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**WATER SERVICE
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Rule 1 - Adoption of Rules of Regulatory Authorities

The rules regulating water service prescribed by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, after this called the Commission, are adopted and by this reference are made a part of this tariff.

Rule 2 - Schedules and Conditions

The schedules and conditions specified in this tariff for water service are subject to change according to the public service laws of the State of Washington. The amount of water furnished is subject to the Department of Health required standards of quantity and quality. All schedules for water service apply to applicants for or customers receiving water service from the utility.

Rule 3 - Application and Agreement for Service

Each prospective customer desiring water service will be required to sign the utility's standard form of application before service is supplied.

An application for service is notice that the prospective customer desires water service from the utility and represents agreement to comply with the utility's rules and regulations on file with the Commission and in effect at the time service is furnished. In the absence of a signed application for water service, the delivery of water by the utility through a standard connection and the taking thereof by the customer will constitute an agreement by and between the utility and the customer for the delivery and acceptance of service under the applicable rate schedule(s) and these rules and regulations.

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Rule 4 - Definition of Service

Service will be supplied as described in these rules and under the applicable rate schedule(s). Service will be supplied only to those who secure their source of water exclusively from the utility, unless otherwise provided under written contract. Water service will be used only for the purpose specified in the service agreement and applicable rate schedule(s). A customer will not sell or permit others to use such service, unless authorized to do so under written contract with the utility.

The customer will not increase demand or use of service as stated in the application for service without giving prior notice of such increase. In the event of such increase, the customer is required to pay the utility's regularly published rates for the increased service from the date of connection and use of the service.

Whenever the customer wants to permanently discontinue the use of water through any fixtures mentioned in the original application, the customer must cause the fixture to be removed and the branch pipe or service supplying the same to be capped or plugged, and must notify the utility in writing before any reduction in charge will be made.

Rule 5 - Reconnection Charge / Disconnection Visit Charge

A reconnection charge, as specified in **Schedule X**, will apply for reconnection of the customer's service to the utility's distribution system. Such charge is to apply only in cases where service has been discontinued for non-payment of delinquent account, request of the customer (seasonal reconnection), and refusal to make proper repairs or similar cause. No charge will be made for reconnection of service if the shut-off was made for the convenience of the utility in making repairs, changes, etc.

When a utility employee is dispatched to disconnect service, that person shall be required to accept payment of a delinquent account at the service address if tendered, but shall not be required to dispense change in excess of the amount due. Any excess payment shall be credited to the customer's account. The charge for a disconnection visit is specified in **Schedule X**.

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**WATER SERVICE
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Rule 6 - Installation of Meters and Service Pipe

The utility will construct service connections of a proper size from its distribution mains to the customer's property. The utility reserves the right to refuse to construct a service connection to any property if the applicant's pipes are not properly constructed and protected.

The utility may meter any flat rate service at its discretion. The utility's metered service rates will become effective after the customer has received 30 days' written notice. All meters so placed will be installed and maintained by the utility without direct retrofit cost to the customer.

Every patron of the utility or user of its water must, at the request of the utility, put in a shutoff approved by the utility, near the meter and properly boxed, for each premise served by the utility.

Rule 7 - Distribution Main Extension

Where elevation and construction conditions allow and one or more bona fide prospective permanent customers request a main extension, the utility will construct the same, if the utility has sufficient capacity available to meet Department of Health standards of quality and quantity.

Where an existing water main must be increased in size to provide capacity and length necessary to supply prospective customers, the cost shall be borne by the prospective customers

Customer ProRata Share - The cost of the main extension in excess of the estimated customer(s) revenue for two years must be paid by the prospective customers in advance. Subsequent customers within five years on such a Main Extension shall pay to the utility there pro rata share of excess cost of the said Main Extension. The utility will in turn return the same in proper amounts to the original customers.

Construction Contract - No main extension will be considered as coming under this rule where the total cost of the main extension is greater than the estimated customer(s) revenue for six years. Water main extensions and/or fire hydrants will be installed after contracts have been approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission pursuant to WAC's for special contracts for water utilities and distribution extensions.

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Rule 8 - Responsibility for, and Maintenance of, Services

The point at which water will be delivered to and received by the customer will be at the edge of the County Right-of-way nearest to, or most convenient to, the customer's property at a point (Point of Delivery) designated by the utility. The utility will install its meter or other connection device at the Point of Delivery, except, at its option, the utility may install its meter at some other agreed point on the property of the customer, provided that in such event the customer will be responsible for the piping between the Point of Delivery and the meter.

The customer will assume all responsibility after Point of Delivery for water supplied by the utility. The utility will be exempt from all liability for loss or damage caused by leakage or escape of water furnished by the utility, after water has passed the Point of Delivery.

All service pipes and fixtures on the customer's side of the Point of Delivery shall be provided and must be maintained and protected from freezing at the customer's expense. Where there are leaking or defective pipes or fixtures, the water may be turned off at the option of the utility until properly repaired. The utility may require any service to be properly protected during freezing weather so that the customer will not have to leave water running continuously from faucets to prevent freezing.

The customer will be responsible for damage to the meter by hot water from his service or by breakage due to carelessness, negligence or malicious intent on the part of the customer. In such cases, the meter may be repaired by the utility and the cost billed to the customer.

If a customer alters his driveway or landscaping such as to place the meter in a dangerous or inconvenient location, the customer will pay the cost of moving the meter.

Rule 9 - Access to Premises

The utility's regularly authorized agents or employees will have access to the premises of the customer at reasonable hours for meter reading, inspection, connection, disconnection, repair or removal of the utility's property. Where the meter has not been read, a minimum bill will be rendered and adjusted when the next succeeding meter reading is available.

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Rule 10 - Interruption to Service

The utility will make a diligent effort to render uninterrupted service and supply of water. In cases where shut-off is necessary for repair, reconstruction, damage prevention or similar cause, the utility will give one day's advance notice to its customers of such scheduled shut-off. However, the utility will not be responsible for any damage that may result from any cessation of services such as above outlined, nor for failure to give notice of shut-off when circumstances are such that it is impractical to give notice as stated above.

Rule 11 - Bills/Late Payment Charge/Payment Options

Bills are due and payable upon receipt. If the utility offers the option of electronic statements and at such time as the Commission allows such use, at the option of the customer, bills will be sent by email in lieu of a hard copy by mail. Bills are considered late 30 days after the bill mailing date (or email date if that option is elected by the customer). A Late Payment Charge as specified in **Schedule X** of 2% of the unpaid balance shall be added to each account for each month the bill is unpaid. The late payment charge will not be applied to any disputed amount unless such amount remains unpaid for more than 30 days after the dispute has been resolved.

Unless otherwise specified, all charges for the base rate shall be paid bi-monthly, one month in arrears and one month in advance, on or before the last day of the billing month. All charges for metered water shall be paid bi-monthly in arrears on or before the last day of the billing month.

If the utility offers the following payment options, then at the election of the customer, payments may be made on-line by debit card, credit card or e-check. If a customer chooses to pay on-line by credit card or debit card or e-check, any transaction fee charged by the processing company will be passed through to the customer. There is no mark up by the utility, just a straight pass through of the underlying charge. The utility may discontinue the offering of one or more of these payments methods at any time at its discretion.

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Rule 12 – Deposits

The utility may require a deposit in situations where a customer's service has been disconnected for nonpayment of amount owed to the utility or when a customer is unable to establish or maintain credit with the utility.

The deposit will not be more than an average three-twelfths of estimated annual billings.

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Rule 12 - Deposits (cont'd)

Interest on deposits will be accrued at the rate calculated as a simple average of the effective interest rate for new issues of one year treasury bill, computed from December 1 of each year, continuing through November 30 of the following year. Interest is computed from the time of deposit to the time of refund and is compounded annually.

Deposits, plus any accrued interest, less any amount owed for service rendered, will be refunded to the customer: 1) where the customer has for 12 consecutive months paid for service when due or 2) upon termination of service.

In addition, the utility will comply with all provisions of the Commission's deposit rules

Rule 13 - Responsibility for Delinquent Accounts

The utility will not refuse service to an applicant or discontinue service to a customer, who is not in arrears to the utility, because of the unpaid bill of a prior occupant, unless there is evidence of intent to defraud.

