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**CITY OF SPENCER, a municipal utility**

OF

SPENCER, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

**WATER**

In and near Spencer to the City of Spencer, Roane County, WV

Filed with **THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

of

**WEST VIRGINIA**

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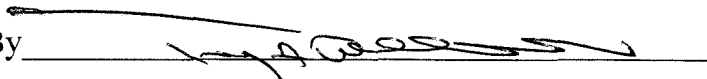
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By



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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.

**RATE 1 (LOW LEVEL)**

**APPLICABILITY**

Applicable through entire service territory, except such territories as served through booster stations.

**AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE**

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial water services within the territory served.

(I) **RATE**

|          |                                |                          |
|----------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| First    | 2,000 gallons used per month   | \$6.69 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 3,000 gallons used per month   | \$6.46 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 25,000 gallons used per month  | \$5.31 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 70,000 gallons used per month  | \$2.15 per 1,000 gallons |
| All Over | 100,000 gallons used per month | \$2.08 per 1,000 gallons |

(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 or less | \$ 13.38 per month   |
| 3/4 inch meter         | \$ 20.08 per month   |
| 1 inch meter           | \$ 33.47 per month   |
| 1-1/4 inch meter       | \$ 48.87 per month   |
| 1-1/2 inch meter       | \$ 66.95 per month   |
| 2 inch meter           | \$ 107.11 per month  |
| 3 inch meter           | \$ 200.83 per month  |
| 4 inch meter           | \$ 334.72 per month  |
| 6 inch meter           | \$ 669.44 per month  |
| 8 inch meter           | \$1,071.11 per month |

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE 1 (LOW LEVEL) Continued**

**DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE**

The above tariff is net. On all current usage billings not paid in full within twenty (20) days, 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. No bill shall be considered delinquent any sooner than thirty (30) days from the billing date.

**(C, I) SERVICE CONNECTION FEE (TAP FEE)**

The connection fee shall be seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) for each new water service line 5/8" and smaller, and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) for 1" service lines and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee for water service lines larger than 1" shall be the actual cost of the installation, and shall include the tap of the main, the service line from the main to the property line, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault. Upon receipt of an application for a service connection larger than 1", the utility will provide an estimate of actual cost, which amount must be deposited by the applicant in advance of installation. Upon completion of the installation, a final settlement of the actual installation cost will be prepared and submitted for payment to the applicant. The amount of payment due will be reduced by the amount of the advance deposit. In the event of an excess in the amount deposited over the actual cost, the amount of excess will be promptly refunded to the applicant.

(C) Indicates change in text

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE 1 (LOW LEVEL) Continued**

(C) **RECONNECT CHARGE**

A reconnection charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) shall be made to restore disconnected service.

(N) **LEAK ADJUSTMENT**

\$1.23 per M. Gal to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which is 2.5 times above the customer's historical average usage. Leak adjustments are available to a customer once every twelve months.

(N) **RETURNED CHECK CHARGE**

A returned check charge of twenty five dollars (\$25.00) shall be charged when a check is returned. Once a check has been returned, checks will not be accepted from the organization or individual for a period of twelve months.

(C) Indicates change in text

(N) Indicates new

**RATE II (BOOSTER LEVEL)**

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to territory served by Spencer Plant through Booster Stations.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial services.

(I) RATE

|          |                                |                           |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| First    | 2,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 7.36 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 3,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 7.18 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 25,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 5.85 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 70,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 2.38 per 1,000 gallons |
| All Over | 100,000 gallons used per month | \$ 2.13 per 1,000 gallons |

(I) MINIMUM CHARGE

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

|                        |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 5/8 inch meter or less | \$ 14.72 per month    |
| 3/4 inch meter         | \$ 22.08 per month    |
| 1 inch meter           | \$ 36.80 per month    |
| 1-1/4 inch meter       | \$ 53.72 per month    |
| 1-1/2 inch meter       | \$ 73.59 per month    |
| 2 inch meter           | \$ 117.76 per month   |
| 3 inch meter           | \$ 220.79 per month   |
| 4 inch meter           | \$ 367.98 per month   |
| 6 inch meter           | \$ 735.97 per month   |
| 8 inch meter           | \$ 1,177.54 per month |

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE II (BOOSTER LEVEL) Continued**

**DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE**

The above tariff is net. On all current usage billings not paid in full within twenty (20) days, 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. No bill shall be considered delinquent any sooner than thirty (30) days from the billing date.

