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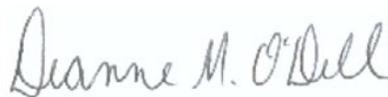
RE: The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority d/b/a Pittsburgh Water –
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Dear Secretary Homsher:

On behalf of The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority d/b/a Pittsburgh Water enclosed please find revised tariff pages, in the above-referenced matter. These pages are being re-filed at the behest of Commission staff to revise minor language/formatting corrections. Please replace the previously filed JAM-16 (clean) and JAM-17 (redline) with the enclosed revised versions. None of the revisions were substantive, they involved identification of pages and noting changes. Please note that revised tariff pages will be filed for water (R-2025-3055010) and stormwater (R-2025-3055012) matters.

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PART I: SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

Section A - Wastewater Conveyance

1. Minimum (or Service) Charge: Each customer will be assessed a service charge based upon the size of the customer's water meter as follows except that residential customers residing in newly constructed townhomes who are required to install a meter larger than 5/8" for fire protection and due to City ordinance requirements, may request assessment of the 5/8" minimum charge and usage allowance: (C)

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Minimum Gallons</u>	<u>Per Month</u>	(C)
5/8"	1,000	\$8.37	(I)
3/4"	2,000	\$13.55	(I)
1"	5,000	\$28.60	(I)
1 1/2"	10,000	\$54.49	(I)
2"	17,000	\$90.25	(I)
3"	40,000	\$205.97	(I)
4"	70,000	\$355.54	(I)
6"	175,000	\$872.82	(I)
8"	325,000	\$1,606.34	(I)
10" or Larger	548,000	\$2,687.66	(I)

<u>Meter Size</u>	Service Charge <u>Per Month</u> Effective January 1, 2027	(C)
5/8"	\$3.99	(D)
3/4"	\$4.51	(D)
1"	\$5.55	(D)
1 1/2"	\$8.15	(D)
2"	\$11.26	(D)
3"	\$19.57	(D)
4"	\$28.92	(D)
6"	\$54.88	(D)
8"	\$86.04	(D)
10" or Larger	\$122.38	(D)

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2. Conveyance Charge: In addition to the Minimum or Base Charge, the following wastewater conveyance charges (based on water consumption/usage or wastewater flows, at the Authority's discretion) will apply for each 1,000 gallons above the Minimum Gallons for each meter size effective with the date of this supplement, to be changed for all metered consumption effective January 1, 2027:

Customer Class	Conveyance Charge Rate Per 1000 Gals.		(C)
	Effective March 1, 2026	Effective January 1, 2027	
Residential	\$7.69	\$7.39	(I) / (D)
Commercial	\$7.03	\$7.42	(I) / (I)
Industrial	\$7.05	\$7.64	(I) / (I)
Health or Education	\$7.88	\$7.96	(I) / (I)

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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 Pittsburgh Water 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. (C)

b. The currently effective PVC is:

Customer Class	PennVest Charge Rate per 1000 Gals.
All Customers	\$0.88

(I)

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

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- c. **Computation.** The PVC will be adjusted to conform to the specific interest only and principal and interest ("PI") obligations payable pursuant to the final PENNVEST amortization schedules. The PVC includes interest and/or interest and principal on all current and future PENNVEST loans. Currently, the PVC is recovering the following loans:

Loan Source	Loan Number / Identifier	Start Date of Interest Only Payments	Start of Final Amortization Schedule
PENNVEST	71362	2/16/2009	5/1/2011
PENNVEST	27772	11/16/2009	3/1/2011
PENNVEST	27784	1/7/2010	9/1/2011
PENNVEST	71396	10/17/2013	5/1/2015
PENNVEST	58113	6/3/2014	1/1/2016
PENNVEST	71404	7/10/2014	5/1/2015
PENNVEST	75373	5/14/2021	9/1/2022
PENNVEST	75385	2/18/2022	7/1/2023
PENNVEST	77104	4/19/2022	4/1/2027
PENNVEST	71452	4/19/2022	4/1/2027
PENNVEST	71459	5/22/2023	4/1/2028
PENNVEST	71465	4/16/2025	4/1/2030

- d. **Semi-Annual Adjustments.** The PVC is subject to change on a semi-annual basis effective February 1 and August 1 based on the status of applicable PENNVEST loan. Semi-annual updates to be filed by Pittsburgh Water at least ten (10) days prior to the effective date of the update. Supporting data for each semi-annual update will be provided.