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Rule 14 - Discontinuance of Service

The utility reserves the right to discontinue a customer's service if the customer:

- (a) Fails to maintain connections, service pipes, or fixtures in good order.
- (b) Damages any service pipe, meter, curb stop valve, seal or other facilities of the utility.
- (c) Vacates the premises.
- (d) Willfully wastes water through improper or imperfect pipes, fixtures or otherwise.
- (e) Fails to make or renew any required deposits, or fails to make payments for water service or any other proper charges accruing under the applicable rate schedules, when due.
- (f) Refuses to allow an employee of the utility to have reasonable access to the premises for the purpose of inspecting the facilities, or for testing, reading, maintaining or removing meters.
- (g) Makes fraudulent use of service.
- (h) Violates any of these rules and regulations.

The right to discontinue service may be exercised whenever and as often as any of the foregoing situations occur, and neither delay nor omission by the utility to enforce this rule any time will be deemed a waiver of its right to discontinue service.

Discontinuance of service by a customer - Customer shall be required to give notice to the utility of their intention to discontinue service.

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Rule 14 - Discontinuance of Service (cont'd)

A minimum of eight (8) business day's notice will be given a customer before a service is discontinued, except in the case of danger to life or property. This notice will be by mail or by personal delivery of the notice to the customer's address, attached to the customer's primary door. Before disconnecting service, the utility must inform the customer a second time, either by mail or by leaving a notice at the customer's primary door. If by mail the notice must be mailed at least 3 business days prior to the shut-off. If by delivered notice, the notice must be left 24 hours before the shut-off, which furthermore may not occur before 5 p.m. of the 1st day following delivery.

If service is not discontinued within ten (10) working days of the date on the notice for disconnection, that disconnection notice will become void and a new notice must be provided before the service can be disconnected. However, if the customer has arranged for payments to avoid disconnection of service, a new notice is not required if the customer fails to keep the payment arrangements.

When a utility employee is dispatched to disconnect service, that person shall be required to accept payment of a delinquent account and reconnection charge as specified in **Schedule X**. If amount owing is tendered in cash, utility employee will not be required to dispense change for excess of the amount due and owing. Any excess payment will be credited to the customer's account. The utility will restore service when the cause of discontinuance has been removed and payment of all proper charges due from customer have been made.

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**WATER SERVICE
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Rule 14 - Discontinuance of Service (cont'd)

- a. In accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1329 (ESHB 1329), utility will not disconnect any residential customer (including residents of metered apartment buildings and mobile homes) for nonpayment when the National Weather Service has issued, or has announced it intends to issue a heat-related alert such as an excessive heat warning, a heat advisory, an excessive heat watch, or similar alert (all of which is as “alert”) for the area in which the residential user’s address is located for the duration of the alert. (T)

- b. In the event the National Weather Service (NWS) issues or intends to issue a heat-related alert in the customer’s area, and their water service has been disconnected due to non-payment, the customer may request reconnection by contacting the utility at 206-463-0005. Upon receipt of such a request, the utility will promptly make a reasonable attempt to restore the customer’s water service and water service will remain active for the duration of the heat-related alert. (N)

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**WATER SERVICE
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Rule 15 – Outdoor Watering – Sprinkling, Irrigation, Pools, Hot Tubs, etc.

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Water used for sprinkling and irrigation shall be paid for at the regular prescribed tariff rates for such service. The hours for such use shall be as prescribed from time to time by the utility or as required by the Department of Health. In addition, the utility may put restrictions on filling of swimming pools, hot tubs, etc.

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No person shall use water for sprinkling or irrigation purposes during any fire in the area, and all sprinkling or irrigation shall be stopped immediately when an alarm of fire is sounded, and not resumed until the fire has been extinguished.

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Each customer will follow a “best practices” approach to the use of irrigation service. This best practices approach includes the following:

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- a. revisiting existing landscaping to determine if modifications are needed to reduce use of water;
- b. irrigating grass areas at a rate of no more than one (1) inch per week;
- c. sizing irrigation sprinklers or installing irrigation sprinklers to provide as near a uniform coverage of grass-landscaped areas as feasible;
- d. not using watering practices that involve a “sponge” approach where water is applied in one area with the thought that it will eventually provide coverage of other areas through the water traveling over, through or under the ground; and
- e. not irrigating when the temperature is forecasted to exceed ninety (90) degrees Fahrenheit.

