

301.1		Customer User	Volumetric User	Debt Service	Total Monthly
Consumption per Month		Charge	Charge	Charge	Sewer Charge
First	300 cubic feet	\$ 0.63	\$ 0.57	\$ 0.22	\$ 1.42
Next	200 cubic feet		.57	.22	0.79
Next	1,000 cubic feet		.57	.20	.77
Next	2,000 cubic feet		.57	.19	.76
Next	4,000 cubic feet		.57	.17	.74
Next	8,000 cubic feet		.57	.15	.72
Over	15,500 cubic feet		.57	.13	.70

301.2 The minimum monthly charge for any metered user shall be:

Customer User	Volumetric	Debt Service	Total Monthly
Charge	User Charge	Charge	Sewer Charge
\$1.89	\$1.71	\$0.66	\$4.26

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For any user who is not a metered water customer, the minimum charge shall be estimated and determined by means and methods satisfactory to the City.

- 302. In the event two (2) or more residential lots, parcels of real estate, or building discharging sanitary sewage, water or other liquids into the City's sewerage system either directly or indirectly, are users of water and the quantity of water is measured by a single water meter, then in such case for billing purposes, the minimum charge of the sewage rates and charges shall be multiplied by the number of residential lots, parcels or real estate, or buildings served through the single water meter.
- 303. Where a metered water supply is used for fire protection as well as for other uses, the City may, in its discretion, make adjustments in the minimum charge and in the use charge as may be equitable.
- 304. For the service rendered to the City, the City shall be subject to the same sewer charges hereinabove provided or to sewer charges established in harmony therewith.
- 305. The user charges and debt service charges set forth in paragraph 301 shall be changed, as necessary, annually by the Common Council in Accordance with paragraph 118.

Section 4. Strength-of-Wastes Surcharge

- 401. Liability for Surcharge. Each industrial or non-industrial user who discharges wastes into the sewerage system shall be subject to a surcharge, in addition to the regular sewer charges, based on both the biochemical oxygen demand (or on the chemical oxygen demand where BOD cannot be determined) and the suspended solids content of the wastes, if these wastes have a concentration greater than the following:
  - a. A biochemical oxygen demand of 210 milligrams per liter; or where BOD cannot be determined, then, in lieu of BOD, a chemical oxygen demand of 420 milligrams per liter.
  - b. A suspended solids content of 240 milligrams per liter.

- 402. Computation of Surcharge. The surcharge shall be determined as follows:
  - a. The excess pounds of BOD (or COD) and of suspended solids will each be computed by first multiplying the customer's billing sewage volume measured in units of 1,000 gallons for the current billing period by the factor 0.00834 and then multiplying this product by the difference between (a) the concentrations measured in milligrams per liter of the BOD (or COD) and of the suspended solids respectively in the customer's sewage and (b) the allowed concentrations set out in paragraph 401. The surcharge for each constituent will then be determined by multiplying the excess pounds of each constituent by the appropriate rate of surcharge set out in paragraph 403.

- 403. Rates of Surcharge. The rate of surcharge for each of the aforementioned constituents shall be as follows:
  - a. For biochemical oxygen demand (BOD) -----6.2 cents per pound
  - b. For chemical oxygen demand (COD) where BOD cannot be determined -----6.2 cents per pound
  - c. For suspended solids -----8.7 cents per pound

- 404. Revision of Rates of Surcharge. Prior to May 1 of each year, the Utility Service Board shall have prepared a comparison of the calculated unit costs for removing BOD and suspended Solids from the Wastewater Treatment Plant influent during the previous calendar year with the unit charges currently in effect in order that the Board may determine whether the current rates of surcharge are adequate or should be changed by the Common Council.

Section 5. Billing of Service Charges

- 501. Billing Period. Sewer charges for sewerage service shall be prepared and billed by the City along with the bills for water service and shall be payable at the same time as the water bills.
- 502. Liability for Payment. The sewer charges for sewerage service shall be billed to the person being billed for water service unless, by contract with the Utility, another person assumes such responsibility. If a tenant is billed, the owner shall in no way be relieved of liability in the event payments is not made by the tenant as herein required. Such owner shall have the right to examine the City's collection records to ascertain whether such charges have been paid.
- 503. First Billing. The sewer charges and surcharges fixed in this ordinance shall be extended to and cover any additional premises hereafter served without the need for any hearing or notice. If the first billing to a new customer covers a period other than a full billing month, then the sewer charges for such billing shall be made in keeping with standard practice in the water utility. Subsequent sewerage service