- e. **Annual Reconciliation.** The PVC will be subject to annual reconciliation based on actual consumption for the prior 12 months ending December 31. The PVC will be adjusted to reflect either a credit, as calculated below, or an increase in the charge as determined by the reconciliation process to be effective February 1. Supporting data for each annual reconciliation will be provided.

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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>		
	Effective March 1, 2026	Effective January 1, 2027	
Residential (per unit)	\$31.44	\$33.55	(I) / (I)
Commercial	\$36.49	\$41.09	(I) / (I)

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.

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Rider BDP - Bill Discount Program (Residential)

1. Bill Discount Program: This rider is a program designed to enroll residential ratepayers who satisfy the criteria set forth below in a monthly discounted rate program
2. Availability: This rider is available for a Residential customer that meets the low-income criteria of annual household gross income at or below 200% based on the Federal Poverty Level.
 - a. A residential ratepayer who meets the eligibility criteria should complete an application for the Bill Discount Program except that residential ratepayers who apply for and are granted a Hardship Grant through one of the community based organizations partnering with Dollar Energy Fund will be automatically enrolled (C)
 - b. Eligible customers may be asked to verify income every two years or, for customers on fixed incomes of social security and/or retirement benefits, every five years. (C)
3. Rate (Minimum or Service Charge): The Minimum or Service Charge for residential service pursuant to Rider BDP will be 0% of the prevailing Minimum Service Charge under Part I, Section A. Any other rates, fees and charges will be at the prevailing amounts under this tariff. (C)
4. Rate (Conveyance Charge): The Consumption Charge for residential service pursuant to Rider BDP for participants with income at or below 50% of the Federal Poverty Level will pay 40% of the prevailing Consumption Charge under Part I, Section A (which represents a 60% discount off the charge). Any other rates, fees and charges will be at the prevailing amounts under this tariff.
5. PennVest Charge ("PVC"): BDP participants will pay 50% of the PVC charge.

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6. Fixed Discount Bill Credit: Qualifying customers will also receive a fixed bill credit up to the amounts stated as set forth below:

	Effective as of the date of supplement	Effective January 1, 2027
BDP Participants above 50% - 200% of FPL	\$2.50 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges	\$9.00 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges
CAP Customers at or below 50% of FPL	\$0.00 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges	\$2.98 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges

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Rider AFP: Arrearage Forgiveness Program

- (C)
- a. Customers receiving residential service pursuant to Rider BDP who maintain an active, income based payment plan as documented by the Authority shall be eligible to participate in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program. Customers who negotiate a payment arrangement for their pre-existing arrearages will be automatically enrolled in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
- b. Eligible participants will have their pre-existing billed charges in arrears frozen and any remaining balance after 24 months shall be forgiven . Billed charges in arrears includes any amounts outstanding for Pittsburgh Water 's water service, if applicable. Forgiven arrearages will be recovered through Rider AFP as part of Pittsburgh Water's revenue requirements. (C)
- c. The Authority will cease assessing any interest on the arrears and pursuing collections while the customer is in an active, income based payment plan. (C)
- d. Should the participating customer default on the payment plan, he or she will have the opportunity to make two catch-up payments to continue to receive the benefits of the Arrearage Forgiveness Program. Failure to make the two catch-up payments will result in immediate removal of the customer from the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
- e. Customers removed from the Arrearage Forgiveness Program will be eligible to reenter the program if they make all missed payments incurred during their prior enrollment in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
6. The Authority reserves the right to propose to alter or eliminate the Arrearage Forgiveness Program in a future base rate case.