If the company issues a “no irrigation” order for the water system, the customer must immediately cease irrigation until the “no irrigation” order is lifted.

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**WATER SERVICE
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Rule 16 – Rates

Rates for water service and supply are those published in the utility's tariff on file with the Commission. Unless otherwise stated in this tariff, the rates apply to a single service, to one customer at one premise. Where two or more families with separate housekeeping establishments occupy the same or separate dwellings, each family using water is considered a separate customer. Each separate housekeeping establishment or business, using water service, will each be considered a customer.

When conditions require that more than one customer be supplied through one meter, (Accessory Dwelling Units) each customer will be charged the minimum charge as provided by the schedule of rates. If the consumption as shown by the meter exceeds the allowance for the minimum charge multiplied by the number of customers, the excess consumption charge will be computed at the regular rates for one customer and the amount prorated equally to the multiple customers, or otherwise as may be agreed among themselves.

Water service must be subscribed to on an annual basis. No proration or reduction in billing is allowed unless this tariff proscribes temporary or seasonal rates.

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Rule 17 - Account Set-Up Charge/NSF (Non-Sufficient Funds) Charge

An account set-up charge as specified in **Schedule X** will be made for each new account or change of account responsibility on an existing service. Such charge will be included in the initial billing to the customer. This charge includes the utility dispatching an employee to establish a base meter reading. This account set-up charge does not apply to:

- (a) Installation of a new meter.
- (b) Temporary or seasonal reconnection is made.
- (c) Owners or agents assuming temporary responsibility for service to vacant premises.

An NSF check charge as specified in **Schedule X** will be made for handling customer checks that have been returned by the bank as NSF or account closed. This charge will be applied to the next billing to the customer.

Rule 18 - Water Availability Letter Charge

Any prospective customer seeking a water availability letter or certificate of water availability from the utility must first pay the appropriate charge as specified in **Schedule X**. The water availability letter will include the date issued and the date of expiration. Water availability letters will be valid for no more than one (1) year, or until the expiration of the associated building permit, whichever occurs last.

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Rule 19 - Deeded Rights

Patrons who are allowed water privileges for domestic purposes by deeded rights, and who wish water for sprinkling, irrigation or commercial purposes, shall have a meter installed according to the rules and rates of the utility, and shall pay for the additional water used at the regularly published rates of the utility.

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Rule 20 – Limitations on Liability

(a) General

The utility's liability, if any, for its gross negligence, willful misconduct or violation of Chapter 19.122 RCW is not limited by this tariff. With respect to any other claim or suit, by a customer or by any others, for damages associated with the installation, provision, termination, maintenance, repair or restoration of service, the utility's liability, if any, shall not exceed an amount equal to the proportionate part of the monthly recurring charge for the service for the period during which the service was affected. This liability shall be in addition to any amounts that may otherwise be due the customer under this tariff as an allowance for interruptions. THERE SHALL BE NO LIABILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES.

(b) Disclaimer

THE UTILITY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ALL WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, EXCEPT THOSE EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN THIS TARIFF, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

(c) Relation to Charges

The charges for services rendered under this tariff are expressly based on the limitations on damages and disclaimer of warranties set forth above.

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Rule 21 – Unauthorized Use of Service

Where service has been disconnected either through the request of the customer or through action of the company, and the Service (which includes, but is not limited to, the saddle, curb stop, piping, meter setter, angle stop, check valve, meter) has been locked, authorized service can not be restored without the company first reinitiating service. If service is restored by the unauthorized removal of the meter lock, the customer receiving the unauthorized service will be charged the cost of the meter lock and a \$150.00 charge for inspection of the Service for damages. If the original Service was damaged by the removal of the meter lock, the customer receiving unauthorized service will be liable for the cost of replacing the damaged Service. In addition, the company will charge the customer receiving unauthorized service the tariff rate for all service that the company estimates was taken plus all of the company's costs resulting from the unauthorized use and all applicable fees per WAC 480-110-355.

