

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN

BY-LAW NO. 2022-18

Being a By-Law to adopt the water and wastewater Rate and Fee Schedule for 2022

WHEREAS Section 391 of the Municipal Act permits a municipality to pass by-laws imposing fees or charges on any persons; for services; and

WHEREAS the Municipal Act provides for interest charges and penalties for fees and charges that are due and unpaid;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the attached 2022 Water and Wastewater Rates and Fees (Appendix "A") be adopted.

READ a FIRST and SECOND time ,

READ a THIRD and FINAL time and considered passed as such in open Council this, the 17th day May, 2022.



Mayor



Deputy Clerk

Water & Wastewater SCHEDULE A – Rates & Fees

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New / Replacement Meters & Services

Size of service meter	Cost \$
Up to 20mm	\$320.00
25mm	\$422.00
Large Meters greater than 25 mm -meter cost plus 20% for extra parts & installation cost	Cost plus 20%

Consumptive and Fixed Monthly Charges

Fixed Monthly Charge Based on Meter Size

Meter Size (mm)	Meter Size (inches)	Service Charge (\$/30-days)
15	0.62	23.38
20	0.75	23.38
25	1	23.38
40	1.5	30.12
50	2	48.50
75	3	117.03
100	4	183.94

Consumptive Rates - Water

Usage Rate – based on Owner Class	Usage Rates (\$/m ³)
Single or two-family residential metered	3.05
Multi-family metered	3.05
Industrial/Commercial/Institutional	3.05

Consumptive Rates –Wastewater (Sewer) Surcharge

Usage Rate – based on Owner Class	Usage Rates (\$/m ³)
Single or two-family residential metered – 66.7% of Water Rate	2.04
Multi-family metered – 66.7% of Water Rate	2.04
Industrial/Commercial/Institutional – 66.7% of Water Rate	2.04

Flat Rate or Temporary Water Rate

Description	Water Rate
Residential flat rate (unable to meter) - Monthly	127.00
Residential flat rate (refuse to meter) - Monthly	379.31
Construction/Temporary water rate (\$/30-days)	127.00
Interrupted Usage	Fixed rate/mo Plus turn off/on charge per user fee by-law

Penalties & Offences

Offence Penalties

Offence	Specified Penalty
Prohibited installation upstream of meters	\$250
Prohibited installation upstream of premises-isolating cross connection control device	\$250
Tamper, break or remove seal on water service connection or meters	\$250
Failure to notify of damaged meters	\$250
Failure to notify of broken seal on bypass valve or meters within 24-hours	\$250
Interfere or tamper with meters or reading device	\$500
Prohibited opening of bypass valve or metering installation	\$500
Tamper meter AMR system	\$100

Others

Offence	Specified Penalty
Provide false information	\$100
Allow potable water to run off parcel directly into the street or sidewalk	\$75
Damage, destroy, remove, interfere with water system	\$500
Interfere with another Owner's use of water system	\$250
Prohibited connection to water system	\$1,000
Hindrance of Municipality Employee or agent	\$500
Failure to maintain shut-off valve	\$250
Unauthorized operation of water service valve	\$250
Allow unauthorized operation of water service valve	\$250
Unauthorized cross connection	\$500
Unauthorized use of alternate source of water	\$250
Unauthorized connection of alternate water source to water system	\$500
Prohibited sharing of water supply from one premises to other eligible premises	\$500
Late charges for bills (on "principal" arrears)	1.25% per month