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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street – Second Floor North Harrisburg, PA 17120

RE: Community Utilities of Pennsylvania Inc. Wastewater Divisions; Docket No. R-2021-3025207; CUPA SUPPLEMENT NO. 9 TO TARIFF WASTEWATER-Pa.P.U.C. No. 1

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission is Community Utilities of Pennsylvania Inc. Wastewater Division's Supplement No. 9 to Tariff Wastewater-Pa.P.U.C. No. 1 filed in compliance with the January 13, 2022 Order Adopting Settlement issued in this proceeding. CUPA notes that the January 13, 2022 Order specifically approved the Settlement provision in the Joint Petition at Paragraph 6 and the related tariff pages in Appendix C regarding the effective date of the rate increase.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to call either me or undersigned counsel.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Whitney E. Snyder

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WES/das Enclosures

cc: Per Certificate of Service

#### COMMUNITY UTILITIES OF PENNSYLVANIA INC.

#### RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING

THE PROVISION OF WASTEWATER COLLECTION, TREATMENT AND/OR DISPOSAL SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC IN

STROUD AND POCONO TOWNSHIPS IN MONROE COUNTY, A PORTION OF WEST BRADFORD TOWNSHIP IN CHESTER COUNTY, AND PORTIONS OF LEHMAN TOWNSHIP IN PIKE COUNTY,

#### **PENNSYLVANIA**

Service Territory Formally Known as Penn Estates Utilities, Inc., Utilities, Inc., and Pennsylvania Utility Company

ISSUED: January 26, 2022 EFFECTIVE: January 27, 2022

**ISSUED BY:** 

Bryce Mendenhall, President 500 W. Monroe Suite 3600 Chicago, IL 60660 (800) 860-4512 **NOTICE** 

THIS TARIFF IS FILED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE ORDER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIN, ENTERED ON JANUARY 13, 2022 AT DOCKET NO. R-2021-3025207. THIS SUPPLEMENT INCREASES AND CHANGES THE SCHEDULE OF RATES FOR ALL CUSTOMERS IN THE PENN ESTATES UTILITIES INC., PENNSYLVANIA UTILITY CO., AND UTILITIES INC OF PENNSYLVANIA. SERVICE TERRITORIES

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A INC. Supplement No. 9 to Tariff Wastewater-Pa. P.U.C. No. 1
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# **LIST OF CHANGES**

Supplement No. 9 increases the schedule of rates applicable to all customers in accordance with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission's Final Order in Docket. No. R-2021-3025207. The increase moves rates toward unitization as stated in the Joint Petition filed at the foregoing docket. The increase in annual operating revenue is intended to produce an additional \$830,000 per year.

Supplement No. 9 has also been adjusted to reflect charges billed on a quarterly basis to be billed on a monthly basis in arrears.

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# PART I: SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

## Section A - Rates for Metered Service

The utility has no approved metered rate. All wastewater customers are subject to flat rates herein within Part I, Section B.

#### Section B - Flat Rates

The charge per unit is a flat rate either per month or per quarter as follows:

#### Residential

\$74.73 per month per lot located within Penn Estates and upon which a structure has been erected. (I) This rate will be billed monthly.

#### Pool

\$74.73 per month per lot located within Penn Estates and at which a community pool or showering (I) facility has been erected. This rate will be billed monthly.

#### Clubhouse

\$74.73 per month for the Penn Estates Clubhouse. This rate will be billed monthly. (I)

# All Other (Customer not Identified as Residental, Pool, & Clubhouse)

\$74.73 per month for customers not considered Residential, Pool, Clubhouse or Availability. This rate will be billed monthly.

## Section C - Returned Check Charge

A charge of \$25 will be assessed any time where a check which has been presented to the Company for payment on account has been returned by the payor's bank for any reason.

## Section D - Availability

\$32.80 per month per lot if located within Penn Estates and upon which no structure has been (I) erected for an availability charge. This rate will continue to be billed quarterly.

#### Section E – Tampering Fee

Unauthorized connections, repairs, or other tampering with the system will render the service subject to immediate discontinuation without notice and wastewater service shall not be restored until such unauthorized connections, repairs, and other tampering with the system have been removed and unless settlement is made in full and for wastewater service estimated by the Company to have been used by reason for such unauthorized connection. The fee for these unauthorized connections, repairs, and system tampering shall be \$200 plus any actual costs to repair.

(I) Indicates Increase

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Utilities, Inc. of Pennsylvania Division

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# PART I: SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

## Section A - Rates for Metered Service

The utility has no approved metered rate. All wastewater customers are subject to flat rates herein within Part I, Section B.

## Section B - Flat Rates

The charge per unit is a flat rate either per month or per quarter as follows:

Residential Per month, per household	\$ 74.73	(C)(I)
School Per month, per pupil	\$ 1.53	(I)
All Other (Customers not identified as Residential or School) Per month	\$ 74.73	(C)(I)

The flat rate charges will be billed monthly in arrears covering service for the previous month immediately preceding presentation of bill,

(I) Indicates Increase

(C) Indicates Change (D) Indicates Decrease

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# Part I: SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES (CONT'D)

(Service Territory Formally Known as Public Utility Company – Lehman Township, Pike County)

Section A - Rates for Service

The charge per residential dwelling unit for sewer service is as follows:

# **Residential (Metered Rate):**

	<u>Customer Charge</u>		<b>(T)</b>
	Eagle Village (Monthly)	\$26.15	(I)
	Eagle Village - Office (Monthly)	\$26.15	(I)
	The Glen at Tamiment (Monthly)	\$26.15	(I)
	Eagle Point (Monthly)	\$26.15	(1)
	Consumption Charge	\$13.977 per thousand gallons	(C)(I)
	Availability Charge for Unoccupied Lots	\$20.22 per Month	(I)
Comm	ercial (Metered Rate): Customer Charge (Monthly)	\$26.15	(D)
	Consumption Charge	\$13.977 per thousand gallons	(I)

(I) Indicates Increase(C) Indicates Change (D) Indicates Decrease

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## PART I: RECOUPMENT SURCHARGE

Pursuant to Paragraph Nos. 5-6 of the Joint Petition for Settlement of Rate Proceeding that was approved by the Commission's Final Order entered January 13, 2022 at Docket No. R-2021-3025207 ("Rate Case Final Order"), the Company is entitled to recoup the revenue increase not billed from January 12, 2022 through the effective date of new rates in the above-referenced proceeding (i.e. January 27, 2022). The Company will calculate the recoupment period as the base rate revenues not billed between January 12, 2022 and January 27, 2022.

This surcharge will apply to all customers' bills, excluding public fire protection service, for a six month period. The surcharge will be billed equally to the Company's customer classes, exclusive of amounts billed for public fire protection service, the State Tax Adjustment Surcharge revenues, Deferred Tax Credit and automatic adjustment clause revenues.

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the parties, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022