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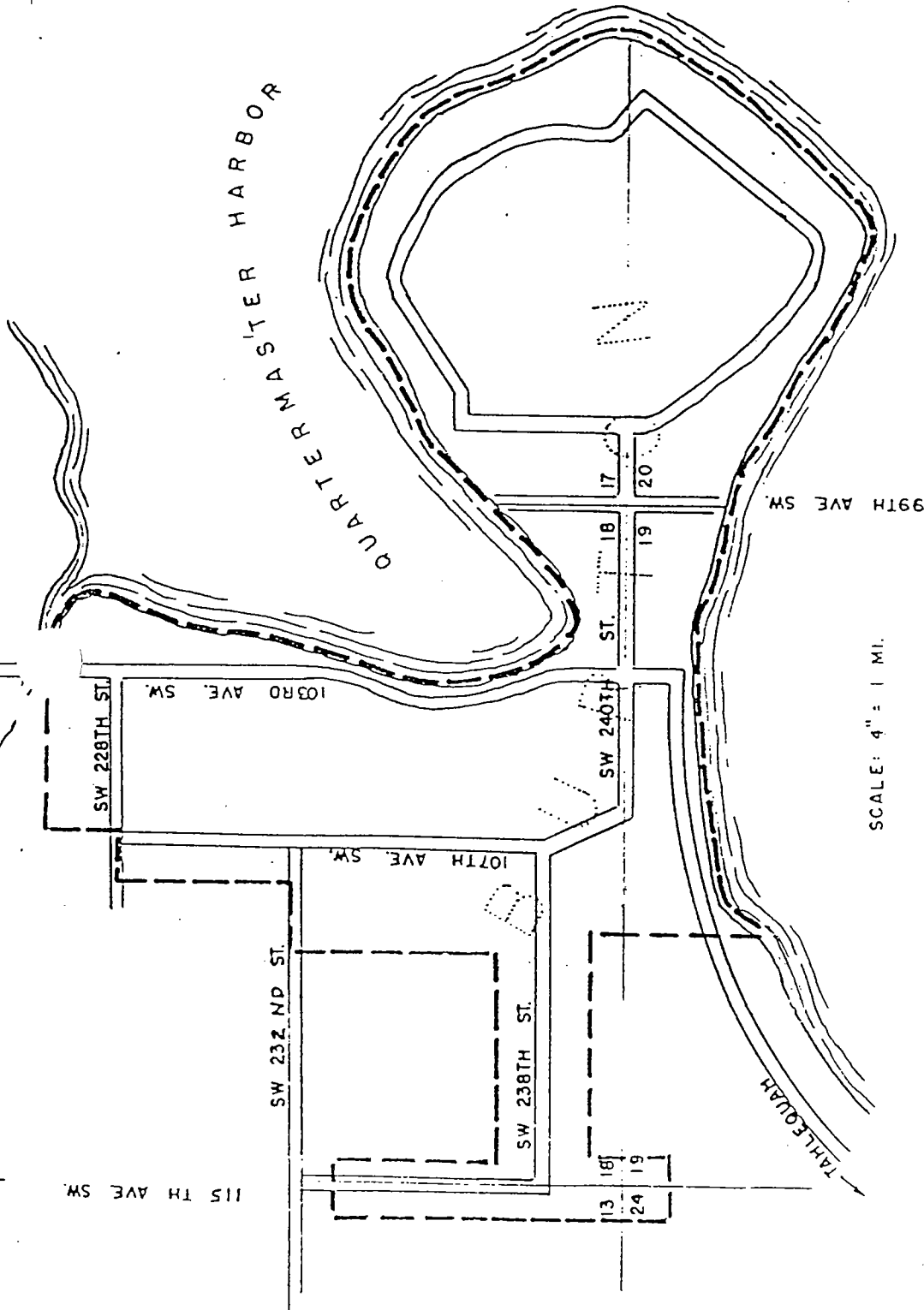
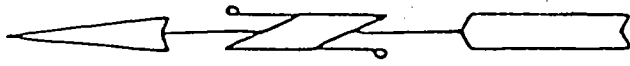
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SCHEDULE NO. 1
FLAT RATE SERVICE

Available

Within the limits of all Water Service Areas and at utility's option and capability to maintain Department of Health standards of quantity and quality.

