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CITY OF HAMILTON BY-LAW NO. 23-001

To Amend City of Hamilton By-law No. 22-275, being a By-law to Impose Fees and Charges Respecting the Use of the City of Hamilton Sanitary Sewage System and to Implement a Wastewater Abatement Program

WHEREAS Council enacted a by-law to establish and maintain a list of all of its water and wastewater/storm services and activities and the use of property subject to fees or charges, as well as, the amount of each fee or charge;

AND WHEREAS Council wishes to amend By-law No. 22-275;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Hamilton hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. The amendments in this By-law include any necessary grammatical, numbering and lettering changes.
- 2. Schedule "A" of By-law 22-275 is deleted and replaced with the new Schedule "A" attached to this by-law.
- Schedule "B" of By-law 22-275 is amended by replacing the page entitled "City of Hamilton- 2022 Private Fire Line Rates" with the page entitled "City of Hamilton- 2023 Private Fire Line Rates", attached as Schedule "B" to this by-law.
- 4. This By-law shall come into effect on the day it is passed.
- 5. In all other respects, By-law 22-275 is confirmed.

PASSED this 25th day of January, 2023.

A. Horwath Mayor A. Holland City Clerk

CITY OF HAMILTON 2023 WATER AND WASTEWATER/STORM FEES AND CHARGES Effective January 1, 2023

A) Daily Water & Wastewater/Storm Fixed Charges

The fixed daily charge is not related to the direct costs of consumption and are not dependent upon or related to the amount of consumption incurred. The fixed charges are intended to offset the fixed costs of maintaining the water, wastewater and storm systems.

Meter Size	Water Rate	Wastewater/ Rate	Storm
15 mm	\$ 0.43	\$	0.47
16 mm	\$ 0.43	\$	0.47
20 mm	\$ 0.43	\$	0.47
21 mm	\$ 0.43	\$	0.47
25 mm	\$ 1.08	\$	1.18
38 mm	\$ 2.15	\$	2.35
50 mm	\$ 3.44	\$	3.76
75 mm	\$ 6.88	\$	7.52
100 mm	\$ 10.75	\$	11.75
150 mm	\$ 21.50	\$	23.50
200 mm	\$ 34.40	\$	37.60
250 mm	\$ 49.45	\$	54.05
300 mm	\$ 73.10	\$	79.90

B) Metered Water Consumption Charges

Water consumption shall be charged on a per cubic metre basis at the rates indicated in the table below. The total monthly Water Consumption Charge is the sum of usage in all blocks at the rate for each block.

		Residential Meter Size <25mm	Residential Meter Size =>25mm and Commercial, Institutional & Industrial
Consumption	Monthly Water	Rate	Rate
Block	Consumption (m3)	(\$/m3)	(\$/m3)
1	0-10	0.98	1.96
2	>10	1.96	1.96

C) Wastewater/Storm Treatment Charges

Wastewater/Storm Treatment Charges are based on metered water consumption and the cost of wastewater collection and treatment, and stormwater management. Charges are on a per cubic metre basis at the rates indicated in the table below. The total monthly Wastewater/Storm Treatment Charge is the sum of usage in all blocks at the rate for each block.

		Residential Meter Size <25mm	Residential Meter Size =>25mm and Commercial, Institutional & Industrial
Treatment Block	Monthly Water	Rate	Rate
	Consumption (m3)	(\$/m3)	(\$/m3)
1	0-10	0.98	1.96
2	>10	1.96	1.96

D) Non-Metered Annual Water & Wastewater/Storm Rate
Flat Rate Water Customers Annual Rate: \$715.40
Flat Rate Wastewater/Storm Customers Annual Rate: \$715.40
Combined Flat Rate Water & Wastewater/Storm Customers Annual Rate: \$1,430.80

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This service shall consist of permanent unmetered connections to the main for the purpose of supplying water to private fire protection systems such as automatic sprinkler systems, standpipes and private hydrants. This service shall also include reasonable quantities of water used for testing check valves and other backflow protection devices.

Unmetered Service

Size of Co	Monthly Rate		
mm	inches		
25	1	\$	4.30
38	1.5	\$	9.88
50	2	\$	17.18
75	3	\$	38.66
100	4	\$	68.72
150	6	\$	154.63
200	8	\$	274.89
250	10	\$	274.89
300	12	\$	274.89