

Washington Township Municipal Authority

Current Rates and Policies

The information below applies to all residential/commercial water and sewer customers. This is a *brief* summary of the water and sewer rates as set forth in Washington Township Municipal Authority Resolutions 19-03 (water – adopted in November 2019) and 17-04 (wastewater – adopted February 2017). The below rates are effective as of the dates of the Resolutions, and the respective services are billed at the new rate(s) beginning with the first full billing cycle following the effective date.

Water Rates

All customers are billed either the “consumption charge” or the “minimum charge”, whichever is greater.

Consumption Charge – Quantity per Quarterly Period

The first 5,000 gallons	\$9.89 per thousand
All over 5,000 gallons	\$6.31 per thousand

Minimum Charge – Based on meter size, and billed whether or not there is metered water use. The minimum charge can only be cancelled by service termination.

Meter Size	Minimum Quarterly Usage in Gallons	Minimum Quarterly Charge
5/8” (or 5/8 x 3/4”) *	5,000	\$49.44
3/4	11,000	\$87.30
1”	20,000	\$144.09
1 ½	65,000	\$428.04
2”	160,000	\$1,027.49
3”	350,000	\$2,226.39
4”	670,000	\$4,245.59
6”	1,450,000	\$9,167.39

* Most residential customers

Sewer Rates

Most Residential Customers shall be billed a minimum of 1 EDU (Equivalent Dwelling Unit) per household. (Residential Customer is fully defined in Resolution 17-04). One EDU shall be defined as 59,860 gallons per year and is billed at the rate of \$335.24 per year or \$83.81 per quarter.

All billings are generated and mailed out on or about the 1st of the month following the quarter service was provided. Bills are due and payable on the 25th of the billed month. If bills are not paid by the 25th of the billed month, a 12% penalty shall be added to the net bill. If bills remain unpaid for 60 days following being generated, the water service shall be scheduled for termination. Notice of termination shall be posted on the property 10 days prior to being turned off and a \$10 dollar posting fee shall also be applied to the bill. Notice shall also be mailed to the person liable for payment (and the landlord in the case of rental units where the tenant pays the bill). Once terminated, service will be restored when the outstanding balance and all related penalties and fees are paid in full.

Complete copies of Resolutions 17-04 and 19-03, as well as additional fees, charges, policies, and additional information are available for review at the WTMA Office building M-F between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM. They are also be posted on our website www.wtma.us. You may also call 717-762-3108 for more information