

TOWN OF WARDENSVILLE, a municipal utility

OF

WARDENSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

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

at Wardensville and adjacent areas, Hardy County, West Virginia

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Mayor

Town of Wardensville (Sewer)

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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 OF SERVICE

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial sewer service

(I) RATE

First	2,000	gallons used per month	\$9.12 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000	gallons used per month	7.34 per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000	gallons used per month	5.86 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons used per month	5.63 per 1,000 gallons

(I) MINIMUM MONTHLY BILL

No monthly bill shall be rendered for less than \$18.24

(I) FLAT RATE FOR UNMETERED CUSTOMERS

\$42.85

(I) CONNECTION CHARGE

5/8 inch meter	\$ 950.00
3/4 inch to 1-1/2 inch meter	\$1,600.00
2 inch meter and larger	\$2,200.00

DISCONNECT-RECONNECT/ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

Disconnection Fee:	\$20.00
Reconnection Fee:	\$20.00
Administrative Fee	\$20.00*

This fee is applicable when an employee is dispatched to said premises to execute a termination request but does not actually terminate water service because the customer or other responsible party delivers payment to the full amount of the delinquent bill(s).

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full within 20 days of the billing date, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net current amount shown. This delayed payment penalty is not interest and is only to be collected once for each bill where it is a appropriate.

(I) Indicates increase

EXCISE TAX

2% of gross amount

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

Whenever a check is returned for insufficient funds, a service charge of actual cost to the utility (not to exceed \$25.00) shall be charged.

SECURITY DEPOSITS - \$50.00

LEAK ADJUSTMENT INCREMENT

An incremental charge of \$0.16 per M gallons shall be charged for all sewer billed in excess of the customer's historic usage.

SURCHARGE FORMULA TO BE APPLIED IN THE CASES OF USERS
PRODUCING UNUSUAL WASTE

The charge for the treatment of unusual waste will be calculated on the basis of the following formula:

$$C_i = V_o V_i + B_o B_i + S_o S_i$$

C_i = charge to unusual users per year

V_o = average unit cost of transport and treatment

V_i = volume of wastewater from unusual users, in gallons per year

B_o = average unit cost of treatment, chargeable to Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD), in dollars per pound

B_i = weight of BOD from unusual users, in pounds per year

S_o = average unit cost of treatment (including sludge treatment) chargeable to total solids, in dollars per pound

S_i = weight of total solids from unusual users, in pounds per year

When an unusual user is to be served, a preliminary study of its wastes, and the cost of transport and treatment thereof, will be made. Waste containing materials which, in the judgment of the Town of Wardensville should not be introduced into the sewer system need not be handled by it. The results of this preliminary study will be used to determine the feasibility of the proposed sewer service and the charge therefore, based upon the formula set out above.

Thereafter, unusual sewage will be monitored on a regular basis and at the conclusion of each fiscal year, based on the investigation aforesaid and audit of the Town of Wardensville records, new cost figures will be calculated for use in the above formula. The cost of establishing the monitoring facilities shall be paid by the unusual user. Based on these audited figures, additional billings covering the past fiscal year will be made for payment by each unusual user, or refund given by the Town of Wardensville as the case may be. Such audited figures will then be used for the preliminary billing for the next fiscal year, at the end of which an adjustment will be made as aforesaid.

CAPACITY IMPROVEMENT CAPITAL COST FEE

In addition to all the fees provided above, there shall be paid to the City at the time the application is made for connection of an unserved facility to the sewer system a capacity improvement capital cost fee of \$2,800 for each residential connection. Connections for non-residential use shall be paid in accordance with a residential usage equivalent schedule set forth herein. The funds collected from the capacity improvement capital cost fee shall be maintained in a separate fund by the Sewer System and shall be used only for the purpose of improving the sewer system treatment facilities. The usage equivalent for other than single family residential units for the capacity improvement capital cost fee shall be based upon the following residential usage equivalent multiplier:

RESIDENTIAL USAGE EQUIVALENTS FOR CAPACITY IMPROVEMENT CAPITAL COST FEE

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>GALLONS PER DAY</u>	<u>RESIDENTIAL USAGE EQUIVALENT</u>
Apartments	150/unit	1.0/unit
Bowling Alleys	200/alley	1.33/alley
Churches with kitchen	8/member	0.05/member
Churches w/o kitchen	2/member	0.013/member
Food Service	32/seat	0.213/seat
Fast Food Restaurant	35/seat	0.23/seat
Bar & Cocktail Lounge (additive)	2/patron	0.013/patron
Tavern-Little or no food	20/seat	0.132/per seat
Hotel	120/room	0.8/per room
Industry, sanitary	15/person/shift	0.1/person per shift
<u>Institutions</u>		
Hospital	250/bed	1.67/bed
Nursing Homes	150/bed	1.0/bed
Others	75/person	0.5/person

RESIDENTIAL USAGE EQUIVALENTS FOR CAPACITY IMPROVEMENT
CAPITAL COST FEE (Continued)

Office Buildings	15/person	0.1/person
Laundry Self Service	250/washer	1.67/washer
Motels	120/room	0.8/room
Retail Stores	400/toilet room	2.67/toilet room
Residence	150/residence	1.0/residence
<u>School:</u>		
Day, no cafeteria/showers	15/pupil	0.1 /pupil
Day with cafeteria	18/pupil	0.12/pupil
Day with cafeteria/showers	20/pupil	0.133/pupil
Boarding	75/pupil	0.5/pupil
Service Station	500/set of pumps	3.33/set of pumps
Shopping Centers	16/100 ft. of sales area	0.12/100 ft. of sales area
Swimming Pools	10/swimmer design capacity	0.067/swimmer design capacity
Theaters	3/seat	0.02/seat
Warehouse	15/employee	0.1/employee

If a unit does not appear on this schedule the Town shall determine its Residential Usage Equivalent in consultation with its consulting engineer.