

February 8, 2024

**Via Electronic Filing**

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
PA Public Utility Commission  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

RE: The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority – Water – R-2023-3039920;  
The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority – Wastewater – R-2023-3039921;  
The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority – Stormwater – R-2023-3039919

Petition of The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority for Authorization to Implement a  
Customer Assistance Charge – Docket No. P-2023-3040678

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Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Pursuant to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission's Order dated January 18, 2024, on February 5, 2024, The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority ("PWSA") filed compliance tariff supplements for water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 1, Supplement No. 14; wastewater – Pa. P.U.C. No 1, Supplement No. 13; and storm water – Pa. P.U.C. No. 1, Supplement No. 5, with regard to the above-referenced matters. On February 7, 2024, PWSA filed corrected Page Number 11 for Supplement No. 14 (water) and for Supplement No. 13 (wastewater) to revise previously stated incorrect rates.

**Enclosed please find Second Corrected Page Number 11 and Corrected Pages 9B and 10 to Supplement Number 13** (wastewater) to revise minor typographical and numbering errors from previously filed version. Please disregard the earlier filed pages and replace with the enclosed.

Copies to be served in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

  
Deanne M. O'Dell

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Enclosure

cc: Hon. Gail M. Chiodo w/enc.  
Cert. of Service w/enc.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this day I served a copy of PWSA's **Second Corrected Page Number 11 and Corrected Pages 9B and 10 to its Compliance Tariff Supplement 13 for Wastewater** upon the persons listed below in the manner indicated in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54.

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3. **PennVest Charge (PVC)**: In addition to the charges provided in this tariff, and pursuant to the Commission's Statement of Policy at 52 Pa. Code §§ 69.361 et seq., and Section 1307(a) of the Public Utility Code, the PVC will apply uniformly to all classes of wastewater conveyance customers (with the exception of customers served pursuant to pre-existing wholesale contracts) for each 1,000 gallons conveyed. The PVC will apply to unmetered customers based on the estimated billed consumption used to determine their rate for unmetered service.
- a. **Purpose**. The purpose of the PVC is to begin timely recovery of specific interest only and principal and interest ("PI") obligations due by PWSA for loans, not grants, received from the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority ("PennVest") when they first become due and until fully repaid and will remain in effect until costs are fully recovered.
- b. The currently effective PVC is:

Customer Class	PennVest Charge Rate per 1000 Gals.
All Customers	\$0.00

The above charge per 1000 Gallons is determined as follows:

$$PVC = PI / \text{Conveyance}$$

PVC = PennVest Charge per 1,000 gallons

PI = Annual Interest Only and/or Principal and Interest payments per PENNVEST identified below

Conveyance = total projected billed conveyance in 1000s gallons conveyed by all customers in forecast year

4. Treatment Rate:

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- a. In addition to the Minimum or Base Charge, the Conveyance Charge, and the PVC, customers will be required to pay rates for Wastewater/Sewage treatment to Premises. (C)
- b. The rates for Wastewater/Sewage treatment to Premises within the Authority's service area are established by ALCOSAN, and are paid by the Authority to ALCOSAN. Information on ALCOSAN's rates is available on its website.
- c. Wastewater/Sewage treatment charges may be reflected on Authority bills/invoices as ALCOSAN charges, basic service and sewage treatment.

Section A.1 - Wastewater Conveyance (Unmetered Service)

1. Customer Charge. As of September 1, 2018 enrollment for Unmetered Service will be closed and no new Unmetered Service customers will be accepted by the Authority. Customers who are receiving unmetered service will be assessed a monthly customer charge per unmetered connection as follows:

<u>Customer Class</u>	<u>Customer Charge</u>
Residential (per unit)	\$28.29
Commercial	\$32.01

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2. Treatment Rate: In addition to the Customer Charge, Customers who are receiving unmetered service will be required to pay rates for Wastewater/Sewage treatment to Premises, as set forth in Section A.3.

Section B - Bulk Wastewater Conveyance

1. Application: This schedule applies to all bulk wastewater conveyance for other wastewater utilities or public authorities.
2. Rates and Terms of Service: Contracts stipulating the negotiated rate and negotiated terms of Bulk Wastewater Conveyance may be entered into between the Authority and Customer or Applicant when the Authority, in its sole discretion, deems such offering to be economically advantageous to the Authority.

**(D)= Decrease (I) = Increase (C)= Change**