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LEADSVILLE PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility

OF

LEADSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING
SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICE

Leadsville, Randolph County, West Virginia

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Chairman of the Board

Title

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- I. Rules and Regulations for the Government of Sewerage 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.

APPLICABILITY

Applicable within entire territory served.

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial, industrial service and sale for resale sewer service.

METERED RATES (customers with metered water supply)

First	3,000 gallons of water used per month	\$7.73 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000 gallons of water used per month	\$7.36 per 1,000 gallons
Next	4,000 gallons of water used per month	\$7.06 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000 gallons of water used per month	\$6.66 per 1,000gallons

FLAT SEWER RATES (Unmetered Customers)

Residences and small commercial users \$26.60

MINIMUM CHARGE

No monthly bill will be rendered for less than Fourteen Dollars \$14.00 per month.

The above minimum charge is subject to an additional \$3.06 per 1,000 gallons of water used 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.

TAP FEE

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

A tap fee of \$25.00 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 the applicant's premises that is associated with a certificate proceeding.

A tap fee of \$200.00 will be charged to customers applying for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

WATER DISCONNECT - RECONNECT FEES

In conjunction with a water termination agreement with the City of Elkins

Whenever water service has been disconnected for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with the City of Elkins, a disconnection fee of \$10.00 shall be charged.

Whenever water service, which has been previously disconnected or otherwise withheld for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with the City of Elkins is reconnected, a fee of \$10.00 shall be charged.

WATER DISCONNECT - RECONNECT FEES

In conjunction with a water termination agreement with the Midland Public Service District

Whenever water service has been disconnected for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with Midland Public Service District, a disconnection fee of \$10.00 shall be charged.

Whenever water service, which has been previously disconnected or otherwise withheld for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with Midland Public Service District is reconnected, a fee of \$10.00 shall be charged.

WASTEWATER OF EXCESSIVE STRENGTH

Following is the manner of determining a surcharge for wastewater of excessive strength:

$$C_s = (B_c[(B) + S] + P) V_u$$

Where:

- C_s = Surcharge for wastewater of excessive strength.
- B_c = Operation and maintenance costs for treatment of a unit of BOD
- B = Concentration of SS from a user above the normal level.
- S_c = Operation and maintenance costs for treatment of a unit of suspended Solids.
- S = Concentration of SS from a user above the normal level.
- P_c = Operation and maintenance costs for treatment of a unit of any pollutant.
- P = Concentration of any pollutant for a user above the normal level.
- V_u = Volume of contribution from a user per unit of time

LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$4.02 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when a bill reflects unusual water consumption which can be attributed to eligible leakage on customer's side of meter. This rate shall be applied to all such consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

SCHEDULE I

SURCHARGE FORMULA TO BE APPLIED IN CASES WHERE SURFACE DRAINAGE IS CONNECTED TO THE UTILITY'S SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM

APPLICABILITY

Whenever the Utility has approved the connection of a customer's drain or other similar facilities conducting surface water to an oil-water separator to the Utility's sewer system, a surcharge will be imposed upon the customer calculated on the basis of the following formula:

$$S = A \times R \times .0006233 \times C$$

- S = The surcharge in dollars
- A = The area under roof and/or the area of any other water collection
- R = The measured monthly rainfall in inches
- .0006233 = A conversion factor to change inches of rain x square feet of surface to thousands of gallons of water
- C = The utility's approved rate per thousand gallons of metered water usage and/or the customer usage charge per thousand gallons for the area in which the customer is located.

The Surcharge amount shall be calculated on an annual basis at the start of each year using the average monthly rainfall for the previous year as determined by the National Weather Service, and imposed for each month that said condition continues to exist. Failure to pay the surcharge shall give rise to the possible termination of water service in accordance with the Rules of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia.