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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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**Re: In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc.
for Approval of a Municipal Consent Granted by the Township of
Bridgewater, Somerset County
BPU Docket No. WE23040233**

Dear Secretary Golden:

On behalf of New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc., enclosed are the revised tariff leaves being filed in compliance with Ordering Paragraph number 8 of the Board's Order issued and effective September 27, 2023, approving the municipal consent in the above-referenced matter.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Christopher M. Arfaa".

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Enc.

cc: Service list (via email, w/enc.)

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STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS
WASTEWATER

B. CALCULATION OF WINTER QUARTER CONSUMPTION (CONTINUED)

2. Existing or New Customers in an Existing or New Dwelling or Premises for Which No Full Period Winter Quarter History has Been Established.

a. For service established outside of the winter quarter:

Determination of the monthly use constant shall be based on 12,000 gallons per quarter (a monthly usage constant of 4,000 gallons) until the customer receives the January bill in the following year. The January and subsequent bills will be calculated in accordance with the method described in this Tariff for determining the monthly Sewer Usage Charge.

b. For service established during the winter quarter:

Determination of the monthly use constant will be based upon the actual usage during the winter quarter with a minimum of 12,000 gallons (a monthly usage constant of 4,000 gallons). This monthly use constant will be used for billing purposes until the customer receives the January bill in the following year. The January and subsequent bills will be calculated in accordance with the method described in this Tariff for determining the monthly Sewer Usage Charge.

C. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO WASTEWATER SERVICE – COLLECTION SYSTEMS

Applicability

Applicable to wastewater service customers served by the Company in Bound Brook, Bridgewater, Haddonfield, the Egg Harbor City Utility, Howell Township, Lakewood Township, Mount Ephraim, Ocean City, and Somerville.

1. Separate and independent wastewater service lines shall be installed for each customer. All building drains and building sewers shall be the responsibility of the customer and shall be installed and maintained by the customer.
2. No customer shall discharge or cause to be discharged into the Company's system any storm water, surface water, ground water, roof runoff, sub-surface drainage, foundation or basement sump drainage, uncontaminated cooling water or unpolluted industrial process water.
3. No customer shall discharge or cause to be discharged into the Company's system the following described substances, materials, waters, or wastes without the prior written approval of the Company. Such wastes can harm either the sewerage system or treatment process and/or equipment, have an adverse effect upon the receiving stream for the treated wastewater, or can otherwise endanger life, limb or property or create a nuisance. In forming the opinions as to whether or not to permit the discharge, the Company will consider the effect upon receiving sewers, as well as the conditions placed upon the Company by its service agreements with the local treatment Utilities Authorities that treat the wastewater the Company collects.
4. The customer shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing the "building drain" and "building sewer."
5. The customer shall be responsible for installing and maintaining a backwater valve in buildings that have fixtures below grade level. In the event of a gray water backup, the Company shall not be liable for any damage or inconvenience resulting from the absence/malfunctioning of this appurtenance.
6. The Company reserves the right upon completion of its findings to:
 - a. Reject the wastes.
 - b. Require pretreatment to an acceptable condition for discharge.
 - c. Require flow equalization.

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AREA SERVED – WASTEWATER SERVICE

	<u>County</u>	<u>Municipality</u>	<u>All or Portion</u>	<u>Development/Section</u>	<u>Wastewater System</u>
**	Atlantic	City of Egg Harbor	All	N/A	Egg Harbor City
**	Atlantic	Twp. of Galloway	Portion	N/A	Egg Harbor City
**	Atlantic	Twp. of Mullica	Portion	N/A	Egg Harbor City
A)	Bergen	Twp. of Oakland	Portion	Ramapo River Reserve	Ramapo River Reserve
A)	Burlington	Twp. of Mansfield	Portion	Mapleton (Mansfield Farms)	Mapleton
B)	Burlington	Twp. of Mansfield	Portion	Homestead (Country Walk)	Homestead
D)	Burlington	Twp. of Mansfield	Portion	John Hydock Elementary School	Mapleton
D)	Burlington	Twp. of Mansfield	Portion	Northern Burlington School	Mapleton
**	Burlington	Twp. of Mansfield	Portion	Mansfield Warehousing Area	
**	Camden	Borough of Haddonfield	All	N/A	Haddonfield/CCMUA
**	Camden	Borough of Mount Ephraim	All	N/A	Mount Ephraim
A)	Cape May	Twp. of Middle	Portion	Avalon Country Club	Avalon Links
*	Cape May	Ocean City	All	N/A	Ocean City/CMCMUA
**	Gloucester	Twp. of Elk	All	N/A	Elk Township
A)	Hunterdon	Borough of Bloomsbury	Portion	Fawn Run	Fawn Run
A)	Hunterdon	Twp. of Tewksbury	Portion	Crossroads at Oldwick	Crossroads
*	Hunterdon	Twp. of Tewksbury	Portion	Pottersville	Pottersville
A)	Hunterdon	Twp. of Union	Portion	Village Square	Village Square
A)	Hunterdon	Twp. of Clinton	Portion	Brass Castle	Brass Castle
A)	Hunterdon	Twp. of Union	Portion	Lookout Pointe	Lookout Pointe
A)	Hunterdon	Twp. of Clinton	Portion	Glen Meadows & Twin Oaks	Glen Meadows
A)	Monmouth	Twp. of Upper Freehold	Portion	Four Seasons at Upper Freehold	Beacon Hill
D)	Monmouth	Twp. of Upper Freehold	Portion	Beacon Hill Clubhouse	Beacon Hill
*, **	Monmouth	Twp. of Howell	Portion	N/A	Howell/MRRSA/OCUA
A)	Morris	Twp. of Mount Olive	Portion	Country Oaks	Country Oaks
A)	Morris	Twp. of Chester	Portion	Four Seasons @ Chester	Four Seasons @ Chester
A)	Morris	Twp. of Jefferson	Portion	Peaks @ Jefferson	Jefferson Peaks
A)	Morris	Twp. of Mount Olive	Portion	Morris Chase	Morris Chase
**	Morris	Twp. of Long Hill	All	N/A	Long Hill Township
*	Ocean	Twp. of Lakewood	Portion	N/A	Lakewood/OCUA
**	Ocean	Twp. of Plumsted	Portion	Jensen's Deep Run	Jensen's
**	Somerset	Borough of Bound Brook	All	N/A	Bound Brook
A)	Somerset	Twp. of Hillsborough	Portion	Hillsborough Chase	Hillsborough Chase
**	Somerset	Borough of Somerville	All	N/A	Somerville
**	Somerset	Twp. of Bridgewater	Portion	Somerville Adjacent	Somerville
A)	Warren	Twp. of Washington	Portion	Hawk Pointe	Hawk Pointe

