TOWN OF WATERTOWN
WATER AND SEWER AUTHORITY
747 French Street
Oakville, Connecticut 06779-1099
Main Office (860) 945-5299

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED CHANGES TO WATER AND SEWER RATES

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

Watertown High School Auditorium at 6:00 P.M.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§7-239 and §§7-255, the Watertown Water and Sewer Authority hereby gives notice of a Public Hearing on proposed changes to Water and Sewer Quarterly Quantity Rates for the CT Public Water System (CT1530021) WSA & (CT1539031) Westgate Customers, and the **Elimination of Winter Quarterly Customer Charge**.

Said Public Hearing will be held at 6:00PM on Wednesday, August 27, 2025, at Watertown High School Auditorium.

This is an in-person meeting. A link to view the Public Hearing in listen-only mode will be posted on the Town of Watertown website, www.watertownct.org by 4:00 P.M. on the date of the meeting.

Written questions and comments pertaining to the proposed water and sewer rates are welcome and should be received by 4:00pm, Friday, August 22, 2025, addressed to Water and Sewer Authority, c/o Chairman WSA, 747 French Street, Oakville 06779, or you can drop off your questions to the WSA office in a sealed envelope addressed to the WSA Chairman.

1. **Water User Rates:** Quarterly Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons)

   CT Public Water System - CT1530021 - WSA Customers Quarterly Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons)

Current Quarterly Water Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	Proposed **40%** Increase in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	New Quarterly Water Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons
$ 3.28	**$ 1.31**	**$ 4.59**

   CT Public Water System - CT1539031 - Westgate Customers Quarterly Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons)

Current Quarterly Water Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	Proposed **200%** Increase in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	New Quarterly Water Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons
$ 3.28	**$ 6.56**	**$ 9.84**

2. **Sewer User Rates:** Quarterly Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons)

Current Quarterly Sewer Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	Proposed **50%** Increase in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons	New Quarterly Sewer Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons
$ 4.06	**$ 2.03**	**$ 6.09**

Water and Sewer Authority

Watertown, CT

Special Meeting Agenda

Date: Wednesday, August 27, 2025

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Place: Watertown High School
324 French St
Watertown, CT 06795
Auditorium Room

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. New Business
   - I. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed Elimination of Winter Quarterly Customer Charge Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§7-239 and §§7-255, and Public Hearing.
   - II. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed 40% ($1.31) Increase in Water User Rates for CT Public Water System – CT1530021 – WSA Customers in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons from Current Quantity Rate of $3.28 to New Proposed Quantity Rate of $4.59 Per 1,000 Gallons Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§7-239 and §§7-255, and Public Hearing.
   - III. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed 200% ($6.56) Increase in Water User Rates for CT Public Water System – CT1539031 – Westgate Customers in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons from Current Quantity Rate of $3.28 to New Proposed Quantity Rate of $9.84 Per 1,000 Gallons Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§7-239 and §§7-255, and Public Hearing.
   - IV. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed 50% ($2.03) Increase in Sewer User Rates for WSA Customers in Quantity Rate Per 1,000 Gallons from Current Quantity Rate of $4.06 to New Proposed Sewer Quantity Rate of $6.09 Per 1,000 Gallons Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§7-239 and §§7-255, and Public Hearing.
4. Adjournment

THIS MEETING WILL BE AN IN-PERSON MEETING AND WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE VIA ZOOM IN LISTEN ONLY MODE. A LINK WILL BE POSTED ON THE DAY OF THE MEETING. PLEASE SEE WWW.WATERTOWNCT.ORG UNDER THE CALENDAR OF MEETINGS.

WSA QUARTERLY SAMPLE BILL BASED ON 5/8" WATER METER
13,000 GALLONS OF USAGE (MORE THAN 12,000 GALLONS)

CT PUBLIC WATER SYTEM – CT 1530021 – WSA CUSTOMERS

$3.28 – Old Water Rate **$4.59 – NEW Water Rate (40% = $1.31 Increase)**
$4.06 – Old Sewer Rate **$6.09 – NEW Sewer Rate (50% = $2.03 Increase)**

Quarterly Customer Charge
Water Usage Charge (For 5/8" Meter Size) More Than 12,000 Gallons = $54.48
Sewer Usage Charge More Than 12,000 Gallons = $109.52

Example:

- **Old Water Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $3.28 = 42,640 ÷ 1,000 = $42.64 + $54.48 = $97.12**
- **Old Sewer Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $4.06 = 52,780 ÷ 1,000 = $52.78 + $109.52 = $162.30**
- **$97.12 (Old Water Rate) + $162.30 (Old Sewer Rate) = $259.42 (Old Bill Rate Total)**

- **New Water Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $4.59 = 59,670 ÷ 1,000 = $59.67 + $54.48 = $114.15**
- **New Sewer Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $6.09 = 79,170 ÷ 1,000 = $79.17 + $109.52 = $188.69**
- **$114.15 (New Water Rate) + $188.69 (New Sewer Rate) = $302.84 (New Bill Rate Total)**

**** Difference from Old Bill Rate to New Bill Rate:**

$302.84 – $259.42 = $43.42 Per Quarter

$43.42 x 4 (Quarters) = $173.68

Sample Old Rate Bill

Account Summary	
Previous Balance	$167.40
Payment	-$167.40
Balance Forward	0.00
Current Quarterly Charges	
Water Charge	$97.12
Sewer Charge	$162.30
Interest Charges	
Water Interest	0.00
Sewer Interest	0.00
Miscellaneous Charges/Credits	
Miscellaneous Charges	0.00
Adjustments/Credits	0.00

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WATER COMPARISON BASED ON CURRENT RATES

CT PUBLIC WATER SYTEM – CT 1530021 – WSA CUSTOMERS

Waterbury's Unit for Billing is Cubic Feet. Waterbury Bills Per 100 Cubic Feet (CCF) which equals **748** Gallons.

WSA's (Watertown) Unit for Billing is Gallons. WSA Bills Per 1,000 Gallons.

- 1,000 Gallons minus (**-**) **748** Gallons Equals (**=**) **252** Gallons.

252 Gallons is the Number of Extra Gallons needed to have a straight Cost-Comparison between how Waterbury and WSA Bills for 1,000 Gallons.

Waterbury Currently Charges WSA **$2.65** Per CCF (**748** Gallons) of Water Usage, and an Additional **$0.265** (10%) Per CCF (**748** Gallons) of Water Usage.

- How much would Waterbury Charge WSA Per **252** Gallons?

  Solution: **$2.650 + $0.265 = $2.915**

  $2.915 x 252 Gallons **= $734.58**

  $734.58 ÷ 748 Gallons **= $0.982**

  Answer: The Cost for that **252** Gallons is **$0.982**.

- What is the Total Dollar Amount Waterbury would Charge for 1,000 Gallons?

  Answer: **$2.65 + $0.265 = $2.915 + $0.982 = $3.897** Per 1,000 Gallons

Waterbury would charge WSA **$3.897** per 1,000 Gallons of Water Usage including the 10% charge if they billed per 1,000 Gallons.

$$\frac{2.915}{748} = \frac{x}{252}$$

$$2.915 \times 252 = 734.58$$

$$748x = 734.58$$

$$\frac{748x}{748} = \frac{734.58}{748}$$

$$x = 0.982$$

$$2.915 + 0.982 = \$3.897 \text{ Per } 1{,}000 \text{ Gallons}$$

Waterbury Water Rate Per 1,000 Gallons would be **$3.897**

WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate for 2023–2025 is **$3.28** Per 1,000 Gallons

New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate **$4.59** (**40% = $1.31 Increase**) Per 1,000 Gallons

WSA **$4.59** Minus (**-**) Waterbury **$3.897** Equals (**=**) **$0.693** Per 1,000 Gallons

There is a positive difference of +$0.693 Per 1,000 Gallons from the New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate ($4.59) compared to a Waterbury Water Rate ($3.897)

City of Waterbury webpage link for Water and Sewer Rates
https://waterburyct.org/services/water

Water Rate Schedule - Effective July 1, 2021

$2.65 Water User Rate (per CCF)
Water Service charge (all sizes) is $12.00/quarter
Fire Service Charge (annual)

*1ccf = 748 gallons

- 2" or smaller connection $77.00
- 4" connection $308.00
- 6" connection $693.00
- 8" connection $1,232.00
- 10" connection $1,925.00
- 12" connection $2,772.0

Sewer Rate

Sewer Use Charge (per CCF) = $2.472
Sewer CRC (Capitol Recovery Charge) (per CCF) = $1.481

Approved Waterbury Sewer Rates FY24

WSA QUARTERLY SAMPLE BILL BASED ON 5/8" WATER METER
13,000 GALLONS OF USAGE (LESS THAN 12,000 GALLONS)