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PART II: Definitions:

The following words and phrases, when used in this tariff, shall have the meanings assigned below unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

1. ALCOSAN: The Allegheny County Sanitary Sewer Authority, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.
2. Applicant: A natural person at least 18 years of age not currently receiving service who applies for residential service provided by the Authority or any adult occupant whose name appears on the mortgage, deed or lease of the property for which the residential utility service is requested. The term does not include a person who, within 30 days after service termination or discontinuance of service, seeks to have service reconnected at the same location or transferred to another location within the service territory of the Authority.
3. Authority or PWSA or Pittsburgh Water: The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority d/b/a Pittsburgh Water, a municipal authority organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. (C)
4. Authority Collection Main: The Authority has a duty to operate, maintain, inspect, repair, replace or abandon only those Wastewater Collection Mains that are a part of or connected to the public Wastewater collection, transmission and conveyance and that fall into one of the following classifications: (1) Wastewater Collection Mains leased to the Authority by the City under the Capital Lease Agreement effective July 27, 1995, as amended; (2) Wastewater Collection Mains constructed by the City or the Authority for public use since July 27, 1995; and (3) Wastewater Collection Mains dedicated to public use and accepted by the Authority on or after July 27, 1995.

(C) - Change

6. Bona Fide Service Applicant: (For Line Extension Purposes) A person or entity applying for wastewater conveyance service to an existing or proposed structure within the Authority's certificated service territory or areas served by PWSA as of December 21, 2017 for which a valid occupancy or building permit has been issued if the structure is either a primary residence of the applicant or a place of business. An applicant shall not be deemed a bona fide service applicant if:
- a. applicant is requesting wastewater conveyance service to a building lot, subdivision or a secondary residence;
 - b. the request for service is part of a plan for the development of a residential dwelling or subdivision; or
 - c. the applicant is requesting special utility service.
- 6A. Break-In Connection: An unauthorized connection in which a Customer Lateral connects to the Main without using a factory-installed connection. (C)
7. Capital Lease Agreement: The agreement bearing that title between the City and the Authority on July 15, 1995, effective July 27, 1995, and includes any amendments thereto.
8. City: The City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
9. City Lien Verification Letter: A written letter from the City to a Person regarding any liens, claims, or taxes due the City from that Person.
10. Combination Sewer or Combined Sewer: Sewers designed and built to carry sanitary Sewage and/or industrial waste combined with Storm Water.
11. Commercial or Commercial Property: Any property used, acquired or leased for purposes of carrying on a trade, business, profession, vocation, or any commercial, service, financial, or utility business or activity including, but not limited to, hotels, office buildings, gas service stations, laundries, commercial establishments, stores, malls, car washes, and parking lots.
12. Commission or PUC: The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

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4. Customer Safeguards

- a. Cap: The DSIC is capped at 7.5% of the amount billed to customers for distribution service (including all applicable clauses and riders), inclusive of amounts billed for annual reconciliation pursuant to the "e" factor set forth above, as determined on an annualized basis **(I)**
- b. Audit/Reconciliation: The DSIC is subject to audit at intervals determined by the Commission. Any cost determined by the Commission not to comply with any provision of 66 Pa C.S. §§ 1350, et seq., shall be credited to customer accounts. The DSIC is subject to annual reconciliation based on a reconciliation period consisting of the twelve months ending December 31 of each year. The revenue received under the DSIC for the reconciliation period will be compared to the Authority's eligible costs for that period. The difference between revenue and costs will be recouped or refunded, as appropriate, in accordance with Section 1307(e), over a one-year period commencing on April 1 of each year. If DSIC revenues exceed DSIC-eligible costs, such over-collections will be refunded with interest. Interest on over-collections and credits will be calculated at the residential mortgage lending specified by the Secretary of Banking in accordance with the Loan Interest and Protection Law (41 P.S. §§ 101, et seq.) and will be refunded in the same manner as an over-collection.
- c. Customer Notice: Customers shall be notified of changes in the DSIC by including appropriate information on the first bill they receive following any change. An explanatory bill insert shall also be included with the first billing.
- d. All customer classes: The DSIC shall be applied equally to all customer classes.

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Add new Section 3.a. to address break-in connections

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Increase from 5.0% to 7.5% the DSIC charge.

