

**MIFFLINBURG BOROUGH
UNION COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-_____

**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 28-110 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 WATER FEES AND RATES

DOMESTIC WATER

1. Fees

A. Meters

1. Inspection and Testing

- a. **Customer request:** the customer may request inspection and/or testing of the meter when the functionality or accuracy of the meter is in question at no fault of the customer. If the meter is found to have an error of four percent (4%) or greater, the cost of testing shall be borne by the Borough, otherwise this shall be an expense of the customer.
- b. **Borough:** the Borough has the right to inspect and/or test the functionality or accuracy of the meter anytime there is probable cause with reasonable notice to the customer.

2. Accuracy of Meters

- a. **Undercharges:** If it is determined that the meter has recorded a lesser volume of water than was actually used thereby undercharging the customer, the cost associated with the undercharge shall be borne by the Borough.
- b. **Overcharges:** If it is determined that the water meter has recorded a greater volume of water than was actually used thereby overcharging the customer, the Borough shall reimburse the customer the same cost as the overcharge. In this case, the quantity shall be determined by the average usage over the preceding twelve-month period when the meter was known to be in proper working order.

3. Reinstallation and Removal Fees: The charge for the reinstallation of a domestic 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).

B. Capital Charges: Customers shall pay Connection Fee, Customer Facilities Fee, and Tapping Fees as established in the most recently adopted Water Tapping Fee Resolution.

C. Turn-Off and Turn-On Fees: \$60 per each

1. Fees will 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's failure to pay water service charges.
2. Water service will be restored only after payment to the Borough for the costs of discontinuance and restoration of service and all other arrearages.

2. Monthly Charges

A. Service Charge: the below charges shall be charged monthly as compensation for maintenance and repair costs based on the meter size to the facility and shall commence with the initial introduction of water to the facility.

Domestic Meter Size	Service Charge
5/8" to 3/4"	\$20.50
1"	\$40.97
1 1/2"	\$81.90
2"	\$131.03
3"	\$252.48
4"	\$393.11
6"	\$757.44

B. Consumption Charges:

1. **Customers within the Borough:** \$5.06 per 1,000 gallons.
2. **Municipalities Outside the Borough:** Buffalo Township and Limestone Township shall pay a rate of \$9.16 per 1,000 gallons of water consumed. West Buffalo Township shall pay a rate of \$8.25 per 1,000 gallons of water consumed.
3. All customers are responsible for metered water usage costs, including loss of water due to leakage on the customer side of the meter.

3. Multi-Unit Installations

A. Meters

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. Mobile home courts shall have one meter for each park for Borough billing purposes.
2. 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.

B. Monthly Service Charges

1. **Multiple meters/individual bills:** 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.

2. **One meter/one bill:** 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" to 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.

4. Swimming Pools

- A. Customers may fill residential swimming pools from the customer's metered facilities.
- B. Customers may seek authorization from the Borough to obtain water from a hydrant (by either direct hose filling or by tank truck relay filling to the pool). Filling of swimming pools shall be done during normal Borough business hours. The final decision as to direct or relay filling shall be rendered by the Borough.
- C. **Charges:**
 1. \$150 hook-up fee, plus
 2. applicable consumption charge per 1,000 gallons for the water.

PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE WATER

1. **Fees/Capital Charges:** Customers shall pay the Connection Fee, Customer Facilities Fee, and Tapping Fees as established in the most recently adopted Water Tapping Fee Resolution.
2. **Monthly Charges**
 - A. **Per Meter:** the below charges shall be charged monthly as compensation for maintenance and replacement costs of meters and shall commence when the meter is installed:

Fire Meter Size	Monthly Charge
3"	\$20.00
4"	\$25.00

Fire Meter Size	Monthly Charge
6"	\$35.00
8"	\$40.00

B. Consumption Charges: Any metered flow for water usage through a private fire service shall be billed at current regular rates at the time of service. Borough Council reserves the right to waive any water usage used in the extinguishing of fires or fire company training. Water use for any other purpose other than extinguishing fires, testing or training through a private fire service is not permissible without written prior approval from the Borough.

ADOPTED AND RESOLVED, this 20th day of October 2026, by the Council of the Borough of Mifflinburg, Union County, Pennsylvania, at its regular meeting.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF MIFFLINBURG:

Margaret A. Metzger, Secretary

By: _____
Beverly L. Hackenberg, President

Approved this _____ day of _____, 2026.

David M. Cooney, Mayor