



News Release

March 12, 2012

In Order No. 27/12 dated March 12, 2012 the Public Utilities Board (Board) amended the Village of Somerset's application for revised water and sewer utility rates and approves new rates effective January 1, 2012 as follows:

Commodity Rate \$/1,000 gallons	Previous	Original proposal	Revised proposal	Approved
Water	\$6.00	\$11.65	\$12.67	\$11.72
Sewer	\$1.05	\$2.00	\$2.67	\$2.69
Quarterly Service Charge	\$3.60	\$8.00	\$4.00	\$12.64
Quarterly rate rider				\$24.27
Minimum Quarterly*	\$24.75	\$48.95	\$50.00	\$80.14
Bulk Water	\$7.00	\$10.00	\$14.77	\$14.77
Reconnection charge	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Hydrant Rental Charge	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$125.00	\$125.00

*Includes 3,000 gallons

A quarterly rate rider charge of \$24.27 is added to address the utility deficit and will be in effect for three years, expiring December 31, 2014.

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