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TOWN OF DURBIN, a municipal utility

OF

DURBIN, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICE

at Durbin and vicinity, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

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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 the entire territory served

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial sewer service

RATES (Customers with metered water supply)

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$9.75 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000 gallons used per month	\$6.40 per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000 gallons used per month	\$5.00 per 1,000 gallons
Next	10,000 gallons used per month	\$3.65 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	20,000 gallons used per month	\$2.71 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE

No bill will be issued for less than \$19.50 per month, which is the equivalent of 2,000 gallons.

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

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

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 customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

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

LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$0.45 per 1,000 gallons of water is to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible water leakage on customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such consumption above customer's historical average usage.

FEES FOR DISCONNECTION AND RECONNECTION OF WATER SERVICE

Disconnection Fee - \$20.00

Reconnection Fee - \$20.00

Administrative Fee - \$20.00

SURCHARGE FORMULA TO BE APPLIED IN CASES WHERE SURFACE DRAINAGE IS CONNECTED TO THE DISTRICT'S SANITARY SEWER SYSTEMAPPLICABILITY:

Whenever the utility has discovered that a customer's roof drain, downspout, storm sewer or other similar facilities conducting surface water have been connected to the utility's sewer system, and such customer has failed to take appropriate action, within thirty (30) days of receipt of a demand by the utility in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission, to eliminate such connection, 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 surface connected to the sanitary sewer, in square feet.
- 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.

The utility shall not impose the surcharge unless and until the customer has been notified by certified mail, return receipt requested, or by hand delivery, that it has been established by smoke testing, dye testing, or on-site inspection that rain or other surface water is being introduced into the sanitary sewer system at the customer's location, and that the customer has not acted within thirty (30) days from receipt of such notice to divert the water from the sanitary sewer system.

Said surcharge shall be calculated and imposed for each month that said condition continues to exist. Failure to pay the surcharge and/or correct the situation shall give rise to the possible termination of water service in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia.