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CENTRAL BOAZ PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility
OF

PARKERSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

WATER

in Williams Magisterial District, Wood County, West Virginia

Filed with THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
of
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.

APPLICABILITY

Applicable within the entire territory served.

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial water service.

(C)(I) RATES *

First	3,000 gallons used per month	\$7.84 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000 gallons used per month	\$6.79 per 1,000 gallons
Next	4,000 gallons used per month	\$6.09 per 1,000 gallons
Next	10,000 gallons used per month	\$5.20 per 1,000 gallons
All over	20,000 gallons used per month	\$3.56 per 1,000 gallons

(C)(I) MINIMUM CHARGE *

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

5/8	inch meter	\$ 23.52 per month
3/4	inch meter	\$ 35.28 per month
1	inch meter	\$ 58.80 per month
1-1/2	inch meter	\$ 85.85 per month
2	inch meter	\$117.60 per month
3	inch meter	\$188.16 per month

(C) DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY *

The above schedule is net. On all current usage billings not paid 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 once for each bill where it is appropriate.

TAP FEE

The following charge is to be made whenever the utility installs a new tap to serve an applicant:

A tap fee of \$350.00 will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

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(I) Indicates increase

RECONNECTION - \$20.00

To be charged whenever the supply of water is turned off for violation of rules, non-payment of bills or fraudulent use of water.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the District up to a maximum of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by their bank due to insufficient funds.

SECURITY DEPOSIT

Not to exceed two-twelfths (2/12) of the average usage of the applicant's specific customer class, or fifty dollars, whichever is greater. This fee may be changed by applicable statutory provisions.

(C)(D) LEAK ADJUSTMENT *

\$2.01 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 200% of the customer's historical usage.

(N) * 6.08% CASH WORKING CAPITAL RESERVE INCREMENT

6.08% of total billings at the indicated rates is required to be recorded as a credit to "Miscellaneous Operating Reserves," with related collections to be charged to "Other Special funds" and deposited into a distinct CWCR Bank Account.

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- (N) Indicates new

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Water Leak Adjustment Policy

As per "West Virginia Public Service Commission Rules and Regulations for the Government Of Water and Sewer Utilities", 150CSR7 6.4.3a

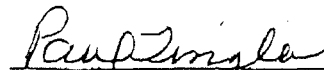
"Each utility shall implement a written leak adjustment policy consistent with this rule. Where the bill reflects unusual usage in excess of 200% of the customers historical usage that can be attributed to leakage on the customers side of the meter the utility will adjust the bill. The policy shall be maintained in the utility's office for inspection by the public and shall be applied in a non-discriminatory manner to all its customers. The policy shall be filed with the Commission as part of the utility's tariff. The reasonableness of the utility's policy shall be subject to approval by the Commission and the reasonableness of the utility's practice with respect to implementing a policy shall be subject to Commission review in a formal complaint".

The purpose of this Water Leak Adjustment Policy is to provide the customer with some relief from abnormally high-water and/or sewer bills resulting from leakage.

The district must be notified by the customer as soon as possible that a leak occurred and an adjustment is desired. A written request for an adjustment must be made using the Leak Adjustment Form (see attachment). The completed Leak Adjustment Form must be received by the district within three (3) months following the discovery and repair of the leak.

Adjustments to the water and/or sewer bill will be based on the customers historic usage. Historic usage shall be defined as the average usage of the preceding twelve (12) months or actual period of service if less than twelve (12) months. Usage over 200% caused by leakage, will be recalculated using the districts incremental cost of water, as determined by the districts tariff.

This policy duly adopted by a quorum vote at the regularly scheduled Board Meeting of the Central Boaz Public Service District held November 16, 2021.



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