**(C,I) SERVICE CONNECTION FEE (TAP FEE)**

The connection fee shall be seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) for each new water service line 5/8" and smaller, and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) for 1" service lines and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee for water service lines larger than 1" shall be the actual cost of the installation, and shall include the tap of the main, the service line from the main to the property line, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault. Upon receipt of an application for a service connection larger than 1", the utility will provide an estimate of actual cost, which amount must be deposited by the applicant in advance of installation. Upon completion of the installation, a final settlement of the actual installation cost will be prepared and submitted for payment to the applicant. The amount of payment due will be reduced by the amount of the advance deposit. In the event of an excess in the amount deposited over the actual cost, the amount of excess will be promptly refunded to the applicant.

**(C) RECONNECT CHARGE**

A reconnection charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) shall be made to restore disconnected service.

(C) Indicates change in text

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE II (BOOSTER LEVEL) Continued**

(N) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.23 per M. Gal to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which is 2.5 times above the customer's historical average usage. Leak adjustments are available to a customer once every twelve months.

(N) RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A returned check charge of twenty five dollars (\$25.00) shall be charged when a check is returned. Once a check has been returned, checks will not be accepted from the organization or individual for a period of twelve months.

(N) Indicates new



**RATE III (RIPLEY ROAD LOW LEVEL AND ROUE 119)**

APPLICABILITY

Applicable throughout US Route 33 West, Steele Hollow Road, Nancy's Run Road and US Route 119 South, Speed Road and Missouri Fork Road, except ones served through Booster Stations.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial services.

(I) RATE

|          |                                |                            |
|----------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| First    | 2,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 13.53 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 3,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 12.76 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 25,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 12.34 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 70,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 4.31 per 1,000 gallons  |
| All Over | 100,000 gallons used per month | \$ 3.89 per 1,000 gallons  |

(I) MINIMUM CHARGE

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

|                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| 5/8 inch meter or less | \$ 27.06 per month  |
| 3/4 inch meter         | \$ 40.58 per month  |
| 1 inch meter           | \$ 67.64 per month  |
| 2 inch meter           | \$ 216.44 per month |
| 3 inch meter           | \$ 405.83 per month |

DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE

The above tariff is net. On all current usage billings not paid in full within twenty (20) days, 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. No bill shall be considered delinquent any sooner than thirty (30) days from the billing date.

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE III (RIPLEY ROAD LOW LEVEL AND ROUE 119) Continued**

(C, I) SERVICE CONNECTION FEE (TAP FEE)

The connection fee shall be seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) for each new water service line 5/8" and smaller, and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) for 1" service lines and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee for water service lines larger than 1" shall be the actual cost of the installation, and shall include the tap of the main, the service line from the main to the property line, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault. Upon receipt of an application for a service connection larger than 1", the utility will provide an estimate of actual cost, which amount must be deposited by the applicant in advance of installation. Upon completion of the installation, a final settlement of the actual installation cost will be prepared and submitted for payment to the applicant. The amount of payment due will be reduced by the amount of the advance deposit. In the event of an excess in the amount deposited over the actual cost, the amount of excess will be promptly refunded to the applicant.

RECONNECT CHARGE

A reconnection charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) shall be made to restore disconnected service.

- (C) Indicates change in text
- (I) Indicates increase

**RATE III (RIPLEY ROAD LOW LEVEL AND ROUE 119) Continued**

(N) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.23 per M. Gal to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which is 2.5 times above the customer's historical average usage. Leak adjustments are available to a customer once every twelve months.