CT PUBLIC WATER SYTEM – CT 1539031 – WESTGATE CUSTOMERS

$3.28 – Old Water Rate **$9.84 – NEW Water Rate (200% = $6.56 Increase)**
$4.06 – Old Sewer Rate **$6.09 – NEW Sewer Rate (50% = $2.03 Increase)**

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- **Old Sewer Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $4.06 = 52,780 ÷ 1,000 = $52.78 + $109.52 = $162.30**
- **$97.12 (Old Water Rate) + $162.30 (Old Sewer Rate) = $259.42 (Old Bill Rate Total)**

- **New Water Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $9.84 = 127,920 ÷ 1,000 = $127.92 + $54.48 = $182.40**
- **New Sewer Rate: 13,000 Gallons x $6.09 = 79,170 ÷ 1,000 = $79.17 + $109.52 = $188.69**
- **$182.40 (New Water Rate) + $188.69 (New Sewer Rate) = $371.09 (New Bill Rate Total)**

**** Difference from Old Bill Rate to New Bill Rate:**

$371.09 – $259.42 = $111.67 Per Quarter

$111.67 x 4 (Quarters) = $446.68

Sample Old Rate Bill

Account Summary	
Previous Balance	$167.40
Payment	-$167.40
Balance Forward	0.00
Current Quarterly Charges	
Water Charge	$97.12
Sewer Charge	$162.30
Interest Charges	
Water Interest	0.00
Sewer Interest	0.00
Miscellaneous Charges/Credits	
Miscellaneous Charges	0.00
Adjustments/Credits	0.00

Sample New Rate Bill

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WATER COMPARISON BASED ON CURRENT RATES

CT PUBLIC WATER SYTEM – CT 1539031 – WESTGATE CUSTOMERS

Watertown Fire District's (WFD) Special Rate: Bulk Metered Sales to Town of Watertown as approved 05-12-2025 by the WFD Commission effective ~~**07-01-2026**~~ **07-01-2025 for FY-26 (mistakenly inputted 07-01-2026, correction made)**

For First 3,500 Gallons is **$47.34**

All Over 3,500 Gallons is **$9.7164** Per 1,000 Gallons

WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate for 2023–2025 is **$3.28** Per 1,000 Gallons

New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate **$9.84** (**200% = $6.56 Increase**) Per 1,000 Gallons

WSA **$9.84** Minus (**-**) Watertown Fire District **$9.72** Equals (**=**) **$0.12** Per 1,000 Gallons

There is a positive difference of **+$0.12** Per 1,000 Gallons from the New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate **($9.84)** compared to a Watertown Fire District Water Rate **($9.72)**

WATER SEWER

WATERTOWN FIRE DISTRICT
Schedule of Water Rates

CLASS A: RESIDENTIAL SCHEDULE

For the first 3500 gallons	$37.87	
All over 3500 gallons	$7.78	per 1000 gallons
Minimum charge per residential unit	$37.87	

SPECIAL RATE: BULK METERED SALES TO TOWN OF WATERTOWN

For the first 3500 gallons	$47.34	
All over 3500 gallons	$9.7164	per 1000 gallons

CLASS B: COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL SCHEDULE

For the first 7000 gallons	$75.75	
All over 7000 gallons	$9.79	per 1000 gallons
Minimum charge per meter	$75.75	

CLASS C: FIRE PROTECTION SCHEDULE: Flat rates payable in advance on January 1 and July 1 of each year.

Public Hydrants, Semi-Annual	$198.00
Private Hydrants, yard, Semi-Annual	$198.00

Private Fire Service

Connection size	Semi-Annual
2-inch or less	$26.00
4-inch	$106.00
6-inch	$238.00
8-inch	$422.00
10-inch	$660.00
12-inch	$950.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Installation or Removal of Meter	$25.00 per occurrence
Late Fee (subject to billing terms)	$2.50 per occurrence

Schedule of Water Rates approved by the Fire District Commission on May 12, 2025. Effective with the first billing of Fiscal Year 2026.

SEWER COMPARISON BASED ON CURRENT RATES

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WSA's (Watertown) Unit for Billing is Gallons. WSA Bills Per 1,000 Gallons.

- 1,000 Gallons minus (**-**) **748** Gallons Equals (**=**) **252** Gallons.

252 Gallons is the Number of Extra Gallons needed to have a straight Cost-Comparison between how Waterbury and WSA Bills for 1,000 Gallons.

Waterbury Currently Charges WSA **$2.472** Per CCF (**748** Gallons) of Sewer Usage, and an Additional **$1.481** CRC (Capitol Recovery Charge) Per CCF (**748** Gallons) of Sewer Usage.