Applicable

Applicable to domestic residential customers, where meters have not yet been installed.

Conditions

The charge for this service is not subject to cancellation or reduction for seasonal or temporary periods, unless seasonal rates apply per this tariff. This charge will be the monthly minimum bill for this class of service.

Monthly Rates

Each connection or customer \$ 18.00

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**SCHEDULE NO. 2
METERED RATE SERVICE**

Available.

Within the limits of all Water Service Areas and at utility's option and capability to maintain Department of Health standards of quantity and quality.

Applicable.

To all services where meters have been installed.

RATES PER MONTH

Base Rate (3/4" Connection)	\$34.00			(I)
Base Rate (1" Connection)	\$56.78			(I)
<u>Usage/Rates per 100 cubic feet</u>	<u>\$3.05</u>	<u>\$5.40</u>	<u>\$6.10</u>	(I)
3/4" Connection	0-900	901-1,700	>1,700	(C)
1" Connection	0-1,500	1,501-2,820	>2,820	(C)

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BURTON WATER COMPANY, INC.

**SCHEDULE NO. 3
READY TO SERVE SERVICE**

Available

Within the limits of all Water Service Areas and at utility's option and capability to maintain Department of Health standards of quantity and quality.

Applicable

To any property owner who has completed and signed a Water Service Application, paid all applicable fees required for meter service connection, and had Water Service Application accepted in writing by the utility: and for whom the utility has installed the direct connection from the water system to the applicant property line. Applicable to domestic residential customers, where meters have not yet been installed.

Conditions

The charge for this service is not subject to cancellation or reduction for seasonal or temporary periods, unless seasonal rates apply per this tariff. This charge will be the monthly minimum bill for this class of service. At the time water service begins, the customer shall be transferred to Schedule 2, Metered Service.

Monthly Rates

Each connection or customer	\$34.00	(I)
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SCHEDULE NO. 4

Well Field Protection Surcharge

Applicable

To all customers, including ready-to-serve customers.

Monthly Charge

\$1.30

Conditions

This surcharge will expire on the earlier of the collection of \$19,350.00 or
September 30, 2022.

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SCHEDULE NO. 5
WATER SYSTEM FACILITIES CHARGE
RESIDENTIAL EQUIVALENT CUSTOMER

Available

Within the limits of all Water Service Areas and at utility's option and capability to maintain Department of Health standards of quantity and quality.

Applicable

Applies to all new applicants for properties not currently served only when surplus system capacity is available and a direct connection can be made an an existing main that has adequate hydraulic capacity.

Conditions

1. The utility will own and maintain all materials involved in the allocation of water service.
2. The Water System Facilities Charge will be in addition to any line extension, service connection, or any other charges that may be provided elsewhere in this tariff.
3. The Water System Facilities Charge will be made one time only. If further subdivision of the property is made at a later date, each newly created lot will be subject to an additional facilities charge upon application for water service. If service is greater than residential equivalent, then multiple equivalents may be charged.
4. Exemptions:
 - a) Any end use customer covered by an existing written contract which specifies that no charge or a lower charge will be paid.
 - b) Any end use customer connecting to a water system which was contributed to the company or for which the company paid a nominal amount.

Charge

Water System Facilities Charge

\$ 1658.00

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SCHEDULE NO. 6
CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL

A. Applicable:

To all customers served by the utility for purposes of assessing the presence of cross connections and additional requirements apply to those customers that have cross connections.

B. Rate:

Site Visit Charge	- \$50.00
Premises Inspection Charge	- \$35.00 per hour prorated for time spent
Installation of Approved Backflow	
Prevention Assembly	- Time and materials

C. Conditions:

1. This schedule is established pursuant to the requirements adopted by the Washington State Department of Health in WAC 246-290-490, as it now exists or is hereafter amended or replaced. Copies of this regulation are available from the Washington State Department of Health or from the utility.

2. All customers shall be surveyed as to the existence of cross connections pursuant to the definition of cross connections established by the Washington State Department of Health. A second survey shall be sent to those customers who fail to respond to the initial survey. If the customer fails to respond to the second survey, then the following non-response options may be necessary and the customer will be charged pursuant to the rate or rates, as applicable, set forth in section B, above. For new customers, a survey will be required as part of the application prior to accepting the applicant as a customer.