(N) RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A returned check charge of twenty five dollars (\$25.00) shall be charged when a check is returned. Once a check has been returned, checks will not be accepted from the organization or individual for a period of twelve months.

(N) Indicates new

**RATE IV (RIPLEY ROAD PROJECT BOOSTER LEVEL)**

APPLICABILITY

Applicable throughout US Route 33 West, Steele Hollow Road, and Colt Ridge Road served by Spencer Plant through Booster Stations.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial services.

(I) RATE

|          |                                |                            |
|----------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| First    | 2,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 14.89 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 3,000 gallons used per month   | \$ 14.52 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 25,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 13.22 per 1,000 gallons |
| Next     | 70,000 gallons used per month  | \$ 4.81 per 1,000 gallons  |
| All Over | 100,000 gallons used per month | \$ 4.27 per 1,000 gallons  |

(I) MINIMUM CHARGE

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

|                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| 5/8 inch meter or less | \$ 29.78 per month  |
| 3/4 inch meter         | \$ 44.66 per month  |
| 1 inch meter           | \$ 74.42 per month  |
| 2 inch meter           | \$ 239.41 per month |
| 3 inch meter           | \$ 446.56 per month |

DELAYED PAYMENT CHARGE

The above tariff is net. On all current usage billings not paid in full within twenty (20) days, 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. No bill shall be considered delinquent any sooner than thirty (30) days from the billing date.

(I) Indicates increase

**RATE IV (RIPLEY ROAD PROJECT BOOSTER LEVEL) (Continued)**

(C, I) **SERVICE CONNECTION FEE (TAP FEE)**

The connection fee shall be seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) for each new water service line 5/8" and smaller, and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee shall be one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) for 1" service lines and shall include the tap of the main line, the service line from the main to the property line or curb stop, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault.

The connection fee for water service lines larger than 1" shall be the actual cost of the installation, and shall include the tap of the main, the service line from the main to the property line, and the meter installation, including the meter pit or vault. Upon receipt of an application for a service connection larger than 1", the utility will provide an estimate of actual cost, which amount must be deposited by the applicant in advance of installation. Upon completion of the installation, a final settlement of the actual installation cost will be prepared and submitted for payment to the applicant. The amount of payment due will be reduced by the amount of the advance deposit. In the event of an excess in the amount deposited over the actual cost, the amount of excess will be promptly refunded to the applicant.

**RECONNECTION CHARGE**

A reconnection charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) shall be made to restore disconnected service.

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- (I) Indicates increase

**RATE IV (RIPLEY ROAD PROJECT BOOSTER LEVEL) (Continued)**

(N) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.23 per M. Gal to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which is 2.5 times above the customer's historical average usage. Leak adjustments are available to a customer once every twelve months.

(N) RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A returned check charge of twenty five dollars (\$25.00) shall be charged when a check is returned. Once a check has been returned, checks will not be accepted from the organization or individual for a period of twelve months.

(N) Indicates new

**PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE**

APPLICABILITY

Applicable through entire served by the Spencer Plant.

(C) AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general service within areas of territories currently served by physical plant of sufficient capacity for the desired service as determined by the Utility.

(I) RATE

Where connections, hydrants, sprinklers, etc. on private property are maintained by consumer:

|                                                                        |                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 2 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections  | \$ 4.84 per month  |
| 3 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections  | \$ 5.82 per month  |
| 4 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections  | \$ 7.76 per month  |
| 6 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections  | \$ 17.45 per month |
| 8 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections  | \$ 31.00 per month |
| 10 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections | \$ 48.42 per month |
| 12 inch Service Line with hydrants, sprinklers and/or hose connections | \$ 69.75 per month |

Where connections and hydrants on private property are maintained by City:

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Each fire hydrant | \$20.18 per month |
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These terms are payable monthly in advance.

(C) Indicates change in text

(I) Indicates increase