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April 4, 2022

Ms. Luly Massaro, Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

Re: *The Narragansett Bay Commission - Docket 5224*

Dear Ms. Massaro:

Enclosed herewith please find an original and nine copies of a revised compliance filing submitted by the Narragansett Bay Commission ("NBC") in the above captioned Docket setting forth the new rates approved by the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") at its Open Meeting on March 29, 2022. These documents are being submitted pursuant to Rule 2.11 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, and an electronic copy of this filing has been provided to the service list. As the Commission's ruling was on March 29, 2022, the NBC did not have time to implement the new rates effective April 1, 2022. NBC's billing system requires a bit more lag time to issue timely bills that incorporate new rates.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Joseph A. Keough, Jr.

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Enclosures
cc: Service List via electronic mail

SCHEDULE A

EFFECTIVE: CUSTOMER CHARGE July 1, 2019
CONSUMPTION CHARGE July 1, 2019

Applicability

Applicable throughout the entire territory served by the Field's Point and Bucklin Point Wastewater Treatment Facilities and operated by the Narragansett Bay Commission.

Sewer Use Fee Schedule

RESIDENTIAL

All residential structures up to and including six (6) dwelling units. All residential condominiums will be billed under residential tariffs regardless of the number of dwelling units per structure/meter.

NBC Service Area: **CUSTOMER CHARGE:**
 \$ 237.41 per dwelling unit per year

CONSUMPTION CHARGE:
 \$ 3.810 per hundred cubic feet of 100% of water used

RESIDENTIAL WELL CUSTOMERS:
 \$ 539.44 Based upon fixed fee and average annual usage of 79.61 HCF

INDUSTRIAL

All structures in which water is utilized for the production and/or manufacturing based operations including non-contact cooling water. As of May 1st, 2010 this category includes industrial laundries as defined by the EPA and categorized by the North American Industry Classification System (NAICCS) code 812332.

NBC Service Area: **CONSUMPTION CHARGE:**
 \$ 3.749 per hundred cubic feet of 100% of water used.

COMMERCIAL

All other structures. This includes mixed use structures (i.e., combined residential/non-residential) and half-way houses and/or boarding type facilities where unrelated persons rent rooms.

NBC Service Area: **CONSUMPTION CHARGE:**
 \$ 5.722 per hundred cubic feet of 100% of water used.

INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL CUSTOMER CHARGE:

<u>METER SIZE:</u>	<u>FIXED FEE</u>
5/8"	\$563
3/4"	\$845
1"	\$1,408
1 1/2"	\$2,815
2"	\$4,504
3"	\$8,445
4"	\$14,075
6"	\$28,150
8"	\$45,040
10"	\$64,745

BILLING

Residential - Fixed fees shall be billed monthly and consumption shall be billed based upon the frequency of the meter readings provided by the water supplier or the frequency of NBC's actual meter readings.

Condominiums (residential) - Fixed fees shall be billed monthly and consumption shall be billed based upon the frequency of the meter readings provided by the water supplier or the frequency of NBC's actual meter readings and rendered to property owners and/or associations.

Industrial - Fixed fees shall be billed monthly and consumption shall be billed based upon the frequency of the meter readings provided by the water supplier or the frequency of NBC's actual meter readings.

Commercial - Fixed fees shall be billed monthly and consumption shall be billed based upon the frequency of the meter readings provided by the water supplier or the frequency of NBC's actual meter readings.

Industrial Surcharge - If any, to be billed with consumption.

PAYMENT

All bills are due and payable upon receipt. Interest will be charged 30 days after the billing date at the rate of 1% per month on any unpaid balance, including any outstanding interest charges.

SCHEDULE B

Miscellaneous Charges

Charge:	Effective:	Charge:	Effective:
Pretreatment Permit Application Fee:	July 1, 2019	Abatement Application Fee:	June 1, 2018
Sewer Connection Permit Application Fee:	July 1, 2019	Credit Card Transaction Fee	On or after 1/21/2019
Capacity Charge:	July 1, 2019	BOD/TSS Surcharge:	January 1, 2013
Septic Tank Waste Discharge Fee:		Abatement Meter Reading Fee:	June 1, 2018
A. Septic Tank Waste Discharge Fee:	May 6, 2005	Real Estate Closing Request Fee:	June 1, 2018
B. Uniform Septage Disposal Fee:	April 1, 2008		
Sewer Back-up Removal Fee:	March 24, 1995		

Pretreatment Permit Application Fee: Applicable to all users regulated under R.I.G.L. 46-25-25 and the NBC's Rules and Regulations.

	<u>Fee</u>
Tier I - Significant Industrial Users	\$500
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Tier III - Commercial Users	\$140

Sewer Connection Permit Fee: Application fee for all new direct and indirect connections to NBC facilities and payable at the time of application.

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Direct Connection	\$300
Indirect Connection	\$130

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Sewer Back-up Removal Fee: Applicable to all visits by Commission personnel to clear a sewer blockage when such blockage is determined to be a private sewer and is cleared by Commission personnel.

Fee: \$75.00 per incident

Septic Tank Waste Discharge Fee: Applicable to all discharges of septic tank waste into the NBC system.

- A. Charge: \$42 per thousand gallons
- B. Uniform Septage Disposal fee: \$1.00 per hundred gallons

BOD/TSS Surcharge: (if applicable)

- Charge: \$0 per 1,000 pounds of BOD with a concentration of >300 mg/l
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Fee: \$35.00

Real Estate Closing Fee: Applicable to all parties that submit a real estate closing or refinance request.

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