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CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL (Continued)

Non-Response Options

- a. Site Visit letter/appointment for on-site review of cross connection potential, followed by a Site Visit and Premise Inspection for determination of cross connection potential as defined in WAC 246-290-490. The customer will be assessed the charges set forth in section B, above.
 - b. Installation of Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly at customer's expense or as set forth in section B, above.
 - c. Notice of disconnection of service per WAC 480-110-355.
3. An on-site inspection is required for every customer meeting any criteria of WAC 246-290-490-4(b) Table 9. The customer will be assessed the appropriate charges set forth in section B, above.
4. If a cross connection is detected or is reported by the customer, then the utility will determine the appropriate remedy and notify the customer of the remedy, options, and dates for compliance. If an Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly is required, the utility will determine the type of Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly that must be installed, and must provide the customer with a date by which the device must be installed. Installation will be the customer's responsibility and sole expense. The customer may choose to have the Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly installed through any contractor acceptable to the utility. If the customer does not install the appropriate Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly within thirty days of notification, the utility may take appropriate action to correct. This may include the utility installing an Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly at customer's expense if tariffed or may result in the utility providing a notice of disconnection of service by the date specified in the notice. The Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly will be installed on a customer's side of the service connection.
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SCHEDULE NO. 6 (Continued)

CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL (Continued)

5. If the customer has an Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly installed the assembly must be tested annually by a certified Backflow Assembly Tester (BAT) specialist. The utility will maintain a list of certified BAT specialists that are acceptable to the utility and the customer may choose from any such BAT specialist on the utility's list. The customer will provide a copy of the acceptable annual report from the BAT specialist. If the annual report is not provided within thirty days of the anniversary date of the installation of the Approved Backflow Prevention Assembly, then the utility will provide a notice of disconnection pursuant to WAC 480-110-355. If a copy of the annual report is not received by the date for disconnection as specified in the notice, the utility will disconnect customer's service.

6. No less often than every three years, the utility shall re-survey its customers concerning the existence of cross connections. If the customer does not respond to the initial survey, a second survey will be sent. If the customer does not respond to the second survey, then non-response options listed in paragraph 2 will apply.

7. For each customer meeting any criteria of WAC 246-290-490-4(b) Table 9, no less than every three years, the utility shall conduct a site visit, premises inspection and shall assess the customer the charges set forth in section B, above.

8. When necessary, the utility will provide notices of disconnection as required in WAC 480-110-335.

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SCHEDULE NO. 10
SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGE

Size of Service Connection

Service Connection Charge

3/4 inch service	\$ 425.00
Tax Gross-up of PP%	\$ 60.00
Total Service Connection Charge	\$ 485.00

Larger than 3/4 inch service

Labor and Material

1. A charge will be made the first time a customer's service pipe, 3/4 inch or smaller, is connected to the utility's main. The charge for a larger connection will be the cost of labor and materials. This charge does not include the cost of a meter, or its installation. A meter will be furnished, installed and maintained by the utility without direct cost to the customer.
2. The utility owns and maintains all materials involved in making a service connection.
3. The service connection charge must be paid before the water is turned on.
4. In addition, there will be a charge based on a gross up factor due to federal income taxes assessed.
5. Meter will be placed in a suitable meter box located at the customer's property line, except when this is not practicable. The meter will be installed upon the customer's premises in some convenient location approved by the utility where the meter will at all times be accessible for reading, inspection and testing. (See Rule 8)
6. Service Connections will be installed within 7 days from payment, unless prior arrangement in writing are agreed upon by both the customer and the utility.

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BURTON WATER COMPANY, INC.

SCHEDULE X
ANCILLARY CHARGES

Rule 5	Reconnection Charge	\$37.50	(R)
& Rule 14	Disconnection Visit Charge	\$37.50	(N)
Rule 11	Late Payment Charge, applied when a billed amount is not paid in 30 days	2% of the amount billed for each month it is unpaid	
Rule 17	Account Set-up Charge	\$50.00	(I)
	NSF Check Charge	\$40.00	
Rule 18	Water Availability Letter Charge	\$40.00	(I)

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