KEY:

- A) Community On-Site Water and/or Wastewater System (COWS) (formerly served by Applied)
- B) Homestead (formerly served by Applied)
- C) Reserved
- D) Other Contracts (formerly served by Applied)
- * Wastewater systems served by the Company prior to the merger of Applied Wastewater Management, Inc. ("Applied") into the Company on September 1, 2010.
- ** Systems acquired by the Company after January 1, 2011.

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RATE SCHEDULE 20-A
GENERAL METERED AND FLAT RATE SERVICE⁶

APPLICABILITY

Applicable for general residential, commercial, industrial and municipal wastewater service to customers in the Borough of Somerville and the portion of the Township of Bridgewater served by the Somerville System. Those who receive volume-based water service billings from NJAWC will receive volume-based wastewater service billings; all others will receive flat rate billings for unmetered service. The Company may require a water meter to be installed by any wastewater customer utilizing a well or other private water system at the property owner's expense.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE

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

SEWER USAGE CHARGE

The volume of sewer use is assumed to equal water meter registration. Monthly Sewer Usage Charges shall be determined based upon winter quarter consumption (detailed below), but in no case less than 2,493 gallons per month.

<u>Customer Location</u>	<u>Gallons Per Month</u>	<u>Rate Per 100 Gallons</u>	<u>Rate Per 1,000 Gallons</u>
Somerville	All	\$0.86898	\$8.6898
Bridgewater	All	1.00267	10.0267

FLAT RATE SERVICE CHARGE

<u>Customer Location</u>	<u>Rate Per Month</u>
Somerville	\$45.00
Bridgewater	\$53.33

CALCULATION OF WINTER QUARTER CONSUMPTION

Winter quarter consumption shall be determined based on an initial water meter reading taken in December of one year with the concluding meter reading taken approximately 90 days thereafter in March of the following year.

The monthly Sewer Usage Charge shall be determined as follows:

Meters read in January, February and March

The Sewer Usage Charge for each respective month shall be determined by multiplying the applicable monthly usage times applicable volumetric charges, but in no case less than 2,493 gallons per month, multiplied by applicable volumetric charges.

Meters read in April through December

The Sewer Usage Charge for each month April through December shall be based on the Monthly Usage Constant, equal to one-third of the winter quarter consumption, but in no case less than 2,493 gallons per month, multiplied by applicable volumetric charges.

In the case of new customers, the volume of sewer use shall be determined as follows:

New Customers in an Existing or New Dwelling or Premises for Which Actual Full Period Winter Quarter Usage History is Available: Determination of the monthly use constant shall be based on the last known full period winter quarter usage at that property.

Existing or New Customers in an Existing or New Dwelling or Premises for Which No Full Period Winter Quarter Usage History is Available: Monthly Sewer Usage Charges will be calculated at the minimum usage of 2,493 gallons per month.

TERMS OF PAYMENT

Valid bills for service furnished under this schedule will be rendered monthly in arrears (or quarterly at the option of the Company) and are due fifteen (15) days from the date of the postmark on the envelope in which the bill was transmitted. All bills shall list a due date.

Whenever service is established or is discontinued, all applicable Fixed Service Charges shall be prorated to the date of establishment or discontinuance of service.

⁶ The rates on this schedule will increase by 3% on October 4th in 2025, 2026, and 2027, and by 4% on October 4th in 2028 and 2029 by the terms of the Agreement of Sale between the Borough of Somerville and New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc.

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