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CITY OF MORGANTOWN
MORGANTOWN UTILILTY BOARD

OF

MORGANTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA

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

at Morgantown and vicinity, Monongalia County, West Virginia

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of
WEST VIRGINIA

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By



GENERAL MANAGER

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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.

SCHEDULE NO. 1

(C) APPLICABILITY

Applicable to entire territory served, except that served by Cheat Lake Wastewater Treatment Plant, the former Canyon Public Service District, and the former Scott's Run Public Service District. Effective for bills rendered on or after July 1, 2016, except as otherwise noted.

AVAILABILITY

Available for sanitary sewer service.

(I) RATE

Based upon the metered amount of water supplied

Gallons Used

First 60,000 per month, or 120,000 bi-monthly	\$ 8.74 per 1,000 gallons
All Over 60,000 per month, or 120,000 bi-monthly	\$ 7.50 per 1,000 gallons

(I) MINIMUM CHARGE

Per Month	\$ 8.74
Bi-Monthly	\$17.48

(C) TAP FEE

A tap fee of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) will be charged to all customers making a new connection to the sewer system.

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above tariff 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 delayed payment penalty is not interest and is only to be collected once for each month where it is appropriate.

RECONNECTION CHARGE

A fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) during Utility Board regular working hours and twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) after hours shall be charged whenever the service is disconnected for violations of rules, non-payment of bills, or fraudulent use of water. No such charge shall be assessed if the customer has paid a water reconnection charge for the same reconnection.

(C) Indicates change in text

(I) Indicates increase

SCHEDULE NO.1 (Continued)

(I,C) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$0.526 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible water leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such unusual consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

SUNSHINE ESTATES DEBT SERVICE SURCHARGE

Applicable only to customers in the Sunshine estate area:

\$32.00 per month per customer, or \$64.00 bi-monthly per customer. This surcharge will be evaluated annually and in the event that a change in the number of customers results in a five percent (5%) change in the rate, the rate will be adjusted.

SUNSHINE ESTATES DCPSD TRANSPORTATION SURCHARGE

Applicable only to customers in the Sunshine Estates area:

\$0.74 per 1,000 gallons

- (C) The surcharges described immediately above shall become effective upon completion of the Sunshine Estates Sewer Project and activation of public sewer service.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge of \$20.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

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

SCHEDULE NO. 2

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to territory served by the Cheat Lake Wastewater Treatment Plant.
Effective for bills rendered on or after July 1, 2014.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for sanitary sewer service.

RATE (Based upon the metered amount of water supplied)

Gallons Used			
First	2,000 or 4,000	per month bi-monthly	\$10.85 per 1,000 gallons
Next	8,000 16,000	per month bi-monthly	\$ 9.92 per 1,000 gallons
Next	20,000 or 40,000	per month bi-monthly	\$ 9.30 per 1,000 gallons
Next	30,000 or 60,000	per month bi-monthly	\$ 8.68 per 1,000 gallons
Next	940,000 or 1,880,000	per month bi-monthly	\$ 7.44 per 1,000 gallons
All over Or	1,000,000 or 2,000,000	per month bi-monthly	\$ 6.82 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE

Per month	\$21.70
Bi-monthly	\$43.40

TAP FEE

A fee of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) will be charged for new customers connecting to the sewerage system.

SCHEDULE NO. 2 (Continued)

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above tariff 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 delayed payment penalty is not interest and is only to be collected once for each month where it is appropriate.

RECONNECTION CHARGE

A fee of fifteen (\$15.00) during Utility Board regular working hours and twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) after hours shall be charged whenever the service is disconnected for violation of rules, nonpayment of bills, or fraudulent use of water. No such charge shall be assessed if the customer has paid a water reconnection charge for the same reconnection.

(C) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$1.404 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible water leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such unusual consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charges of \$20.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges s returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(C) Indicates change in text

SCHEDULE NO. 3

(C) APPLICABILITY

Applicable to territory served by Star City Wastewater Treatment Plant, and delivered by other systems. Effective for bills rendered on or after July 1, 2016.

AVAILABILITY

Available for sanitary sewer service to other systems.

(I) RATE

All wastewater from other systems will be treated at the approved rate of \$2.81 per 1,000 gallons.

(C) Indicates change in text

(I) Indicates increase

SCHEDULE NO. 4

(C) APPLICABILITY

Applicable to the former Canyon Public Service District service area. Effective for bills rendered on or after July 1, 2016.

AVAILABILITY

Available for sanitary sewer service.

RATES (Customers with metered water supply)

Service Charge	\$8.50 per month, or \$17.00 bi-monthly
Usage Charge	\$8.67 per 1,000 gallons

MINIMUM CHARGE

No minimum bill will be rendered for less than the following based on meter size:

Meter Size	Minimum Charge
5/8"	\$25.84 per month, or \$51.68 bi-monthly
1 1/2"	\$125.78 per month, or \$251.56 bi-monthly
2"	\$201.02 per month, or \$402.04 bi-monthly

FLAT RATE CHARGE

Customers with non-metered water supply \$25.84 per month, or \$51.68 bi-monthly.

(C) TAP FEE

A tap fee of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) will be charged to all customers making a new connection to the sewer system.

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above tariff 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 delayed payment penalty is not interest and is only to be collected once for each month where it is appropriate.

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SCHEDULE NO. 4 (Continued)

DISCONNECT/RECONNECT/ADMINISTRATION FEES

Whenever water service has been disconnected for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with the Cheat View Public Service District, a disconnection fee of \$15.00 shall be charged or in the event the delinquent sewer bill is collected by Cheat View Public Service District, an administrative fee of \$15.00 shall be charged.

Whenever water service, which has been previously disconnected or otherwise withheld for non-payment of a sewer bill in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with Cheat View Public Service District, is reconnected, a reconnection fee of \$15.00 shall be charged.

(I) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$0.526 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible water leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such unusual consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge of \$20.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(I) Indicates increase

SCHEDULE NO. 5

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to the former Scott's Run Public Service District service area.

AVAILABILITY

Available for sanitary sewer service.

RATES (Customers with metered water supply)

Service Charge	\$8.50 per month, or \$17.00 bi-monthly
Usage Charge	\$8.53 per 1,000 gallons

FLAT RATE CHARGE (Customer with non-metered water supply)

Equivalent to 4,000 gallons water usage, \$42.62 per monthly, or
Equivalent to 8,000 gallons water usage, \$85.24 bi-monthly

DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY

The above tariff 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 delayed payment penalty is not interest and is only to be collected once for each month where it is appropriate.

(C) TAP FEE

A tap fee of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) will be charged to all customers making a new connection to the sewer system.

DISCONNECT/RECONNECT/ADMINISTRATION FEES

Whenever water service has been disconnected for non-payment of sewer bills in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with the Pleasant Valley Public Service District, a disconnection fee of \$20.00 shall be charged or in the event the delinquent sewer bill is collected by Pleasant Valley Public Service District, an administrative fee of \$20.00 shall be charged.

Whenever water service, which has been previously disconnected or otherwise withheld for non-payment of a sewer bill in conjunction with a water service termination agreement with Pleasant Valley Public Service District, is reconnected, a reconnection fee of \$20.00 shall be charged.

(C) Indicates change in text

SCHEDULE NO. 5 (Continued)

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge of \$20.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(I) LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$0.526 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when a bill reflects unusual water consumption which can be attributed to eligible leakage on customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

(I) Indicates increase