

CURRENT AND PROPOSED SEWER RATES (TABLE 2)

USE	Current	Proposed				
		August 1, 2010	July 1, 2011	July 1, 2012	July 1, 2013	July 1, 2014
Residential Dwelling Unit						
Fixed/Minimum Charge (each dwelling unit)	\$47.18	\$47.18	\$50.44	\$58.40	\$60.39	\$62.44
Consumption Rate (\$/unit; 1 unit is 748 gallons or 100 cubic feet (hcf))	1.85	1.85	1.98	2.29	2.37	2.45
Commercial Consumption Rate (\$/unit; 1 unit is 748 gallons)						
Commercial Low strength	7.40	7.40	7.91	9.16	9.47	9.79
Commercial Moderate strength	7.91	7.91	8.46	9.79	10.12	10.47
Commercial Medium strength	13.99	13.99	14.96	17.32	17.91	18.52
Commercial High Strength	18.02	18.02	19.26	22.31	23.07	23.85
Commercial—Special circumstances	Determined on a case-by-case basis considering all aspects of the impact on the system and all other information deemed pertinent					
Minimum Charge (each sewer connection)	\$47.18	\$47.18	\$50.44	\$58.40	\$60.39	\$62.44

How Do I Calculate My New Sewer Rate

Basis of Proposed Rates: The proposed rates were designed to fairly and equitably recover the cost of providing sewer service from across all customer groups. The cost of providing sewer service will be recovered through a fixed fee, called the **monthly service charge** and through a **consumption fee** that will be calculated based on the January metered water use.

Estimating your New Sewer Bill

The fixed fee (called a monthly service charge) and the consumption fee, that will apply to your January metered water use, may be estimated as follows:

Step 1: Find your monthly service charge—Your water meter size will determine your **Monthly Service Charge**. The Proposed Rate Table, located above, shows the proposed **Monthly Service Charge** for each customer group.

Step 2: Determine your level of consumption—You can find this information in your most recent, January, water bill on the bottom right hand corner under water usage. The proposed consumption rates are listed at the top of the Proposed Rate Table located above.

Step 3: Estimate your new water bill—To calculate how much your new sewer bill will be, add your **monthly service charge** to your **consumption charge** (which is the number of units of water from January multiplied by the per unit consumption fee for your customer group).

The sample calculation on the right is for a single family home with a 8.5 units of consumption in January.

Estimating your New Sewer Bill:

Sample calculation using rates effective
August 1, 2010

Step 1: Monthly Service Charge

From the Proposed water rate table above, determine the monthly service charge
Residential = \$47.18/month

Step 2: Consumption Charge

Assuming this family uses 8.5 units of water in January
8.5 units @ \$1.85 per unit = \$15.73/month

Step 3: Estimate you new bill

Monthly service charge:	\$47.18
Consumption charge:	<u>\$15.73</u>
Projected new bill:	\$62.91

Sample calculation based on a single family home with January metered water use of 8.5 units (hcf).