MIFFLINBURG BOROUGH UNION COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA RESOLUTION NO. 2023-16

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF MIFFLINBURG, UNION COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING THE ESTABLISHED AND ADOPTED SCHEDULE OF FEES AND RATES UNDER THE MIFFLINBURG BOROUGH WATER SYSTEM ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the Council of Mifflinburg Borough, Union County, Pennsylvania, pursuant to Section 4 of the Mifflinburg Borough Water System Ordinance, as amended, is authorized to establish a Schedule of Fees and Rates pertaining to the Water System.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion properly made, seconded, and carried, the Council of Mifflinburg Borough declares and resolves:

The Council of Mifflinburg Borough hereby establishes and adopts the following Schedule of Fees and Rates, such fees and rates to be paid to the Borough in accordance with the Mifflinburg Borough Water System Ordinance and this Resolution:

SCHEDULE OF FEES AND RATES

I. FEES

1.1 Connection, Customer Facilities, and Tapping Fees:

Shall be established in the most recently adopted Tapping Fee Resolution.

1.2 <u>Metering Testing:</u>

If the meter is found to have an error of four percent (4%) or greater, then the cost of testing shall be borne by the Borough, otherwise this shall be an expense of the customer.

1.3 Inspection Fees:

1.3.1 Initial inspection of meter installation:

No Charge

1.3.2 All subsequent inspection of meters:

\$30.00

1.4 Turn-on and Turn-off Fees:

\$30.00 for each.

These charges shall be assessed when a customer requests that service be turned off for a period in excess of one (1) week, or when service is terminated or shut off because of the customer failure to pay any water service charges.

Water service will be restored only after payment to the Borough for the costs of discontinuance and restoration of service and all other arrearages.

1.5 Reinstallation of Meters:

The charge for the reinstallation of a water meter when removed for repairs due to damage that was no fault to the Borough, shall be the greater of the actual cost of labor, parts, replacement and testing (if required).

II. MONTHLY SERVICE CHARGES PER METER

2.1	Meter Size:	Service Charge:
	5/8" – ¾" 1" 1 ½"	\$ 20.10 \$ 40.17 \$ 80.29 \$128.46
	2" 3" 4" and larger	\$247.53 \$385.40

Monthly billing for water service shall commence with the initial introduction of water to the facility.

2.2 Consumption Charges:

To customers within the Borough: \$4.96 per 1,000 gallons.

2.3 Consumption Charges to Municipalities Outside the Borough:

Buffalo Township, Limestone Township shall pay a rate of \$8.98 per 1,000 gallons of water consumed. West Buffalo Township shall pay a rate of \$8.09 per 1,000 gallons of water consumed.

III. MULTI-UNIT INSTALLATIONS

3.1 Owners of existing multi-unit or combination unit installations may install one meter for all units in the building(s) or install individual meters for each unit. If individual meters are installed, then each unit within the building must be served by independent plumbing and no unit shall be registering water usage by another tenant or unit.

- 3.1.1 The owner of a multi-unit or combination unit installation utilizing independent metering for each unit will receive individual bills for each unit. The owner shall be the primary responsible party for the payment of these bills.
- 3.1.2 The owner of a multi-unit or combination unit installation utilizing one metered service shall receive one monthly bill that includes one monthly service charge for each metered service based upon the meter size(s) and one 5/8" 3/4" service charge for each unit within the multi-unit or combined unit development, plus the metered consumption charge for all water used. The owner shall be the primary responsible party for the payment of this bill.
- 3.2 The Borough will not provide individual meters for mobile home courts.
- 3.3 These charges shall apply to every monthly billing cycle.

IV. MISCELLANEOUS

4.1 Swimming Pools:

Water for the filling of residential swimming pools may be obtained from the customer's metered facilities or may be completed as follows:

Authorization to obtain water from a hydrant for the direct hose filling of a pool or for filling a tank truck for relay to the pool site must be obtained from the Borough. The final decision as to direct or relay filling shall be rendered by the Borough. Charges: \$100.00 for meter and valve rental plus the applicable consumption charge per 1,000 gallons for the water with an additional flat fee surcharge of \$50.00 if the service extends beyond normal maintenance employee working hours.

- 4.2 This Resolution shall take effect immediately.
- 4.3 Any and all inconsistent resolutions heretofore enacted by the Borough Council are hereby repealed with regard to the subject matter hereof. Any fee or charge pending shall be subject to the fee or rate schedule applicable at the time the fee or charge was incurred.

ADOPTED AND RESOLVED, this 19th day of December 2023, by the Council of Mifflinburg Borough, Union County, Pennsylvania, at its regular meeting.

BOROUGH OF MIFFLINBURG:

ATTEST:

Margaret A. Metzger, Secretary

By <u>Matthew (Magner</u> Matthew C. Wagner, President

Approved this 19th day of December 2023.

David M. Cooney, Mayor

I, Margaret A. Metzger, Secretary of the Council of the Borough of Mifflinburg, Union County, Pennsylvania, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Borough Resolution No. 2023-16, adopted at its regular meeting on December 19, 2023.

BOROUGH OF MIFFLINBURG

Margaret A. Metzger, Secretary