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PART I: SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES

Section A - Wastewater Conveyance

1. Minimum (or ServiceBase) Charge: Each customer will be assessed a service charge based upon the size of the customer's water meter as follows except that residential customers residing in newly constructed townhomes who are required to install a meter larger than 5/8" for fire protection and due to City ordinance requirements, may request assessment of the 5/8" minimum charge and usage allowance: (C)

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Minimum Gallons</u>	<u>Per Month</u>	(C)
5/8"	1,000	\$8.25 8.37	(I)
3/4"	2,000	\$13.19 13.55	(I)
1"	5,000	\$27.35 28.60	(I)
1 1/2"	10,000	\$52.06 54.49	(I)
2"	17,000	\$85.98 90.25	(I)
3"	40,000	\$195.00 205.97	(I)
4"	70,000	\$335.31 355.54	(I)
6"	175,000	\$817.77 872.82	(I)
8"	325,000	\$1,499.45 1,606.34	(I)
10" or Larger	548,000	\$2,500.18 2,687.66	(I)

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<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Service Charge Per Month</u> Effective January 1, 2027	(C)
5/8"	\$3.99	(D)
3/4"	\$4.51	(D)
1"	\$5.55	(D)
1 1/2"	\$8.15	(D)
2"	\$11.26	(D)
3"	\$19.57	(D)
4"	\$28.92	(D)
6"	\$54.88	(D)
8"	\$86.04	(D)
10" or Larger	\$122.38	(D)

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2. Conveyance Charge: In addition to the Minimum or Base Charge, the following wastewater conveyance charges (based on water consumption/usage or wastewater flows, at the Authority's discretion) will apply for each 1,000 gallons above the Minimum Gallons for each meter size **effective with the date of this supplement, to be changed for all metered consumption effective January 1, 2027:**

Customer Class	Conveyance Charge Rate Per 1000 Gals.		
	Effective March 1, 2026	Effective January 1, 2027	
Residential	\$6.68 7.69	\$7.39	(I) / (D)
Commercial	\$5.94 7.03	\$7.42	(I) / (I)
Industrial	\$6.09 7.05	\$7.64	(I) / (I)
Health or Education	\$6.75 7.88	\$7.96	(I) / (I)

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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 Pittsburgh Water 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. (C)

b. The currently effective PVC is: (C)

Customer Class	PennVest Charge Rate per 1000 Gals.
All Customers	\$0.8800 (I)

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

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- c. **Computation.** The PVC will be adjusted to conform to the specific interest only and principal and interest ("PI") obligations payable pursuant to the final PENNVEST amortization schedules. The **principal on the** loans may not be included in the PVC until the plant is used and useful. ~~When applicable, the final settlement date of loans funded through the PennVest Programmatic Financing (Pro-Fi) program is what will be used to determine which loans closed on or after January 1, 2025~~ **The PVC includes interest and/or interest and principal on all current and future PENNVEST loans.** Currently, the PVC is recovering the following loans:

Loan Source	Loan Number / Identifier	Start Date of Interest Only Payments	Start of Final Amortization Schedule
PENNVEST	71362	2/16/2009	5/1/2011
PENNVEST	27772	11/16/2009	3/1/2011
PENNVEST	27784	1/7/2010	9/1/2011
PENNVEST	71396	10/17/2013	5/1/2015
PENNVEST	58113	6/3/2014	1/1/2016
PENNVEST	71404	7/10/2014	5/1/2015
PENNVEST	75373	5/14/2021	9/1/2022
PENNVEST	75385	2/18/2022	7/1/2023
PENNVEST	77104	4/19/2022	4/1/2027
PENNVEST	71452	4/19/2022	4/1/2027
PENNVEST	71459	5/22/2023	4/1/2028
PENNVEST	71465	4/16/2025	4/1/2030

- d. **Semi-Annual Adjustments.** The PVC is subject to change on a semi-annual basis effective February 1 and August 1 based on the status of applicable PENNVEST loan. Semi-annual updates to be filed by **Pittsburgh Water WSA** at least ten (10) days prior to the effective date of the update. Supporting data for each semi-annual update will be provided.
- e. **Annual Reconciliation.** The PVC will be subject to annual reconciliation based on actual consumption for the prior 12 months ending December 31. The PVC will be adjusted to reflect either a credit, as calculated below, or an increase in the charge as determined by the reconciliation process to be effective February 1. Supporting data for each annual reconciliation will be provided.