- How much would Waterbury Charge WSA Per **252** Gallons?

  Solution: **$2.472 x 252** Gallons **= $622.944**

  $1.481 x 252 Gallons **= $373.212**

  $622.944 + $373.212 = $996.156

  $996.156 ÷ 748 Gallons **= $1.332**

  Answer: The Cost for that **252** Gallons is **$1.332**.

- What is the Total Dollar Amount Waterbury would Charge Per 1,000 Gallons?

  Answer: **$2.472 + $1.481 + $1.332 = $5.285** Per 1,000 Gallons

Waterbury would charge WSA **$5.285** per 1,000 Gallons of Sewer Usage and including the CRC if they billed per 1,000 Gallons.

$$\frac{2.472}{748} = \frac{x}{252} + \frac{1.481}{748} = \frac{x}{252}$$

$$2.472\ x\ 252 = 622.944 + 1.481\ x\ 252 = 373.212$$

$$748x = 622.944 + 748x = 373.212$$

$$\frac{748x}{748} = \frac{622.944}{748} + \frac{748x}{748} = \frac{373.212}{748}$$

$$x = 0.833 + x = 0.499$$

$$2.472 + 1.481 + (0.833 + 0.499)1.332 = \$5.285\ Per\ 1{,}000\ Gallons$$

Waterbury Sewer Usage **+** CRC Rate Per 1,000 Gallons would be **$5.285**

WSA 2023–2025 Sewer Quantity Usage Rate was **$4.06** Per 1,000 Gallons

New WSA Sewer Quantity Usage Rate **$6.09** (**50% = $2.03 Increase**) Per 1,000 Gallons

WSA **$6.09** Minus (**-**) Waterbury **$5.285** Equals (**=**) **$0.805** Per 1,000 Gallons

There is positive difference of $0.805 Per 1,000 Gallons from the New WSA Sewer Quantity Usage Rate ($6.09) compared to a Waterbury Sewer + CRC Rate ($5.285)

WSA QUARTERLY SAMPLE BILL BASED ON 5/8" WATER METER
11,000 GALLONS OF USAGE (LESS THAN 12,000 GALLONS)

CT PUBLIC WATER SYTEM – CT 1530021 – WSA CUSTOMERS

$3.28 – Old Water Rate **$4.59 – NEW Water Rate (40% = $1.31 Increase)**
$4.06 – Old Sewer Rate **$6.09 – NEW Sewer Rate (50% = $2.03 Increase)**

Quarterly Customer Charge
Water Usage Charge (For 5/8" Meter Size) Less Than 12,000 Gallons) = $35.38
Sewer Usage Charge Less Than 12,000 Gallons) = $71.19

Example:

- **Old Water Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $3.28 = 36,080 ÷ 1,000 = $36.08 + $35.38 = $71.46**
- **Old Sewer Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $4.06 = 44,660 ÷ 1,000 = $44.66 + $71.19 = $115.85**
- **$71.46 (Old Water Rate) + $115.85 (Old Sewer Rate) = $187.31 (Old Bill Rate Total)**

- **New Water Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $4.59 = 50,490 ÷ 1,000 = $50.49 + $35.38 = $85.87**
- **New Sewer Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $6.09 = 66,990 ÷ 1,000 = $66.99 + $71.19 = $138.18**
- **$85.87 (New Water Rate) + $138.18 (New Sewer Rate) = $224.05 (New Bill Rate Total)**

**** Difference from Old Bill Rate to New Bill Rate:**

$224.05 – $187.31 = $36.74 Per Quarter

$36.74 x 4 (Quarters) = $146.96

Sample Old Rate Bill

Account Summary	
Previous Balance	$167.40
Payment	-$167.40
Balance Forward	0.00
Current Quarterly Charges	
Water Charge	$71.46
Sewer Charge	$115.85
Interest Charges	
Water Interest	0.00
Sewer Interest	0.00
Miscellaneous Charges/Credits	
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- **New Water Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $9.84 = 108,240 ÷ 1,000 = $108.24 + $35.38 = $143.62**
- **New Sewer Rate: 11,000 Gallons x $6.09 = 66,990 ÷ 1,000 = $66.99 + $71.19 = $138.18**
- **$143.62 (New Water Rate) + $138.18 (New Sewer Rate) = $281.80 (New Bill Rate Total)**

