



News Release

April 18, 2012

In Order No. 47/12 dated April 18, 2012 the Public Utilities Board (Board) varied the Town of Hartney's (Town) application for revised rates for the Town's water and sewer utility and approved revised rates for January 1, 2012. The Board also confirmed as final the rates previously set for 2011 on an interim ex parte basis.

Previous rates, those proposed for 2011, interim rates approved for 2011 and revised 2012 rates are as follows.

Rate/1,000 gallons	Previous	Proposed 2011	2011 Interim	Increase/decrease	2012 revised	Increase/decrease
Quarterly service charge	\$15.85	\$27.90	\$20.00	26%	\$27.85	39%
Water	\$10.70	14.35	\$14.10	32%	\$10.75	-24%
Sewer	\$4.10	\$5.90	\$5.70	39%	\$5.90	4%
Minimum Quarterly*	\$60.25	\$88.65	\$79.40	32%	\$77.80	-2%
Average quarterly bill**	\$116.05	\$164.99	\$154.05	33%	\$140.57	-9%
Sewer Only (quarterly)	*\$28.15	*\$45.60	*\$45.60	62%	**\$67.79	49%
Bulk Water	\$11.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	45%	\$16.00	0%
Hydrant rental (annual)	\$125.00	\$150.00	\$150.00	20%	\$150.00	0%

*based on 3,000 gallons quarterly

**based on 6,770 gallons

The Town will be required to amend its By-law to reflect the decisions in this Order.

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