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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>	
	Effective March 1, 2026	Effective January 1, 2027
Residential (per unit)	\$28.29 31.44	\$33.55
Commercial	\$32.01 36.49	\$41.09

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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.

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4. Activities Related to Permits/Approvals Issued by PWSA
a. Development Permits - required for constructing or renovating a structure larger than a single-family home including single-family homes with a fire service line or multi-family homes

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Developer Fee - Water and Sewer Availability Letter	\$40.00
Developer Fee - Water and Sewer Use Review Letter	\$320.00
Developer Fee - Water and Sewer Use Review Letter - Expedited*	\$550.00
Tap-in Plan Review	\$420.00
Tap-In Plan Review - Expedited*	\$740.00
Developer Permit Revisions Review	\$140.00
Developer Permit Revisions Review - Expedited*	\$250.00
Private Construction of Public Facilities Plan Review	\$680.00
Private Construction of Public Facilities Plan Review - Expedited*	\$1,190.00
DEP Sewage Facilities Planning Review	\$240.00
DEP Sewage Facilities Planning Review - Expedited*	\$410.00

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*Expedited = guaranteed review within 15 business days

- b. Residential Permit** - for sewer taps or reconnecting to existing sewer service

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Residential Permit	\$40.00

- c. Other Permits** (for any customer wanting to schedule an operation of a PWSA facility such as a fire hydrant or waterline shut)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Termination Only Permit	\$250.00

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Section I - Reserved for Future Use

Section J - New Automatic Payment Enrollment Credit

Customers enrolling in paperless billing and establishing automatic bill payments for the first time will receive a one-time credit of \$5.00. For customers receiving water, wastewater, and/or storm water service from Pittsburgh Water, this credit will only be applied once per Pittsburgh Water account. (C)

Section K - E-Bill Credit

Customers enrolling in e-billing for the first time will receive a one-time credit of \$15.00. For customers receiving water, wastewater, and/or storm water service from Pittsburgh Water, this credit will only be applied once per Pittsburgh Water account. Customers enrolling in e-billing and receiving the credit are prohibited from switching back to paper billing for six (6) months. (C)

Section L - Leak Credit

Where a customer has received a bill for higher than usual consumption as a result of a leak that they had neither actual nor constructive notice of, and the customer has provided evidence that the leak that resulted in higher than usual consumption has been repaired, in the form of: (C)

- i. An invoice from the registered plumber who made the repair(s) describing the location of the leak(s) and the repair(s) made;
- ii. A letter or email from the registered plumber who made the repair(s) describing the location of the leak(s) and the repair(s) made; or
- iii. A receipt for the purchase of materials along with a letter or email from the customer who made the repair(s) describing the location of the leak(s) and the repair(s) made;

and the customer has enrolled in all of the free leak alerts within the Customer Advantage Portal to receive alerts of higher than usual consumption via text and/or email, the Authority may, in its sole discretion, reduce the initial invoice for higher than usual charges assessed under Part I of this tariff down to average monthly consumption for the customer. Average monthly consumption will be established by the average number of gallons used in the 12 months preceding the apparent beginning of the leak. Should the customer incur a second, subsequent bill for higher than usual consumption, the Authority may, in its sole discretion, additionally reduce the subsequent invoice for higher than usual charges assessed under Part I.

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6. Fixed Discount Bill Credit: Qualifying customers will also receive a fixed bill credit up to the amounts stated as set forth below:

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BDP Participants above 50% - 200% of FPL	\$2.50 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges	\$9.00 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges
CAP Customers at or below 50% of FPL	\$0.00 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges	\$2.98 per bill for wastewater conveyance charges

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Rider AFP: Arrearage Forgiveness Program

