SECURITY DEPOSIT**

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