

## News Release

## NOTICE OF DECISION

November 7, 2012

In Order No. 149/12 dated November 7, 2012 the Public Utilities Board approved, on an interim *ex parte* basis, initial water rates for the Rural Water Pipeline System in the Rural Municipality of Pipestone.

The new rates are to be reflected on the quarterly billing, effective December 1, 2012.

The rates are shown below:

Commodity rates per m<sup>3</sup>

|                       | Water        |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| All Water Consumption | $2.90/m^{3}$ |

Minimum quarterly charges for meter sizes are proposed to be as follows:

| Meter Size | Group<br>Capacity<br>Ratio | Minimum<br>Quarterly<br>Consumption<br>(cubic meters) | Service<br>Charge | Commodity<br>Water | Minimum<br>Quarterly<br>Charges |
|------------|----------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| 5/8"       | 1                          | 14  | 14.25             | 40.60              | 54.85                           |
| 3/4"       | 2                          | 28  | 14.25             | 81.20              | 95.45                           |
| 1"         | 4                          | 56  | 14.25             | 162.40             | 176.65                          |
| 1 1/2"     | 10                         | 140   | 14.25             | 406.00             | 420.25                          |
| 2"         | 25                         | 350   | 14.25             | 1,015.00           | 1,029.25                        |

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