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- a. Customers receiving residential service pursuant to Rider BDP who maintain an active, income based payment plan as documented by the Authority shall be eligible to participate in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program. Customers who negotiate a payment arrangement for their pre-existing arrearages will be automatically enrolled in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
 - b. Eligible participants will have their **pre-existing billed charges in arrears frozen and any remaining balance after 24 months shall be forgiven** **(C)**
~~in increments of \$30 per each payment received.~~ Billed charges in arrears includes any amounts outstanding for **Pittsburgh Water** PWSA's water service, if applicable. **Forgiven arrearages will be recovered through Rider AFP as part of Pittsburgh Water's revenue requirements.** **(C)**
 - c. The Authority will cease assessing any interest on the arrears and pursuing collections while the customer is in an active, income based payment plan.
 - d. Should the participating customer default on the payment plan, he or she will have the opportunity to make two catch-up payments to continue to receive the benefits of the Arrearage Forgiveness Program. Failure to make the two catch-up payments will result in immediate removal of the customer from the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
 - e. Customers removed from the Arrearage Forgiveness Program will be eligible to reenter the program if they make all missed payments incurred during their prior enrollment in the Arrearage Forgiveness Program.
6. The Authority reserves the right to propose to alter or eliminate the Arrearage Forgiveness Program in a future base rate case.

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PART II: Definitions:

The following words and phrases, when used in this tariff, shall have the meanings assigned below unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

1. ALCOSAN: The Allegheny County Sanitary Sewer Authority, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.
2. Applicant: A natural person at least 18 years of age not currently receiving service who applies for residential service provided by the Authority or any adult occupant whose name appears on the mortgage, deed or lease of the property for which the residential utility service is requested. The term does not include a person who, within 30 days after service termination or discontinuance of service, seeks to have service reconnected at the same location or transferred to another location within the service territory of the Authority.
3. Authority or PWSA **or Pittsburgh Water**: The Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority **d/b/a Pittsburgh Water**, a municipal authority organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. (C)
4. Authority Collection Main: The Authority has a duty to operate, maintain, inspect, repair, replace or abandon only those Wastewater Collection Mains that are a part of or connected to the public Wastewater collection, transmission and conveyance and that fall into one of the following classifications: (1) Wastewater Collection Mains leased to the Authority by the City under the Capital Lease Agreement effective July 27, 1995, as amended; (2) Wastewater Collection Mains constructed by the City or the Authority for public use since July 27, 1995; and (3) Wastewater Collection Mains dedicated to public use and accepted by the Authority on or after July 27, 1995.

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6. Bona Fide Service Applicant: (For Line Extension Purposes) A person or entity applying for wastewater conveyance service to an existing or proposed structure within the Authority's certificated service territory or areas served by PWSA as of December 21, 2017 for which a valid occupancy or building permit has been issued if the structure is either a primary residence of the applicant or a place of business. An applicant shall not be deemed a bona fide service applicant if:
- a. applicant is requesting wastewater conveyance service to a building lot, subdivision or a secondary residence;
 - b. the request for service is part of a plan for the development of a residential dwelling or subdivision; or
 - c. the applicant is requesting special utility service.
- 6A. Break-In Connection: An unauthorized connection in which a Customer Lateral connects to the Main without using a factory-installed connection. (C)
7. Capital Lease Agreement: The agreement bearing that title between the City and the Authority on July 15, 1995, effective July 27, 1995, and includes any amendments thereto.
8. City: The City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
9. City Lien Verification Letter: A written letter from the City to a Person regarding any liens, claims, or taxes due the City from that Person.
10. Combination Sewer or Combined Sewer: Sewers designed and built to carry sanitary Sewage and/or industrial waste combined with Storm Water.
11. Commercial or Commercial Property: Any property used, acquired or leased for purposes of carrying on a trade, business, profession, vocation, or any commercial, service, financial, or utility business or activity including, but not limited to, hotels, office buildings, gas service stations, laundries, commercial establishments, stores, malls, car washes, and parking lots.
12. Commission or PUC: The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

