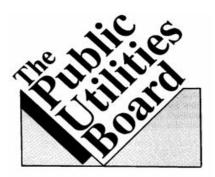
News Release



April 14, 2009

In Order No. 37/09 dated April 14, 2009, the Public Utilities Board (Board) confirms the directions of interim *Ex Parte* Order 145/08, with respect to 2008 and 2009 charges for sewer utility service in the Rural Municipality of West St. Paul (R.M.) - Local Improvement District No. 5 (River's Edge).

For 2008, connected customers have or are obliged to pay \$177.50, and for 2009 and until rates are further amended, \$355.00. The charges are to be prorated based on when the connection occurs.

Also, by this Order, the R.M. is required to file a revised rate study by January 31, 2010.

Notice of the R.M.'s application was mailed to each customer and the Board received two (2) responses; one anonymous.

Board Order No. 37/09 with additional details of the application is available for review on the Board's website: www.pub.gov.mb.ca

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