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COTTAGEVILLE PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility
OF

COTTAGEVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

WATER

at Cottageville, Union District in Jackson County and Cologne, in Cooper District
in Mason County, West Virginia

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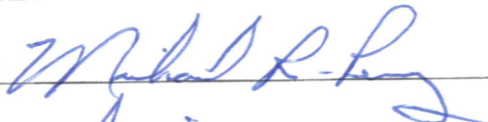
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By


Chairman

Title

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.

SCHEDULE NO. 1

APPLICABILITY

Applicable in Cottageville, Jackson County (Low Level).

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial service.

(C)(I) RATES (Customers with metered water supply) *

First	3,000 gallons used per month	\$8.49 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000 gallons used per month	\$7.80 per 1,000 gallons
Next	4,000 gallons used per month	\$6.99 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000 gallons used per month	\$5.51 per 1,000 gallons

(C)(I) MINIMUM CHARGE *

No bill shall be rendered for less than the following amounts according to the meter installed, to-wit:

5/8	inch meter	\$ 25.47 per month
3/4	inch meter	\$ 38.21 per month
1	inch meter	\$ 63.68 per month
1 - 1/2	inch meter	\$ 127.35 per month
2	inch meter	\$ 203.76 per month
3	inch meter	\$ 407.52 per month
4	inch meter	\$ 636.75 per month
6	inch meter	\$1,273.50 per month
8	inch meter	\$2,037.60 per month

(C) DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY *

The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full when due, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net current amount unpaid. This delayed payment penalty is not interest and is to be collected only 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 customers applying for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

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- (I) Indicates increase

SCHEDULE NO. 1 (Continued)

RECONNECTION FEE - \$25.00

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

(C)(I) PRIVATE FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE *

Where connections, hydrants, sprinklers, etc., on private property are maintained by consumer:

2-inch connection	\$ 6.73 per month
4-inch connection	\$ 26.90 per month
6-inch connection	\$ 67.24 per month
8-inch connection	\$100.86 per month

(C)(I) INCREMENT LEAK ADJUSTMENT *

\$0.60 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the 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 about 200% of the customer's historical usage.

RETURNED CHECK CHARGE

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the water utility up to a maximum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(N) SECURITY DEPOSIT

Not to exceed two times the average monthly bill for the applicant's specific customer class or fifty dollars, whichever is greater. This fee may be changed by applicable statutory provisions.

(N) * 8.78% CASH WORKING CAPITAL RESERVE INCREMENT

8.78% 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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SCHEDULE NO. 2

APPLICABILITY

Applicable in Jackson County and in Cologne and Cooper District in Mason County (Mt. Alto-Evergreen Hills-Booster Level, Millwood and Flatwoods).

AVAILABILITY

Available for general domestic, commercial and industrial service.

(C)(I) **RATES** (Customers with metered water supply) *

First	3,000 gallons used per month	\$9.62 per 1,000 gallons
Next	3,000 gallons used per month	\$8.89 per 1,000 gallons
Next	4,000 gallons used per month	\$7.87 per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000 gallons used per month	\$7.36 per 1,000 gallons

(C)(I) **MINIMUM CHARGE** *

No bill shall be rendered for less than the following amounts according to the meter installed, to-wit:

5/8	inch meter	\$ 28.86 per month
3/4	inch meter	\$ 43.33 per month
1	inch meter	\$ 72.22 per month
1 - 1/2	inch meter	\$ 144.45 per month
2	inch meter	\$ 231.11 per month
3	inch meter	\$ 462.23 per month
4	inch meter	\$ 722.23 per month
6	inch meter	\$1,444.46 per month
8	inch meter	\$2,311.14 per month

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SCHEDULE NO. 2 (Continued)RECONNECTION FEE - \$25.00

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