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44. Residential Tenant: A Person who leases a Dwelling Unit in a Residential Property pursuant to a current lease agreement.
45. Sanitary Sewers: Those portions of the Sewer System in the City of Pittsburgh that were designed and built to carry sanitary sewage and/or industrial waste separately from Storm Water discharge, and portions of the Sewer System designated as Sanitary Sewers by the Authority.
46. Sewage: Wastewater that contains the waste products or other discharges from the bodies of human beings or animals and any noxious or deleterious substances harmful or inimical to public health or to animal or aquatic life, or to the use of waters for domestic water supply or for recreation, or which constitutes pollution under the Pennsylvania Clean Streams Law, Act of June 22, 1937, P.L. 1987, as amended.
47. Sewer System: The entire system consisting of the Authority Collection Main and the Authority Storm Water Sewers.
48. Special Utility Service: Residential or business service which exceeds that required for ordinary residential purposes.
49. Storm Water: Drainage or runoff resulting from precipitation or snow or ice melt.
50. Storm Water Collection System or Storm Water Sewers: A separate network of ~~gutters, ditches, swales,~~ pipes and inlets which receives discharges of storm water and/or conveys surface water, subsurface drainage or storm water from buildings, grounds, parking lots, streets, etc. but excludes sewage. Storm Water Collection System may be Authority Storm Water Sewers or Private Storm Water Sewers. (C)
51. Tariff: All the service rates, rules and regulations issued by the Authority, together with any supplements or revisions thereto, officially approved by the Commission and contained in this document.

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3. Customer's Responsibilities: All customer laterals, connections and fixtures furnished by the customer shall be maintained by the customer in good working order. All equipment and appliances furnished by the Authority and on property owned or leased by the customer shall be protected properly by the customer. All leaks on the customer lateral or any pipe or fixtures in or upon the customer's premises must be repaired immediately by the customer.

a. Break-In Connections

The Authority does not permit Break-In Connections to its Mains. If a pre-existing Break-In Connection is identified resulting in a nonfunctioning lateral, the Customer is responsible for properly terminating the Break-In Connection and connecting to the Main via a factory-installed connection. Prior to terminating the Break-In Connection, the Customer must obtain prior written authorization from the Authority approving the work to be completed. The requirements for tap-in and tap termination procedures are governed by the Authority's Manual for Developers.

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4. Right to Reject: The Authority may refuse to connect with any piping system or furnish wastewater conveyance through a lateral already connected if such system or lateral is not properly installed or maintained. The Authority, at any time, may request a Gravity Sewer Test be performed on the building lateral, at the sole expense of the owner, whenever it has evidence the lateral is leaking excessively, as determined by the Authority. Generally, leakage is considered excessive when the groundwater flow exceeds one hundred (100) gallon per inch of nominal diameter per mile of pipe per day. The Gravity Sewer Test shall be in accordance with Section 312.6 of the International Plumbing Code®
5. Individual Laterals: Except as otherwise expressly authorized by the Authority and/or as expressly approved by the Health Department, each individual customer shall be served only through a separate lateral connected directly to the Authority's conveyance main, and that lateral shall not serve any other customer or premise. No additional attachment may be made to any customer's lateral for any purpose without the express written approval of the Authority.

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4. Customer Safeguards

- a. Cap: The DSIC is capped at ~~57.50%~~ **(I)** of the amount billed to customers for distribution service (including all applicable clauses and riders), inclusive of amounts billed for annual reconciliation pursuant to the "e" factor set forth above, as determined on an annualized basis
- b. Audit/Reconciliation: The DSIC is subject to audit at intervals determined by the Commission. Any cost determined by the Commission not to comply with any provision of 66 Pa C.S. §§ 1350, et seq., shall be credited to customer accounts. The DSIC is subject to annual reconciliation based on a reconciliation period consisting of the twelve months ending December 31 of each year. The revenue received under the DSIC for the reconciliation period will be compared to the Authority's eligible costs for that period. The difference between revenue and costs will be recouped or refunded, as appropriate, in accordance with Section 1307(e), over a one-year period commencing on April 1 of each year. If DSIC revenues exceed DSIC-eligible costs, such over-collections will be refunded with interest. Interest on over-collections and credits will be calculated at the residential mortgage lending specified by the Secretary of Banking in accordance with the Loan Interest and Protection Law (41 P.S. §§ 101, et seq.) and will be refunded in the same manner as an over-collection.
- c. Customer Notice: Customers shall be notified of changes in the DSIC by including appropriate information on the first bill they receive following any change. An explanatory bill insert shall also be included with the first billing.
- d. All customer classes: The DSIC shall be applied equally to all customer classes.

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