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CITY OF NEW MARTINSVILLE, a public utility
OF
NEW MARTINSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA
RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING
WATER

at New Martinsville, Wetzel County, West Virginia

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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.

CITY OF NEW MARTINSVILLE (Water)

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APPLICABILITY

Applicable in entire territory served commencing May 1, 2011.

AVAILABILITY

Available for general residential, commercial, industrial and sale for resale (non contract) water service

RATES (CUSTOMERS WITH METERED WATER SUPPLY)

First	4,000 gallons used per month	\$7.25 per 1,000 gallons
Next	6,000 gallons used per month	\$5.25 per 1,000 gallons
Next	20,000 gallons used per month	\$3.90 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	30,000 gallons used per month	\$2.60 per 1,000 gallons

FLAT RATE CHARGE (CUSTOMERS WITH NON-METERED WATER SUPPLY)

Equivalent to 4,000 gallons of water usage, \$29.00

MINIMUM CHARGE

No minimum bill be rendered for less than \$29.00 per month which is the equivalent of 4,000 gallons

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Equivalent Gallons</u>
5/8 inch meter	\$ 29.00 per month	4,000
3/4 inch meter	\$ 43.50 per month	6,762
1 inch meter	\$ 72.50 per month	13,077
1- 1/4 inch meter	\$ 105.85 per month	21,628
1- 1/2 inch meter	\$ 145.00 per month	32,500
2 inch meter	\$ 232.00 per month	65,962
3 inch meter	\$ 435.00 per month	144,038
4 inch meter	\$ 725.00 per month	257,577
6 inch meter	\$1,450.00 per month	534,423
8 inch meter	\$2,320.00 per month	869,038

WATER RATES COMMON TO ALL SCHEDULES

QUARTERLY OR BI MONTHLY BILLING

The above rates and charges may be adjusted to a quarterly or bi-monthly billing basis, providing no lower charges apply.

(N) EFT, CREDIT CARD, ACH AND DROP BOX PAYMENTS

A service charge will be imposed on EFT, Credit Card, ACH or Drop Box payments. The amount shall be equal to the actual charges to the utility from the financial institutional for processing payment.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank for any reason.

DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE

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.

DISCONNECT/RECONNECT ADMINISTRATIVE FEE

Whenever water service has been disconnected for non-payment, a disconnection fee of \$25.00 shall be charged; or in the event the delinquent bill is collected by the water department in the field, an administrative fee of \$25.00 shall be charged. A \$25.00 reconnection fee will be assessed for each occurrence where water service is restored, after water service has been terminated for non-payment.

TAP FEE (up to and including 1 inch service)

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

A tap fee of \$150.00 will be charged to customers applying for service before construction is started in connection with an extension. This pre-construction tap fee will be invalid after construction commences.

A tap fee of \$350.00 will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of an extension for each new tap to the system.

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TAP FEE (above 1 inch service)

2 inch	\$ 450.00
3 inch	\$ 750.00
4 inch	\$1,500.00
6 inch	\$3,000.00

LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.00 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 the customer's historical average usage.

MULTIPLE SERVICE RATES

When more than one unit of space is served through a single meter, the monthly combined bill shall not be less than the minimum charge for the size meter installed times the number of separate units of space occupied during the month.