

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
MUNICIPALITY OF NORFOLK TREHERNE
RATHWELL WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITY
REVISED WATER AND WASTEWATER RATES**

February 15, 2024

The Municipality of Norfolk Treherne (Municipality) has submitted an application for revised water and initial wastewater rates for the Rathwell Water and Wastewater Utility (Utility) to the Public Utilities Board (Board). The Board will convene a Public Hearing to be held:

Monday, April 15, 2024
Rathwell Memorial Hall
111 Broadway Street
Rathwell, MB
Doors open at **5:30 p.m.**
Meeting to begin at **6:00 p.m.**

The current and proposed rates are as follows:

	Current Rates	Proposed Rates
	By-law 2486/10	By-Law 96-2023 Year 1
Annual Charge per REU - water only*	\$ 250.00	\$ -
Quarterly Service Charge	\$ -	\$ 21.45
Water (per 1,000 gallons)	\$ -	\$ 36.43
Wastewater (per 1,000 gallons)	\$ -	\$ 24.87
Minimum Quarterly Charge**	\$ -	\$ 205.35
Bulk Water Sales(per 1,000 gallons)	\$ 7.00	\$ 39.00
Untreated Bulk Water (per 1,000 gallons)	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00

*Residential equivalency units

**Based on 3,000 gallons

Details of the Municipality’s application are available for review at the Municipal office or the Board’s. Any questions concerning the application for revised rates, or the operation of the Utility, should be sent directly to the Municipality.

Interested parties may attend the hearing and make their views known to the Board. In the interests of ensuring that people have the opportunity to be heard, the Board may set rules that provide time allowances for presentations. Any person wishing to make written representations regarding the Municipality’s rate application to the Board should write to:

The Public Utilities Board
400 – 330 Portage Avenue
Winnipeg MB R3C 0C4

Or, send an e-mail to publicutilities@gov.mb.ca, on or before **April 5, 2024**.

Interested parties wishing to provide evidence should apply to the Board for Intervener Status using the form on the Board's website at www.pubmanitoba.ca

Applications for Intervener Status must be copied to the Municipality, as well as the Board. Intervener Applications must be received on or before **April 5, 2024**.

The Manitoba Ombudsman has privacy guidelines for administrative tribunals. The Board is mindful of its obligations under those guidelines. Its decisions in respect of the application being considered will be sensitive to the guidelines. Personal information will not be disclosed unless it is appropriate and necessary to do so. However, the Board advises participants that these proceedings are public and that as a result, personal information protections are reduced.

All concerns received by the Board will be considered in the Board's decision on rates to be charged.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT IN CONSIDERING THIS APPLICATION, THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD MAY OR MAY NOT FIND IT NECESSARY TO DETERMINE RATES DIFFERENT FROM THOSE APPLIED FOR BY THE APPLICANT.

Note: All proceedings will be conducted in accordance with the Board's Rules of Practice and Procedure, which the Board may vary in order to constrain regulatory costs. The Rules are available at www.pubmanitoba.ca.



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