

Middlesex Water Company Affiliates

September 15, 2023

Honorable Sherri Golden Secretary of the Board New Jersey Board of Public Utilities 44 South Clinton Avenue, 9th Floor Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

Re:

In the Matter of Pinelands Water Company

For Approval of an Increase in its Rates for Water Service and Other Tariff Changes

BPU Docket No. WR22090555 OAL Docket No. PUC 08466-2022S

Dear Secretary Golden:

Enclosed please find Pinelands Water Company's complete updated revised tariff sheets for rates effective October 1, 2023 conforming to the Order Adopting Initial Decision and Stipulation issued on April 12, 2023 in the above-referenced proceeding.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (732) 638-7506 or <u>jkooper@middlesexwater.com</u>. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Jay L. Kooper, Esq. General Counsel

cc: Service List (via electronic mail)

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B.P.U. No. 2 - WATER

PINELANDS WATER COMPANY

TARIFF

FOR

WATER SERVICE

APPLICABLE IN

SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP

BURLINGTON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

Date of Issue: September 7, 2022

Effective for service Rendered on and after: October 1, 2023

Issued by:

G. Christian Andreasen, Jr., President

Pinelands Water Company

485C Route 1 South

Suite 400

Iselin, New Jersey 08830

Filed pursuant to an Order of the Board of Public Utilities, State of New Jersey, dated March 22, 2023, in Docket No. WR22090555

RATE SCHEDULE NO. 1

GENERAL WATER SERVICE - GS

APPLICABILITY:

Applicable to the use of water supplied through meters in the entire territory served by the Company.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

Continuous except as limited by "Standard Terms and Conditions".

RATE:

Consumption Charges

For all water used - Rate per 1,000 gallons - \$4.1130

Quarterly Service Charge

Size of Meter	Per Quarter
5/8"	\$ 49.77
3/4"	74.58
1"	124.23
1 ½"	248.37
2"	397.44

A customer with a separate irrigation meter for a lawn sprinkler system shall be charged a single service charge for a 3/4" meter, unless either meter is larger than 3/4", in which case the larger meter size will be charged.

Billing shall be based on the facilities charge plus consumption charges (shown above) for each period.

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The State of New Jersey enacted Ch. 443 of the Laws of New Jersey 1983 concerning the periodic testing of public water supplies which establishes a water tax of \$0.01 per 1,000 gallons of water. This tax is reflected and included in the above rates.

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RATE SCHEDULE NO. 2

PRIVATE FIRE SERVICE - PFS

APPLICABILITY:

Applicable to customers throughout entire territory for private fire protection service. Excludes residential customers with a service line of 2" or less, any residential health care facility and any rooming or boarding house (NJSA 48:19-18).

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

Continuous except as limited by "Standard Terms and Conditions".

RATE:

Sprinkler connections without hose or hydrants connected to them on private property where such sprinkler connections are independently metered and used for fire service only.

Service Charge		
Size of Meter	Per Quarter	Per Month
5/8"	\$ 49.77	\$ 16.59
3/4"	74.58	24.86
1"	124.23	41.41
1 ½"	248.37	82.79
2"	397.44	132.48

Consumption Charges

In accordance with Paragraph 10.4 of the "Standard Terms and Conditions", water for any use other than fire protection shall be charged at the General Water Service Rate for Consumption Charges (as shown on Sheet No. 37).

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RATE SCHEDULE NO. 3

PUBLIC FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE

APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:

Municipal Fire Hydrants in Southampton Township.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

The service to fire hydrants shall be subject to the rules and regulations of Pinelands Water Company. Such service shall be only such as the Pinelands Water Company can deliver at the time of the demand.

RATES:

\$593.54 per hydrant, per year.

TERMS:

Service shall be rendered on an annual basis from the first day of January to the next succeeding first day of January.

Service may be terminated by Southampton Township by giving notice of at least thirty (30) days that service is to be terminated.

TERMS OF PAYMENT:

A customer has at least 15 days to pay a valid bill for service after the Company sends it. The Company will take into consideration mailing time but reserves the right to issue a written notice of its intention to discontinue water service.

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