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CRAIGSVILLE PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility

OF

CRAIGSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SERVICE

in Craigsville, Beaver and vicinity, Nicholas County, West Virginia

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of

WEST VIRGINIA

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

- I. Rules and Regulations for the Government of Sewerage 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.

STEP 2

Effective after a period of 24 months

APPLICABILITY

Applicable in entire territory served.

AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Available for general domestic, commercial, industrial and sale for resale sewer service.

(D) **RATES**

First 3,000 gallons used per month	\$9.97 per 1,000 gallons
Next 3,000 gallons used per month	\$7.97 per 1,000 gallons
Next 4,000 gallons used per month	\$6.96 per 1,000 gallons
All Over 10,000 gallons used per month	\$3.48 per 1,000 gallons

(D) **MINIMUM CHARGE**

No bill will be rendered for less than \$29.91 per month.

INDUSTRIAL RATE (based on flow meter)

(D) Industrial rate customers shall be charged at the rate of \$3.68 per 1,000 gallons

(D) All wastewater from the Nicholas County Solid Waste Authority will be treated at the same rate as an industrial customer through the industrial rate listed above, plus a \$6.24 surcharge per 1,000 gallons.

(D) **INDUSTRIAL RATE SURCHARGES**

Rate applicable to biological oxygen demand concentration in excess of 300 mg/L
\$0.44 per pound

Rate applicable to total suspended solids concentration in excess of 350 mg/L
\$0.33 per pound

(D) **Indicates decrease**

STEP 2 (Continued)

(D) **SEWAGE TREATMENT FOR RESALE**

All wastewater will be treated at the rate of \$3.64 per 1,000 gallons.

RETURNED CHECK POLICY

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the District or a maximum of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

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 \$200.00 will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system

LEAK ADJUSTMENT

\$0.81 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 above customer's historical average use.

SECURITY DEPOSIT

Not to exceed two-twelfths (2/12) of the average usage of the applicant's specific customer class, or fifty dollars (\$50.00), whichever is greater. This fee may be changed by applicable statutory provisions.

(D) **Indicates decrease**

STEP 2 (Continued)

SURCHARGE FORMULA TO BE APPLIED IN CASES WHERE SURFACE DRAINAGE IS CONNECTED TO THE UTILITY'S SEWER SYSTEM

APPLICABILITY

Whenever the Craigsville Public Service District has discovered that a customer's roof drain, downspout, storm sewer or similar facilities conducting surface water have been connected to the District's sewer system and such customer has failed to take appropriate action within thirty (30) days of receipt of a demand by the District in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission to eliminate such connection, a surcharge will be imposed upon the customer calculated on the basis of the following formula:

$$S = A \times R \times .0006233 \times C$$

- S = the surcharge in dollars
- A = the area under roof and/or the area of any other water collecting surface connected to the sanitary sewer, in square feet.
- R = the measured monthly rainfall, in inches.
- .0006233 = a conversion factor to change inches of rain x square feet of surface to thousands of gallons of water.
- C = the District's approved rate per thousand gallons of metered water usage.

Craigsville Public Service District shall not impose the surcharge unless, and until, the customer has been notified by certified mail, return receipt requested, or by hand delivery, that it has been established by smoke testing, dye testing, or on-site inspection that rain or surface water is being introduced into the sanitary sewer system at the customer's location, and that the customer has not acted within thirty (30) days from receipt of such notice to divert the water from the sanitary sewer system.

The surcharge shall be calculated and imposed for each month the condition continues to exist. Failure to pay the surcharge and/or correct the situation shall give rise to the possible termination of water service in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Public Service Commission of West Virginia.