**** Difference from Old Bill Rate to New Bill Rate:**

$281.80 – $187.31 = $94.49 Per Quarter

$94.49 x 4 (Quarters) = $377.96

Sample Old Rate Bill

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Previous Balance	$167.40
Payment	-$167.40
Balance Forward	0.00
Current Quarterly Charges	
Water Charge	$71.46
Sewer Charge	$115.85
Interest Charges	
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Miscellaneous Charges/Credits	
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New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate **$9.84** (**200% = $6.56 Increase**) Per 1,000 Gallons

WSA **$9.84** Minus (**-**) Watertown Fire District **$9.72** Equals (**=**) **$0.12** Per 1,000 Gallons

There is a positive difference of **+$0.12** Per 1,000 Gallons from the New WSA Water Quantity Usage Rate **($9.84)** compared to a Watertown Fire District Water Rate **($9.72)**

WATERTOWN FIRE DISTRICT
Schedule of Water Rates

CLASS A: RESIDENTIAL SCHEDULE

For the first 3500 gallons	$37.87	
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Minimum charge per residential unit	$37.87	

SPECIAL RATE: BULK METERED SALES TO TOWN OF WATERTOWN

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For the first 7000 gallons	$75.75	
All over 7000 gallons	$9.79	per 1000 gallons
Minimum charge per meter	$75.75	

CLASS C: FIRE PROTECTION SCHEDULE: Flat rates payable in advance on January 1 and July 1 of each year.

Public Hydrants, Semi-Annual	$198.00
Private Hydrants, yard, Semi-Annual	$198.00

Private Fire Service

Connection size	Semi-Annual
2-inch or less	$26.00
4-inch	$106.00
6-inch	$238.00
8-inch	$422.00
10-inch	$660.00
12-inch	$950.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Installation or Removal of Meter	$25.00 per occurrence
Late Fee (subject to billing terms)	$2.50 per occurrence

Schedule of Water Rates approved by the Fire District Commission on May 12, 2025. Effective with the first billing of Fiscal Year 2026.

PAYMENT COUPON
Detach & return this portion when paying by mail.

Service Address: 747 FRENCH STREET

MR. HYDRO SMITH
747 FRENCH STREET
OAKVILLE, CT 06779-

Make checks or money orders payable to:

Watertown WSA
747 French Street
Oakville, CT 06779-1099
(860) 945-5268 (860) 945-5269

Quarter Ending	07/31/2025
Account Number	0774700001
Amount Due	**771.63**
Payment Due Date	10/01/2025

Amount Enclosed

Retain this portion for your records.

WATERTOWN WSA
747 FRENCH STREET
OAKVILLE, CT 06779-1099

Amount Due	**771.63**
Payment Due Date	10/01/2025
Account Number	0774700001
Quarter Ending	07/31/2025
Service Address	747 FRENCH STREET

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Office 8:30 - 4:30 Monday - Friday
IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Account Summary

Previous Balance	0.00
Payment	0.00
Balance Forward	0.00

Current Quarterly Charges

Water Charge	283.98
Sewer Charge	414.02

Interest Charges

Water Interest	0.00
Sewer Interest	0.00

Miscellaneous Charges/Credits

Miscellaneous Charges	73.63
Adjustments/Credits	0.00

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TOTAL AMOUNT DUE **771.63**

Quarter Ending	Service Type	Service Period From	Service Period To	No. of Days	Meter Readings Previous	Meter Readings Current	Usage	Meter Number
07/31/2025	WATER	04/30/25	07/31/25	92	0	50	50000	1234567
	SEWER							

TOWN OF WATERTOWN
WATER AND SEWER AUTHORITY
SCHEDULE OF RATES

WATER USER RATES

Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons) $ 4.59

Quarterly Customer Charges Per Meter Size
(Quarterly Usage 12,000 Gallons or Less)

5/8"	$ 35.38
3/4"	$ 58.67
1"	$ 97.85
1½"	$ 195.69
2"	$ 313.05
3"	$ 587.07
4"	$ 978.45

Quarterly Customer Charges Per Meter Size
(Quarterly Usage Greater Than 12,000 Gallons)

5/8"	$ 54.48
3/4"	$ 90.43
1"	$ 150.67
1½"	$ 301.35
2"	$ 482.21
3"	$ 904.17
4"	$1,506.99

SEWER USER RATES

Quantity Rate (Per 1,000 Gallons) $ 6.09

Quarterly Customer Charges (Quarterly Usage 12,000 Gallons or Less) $ 71.19

Quarterly Customer Charges (Quarterly Usage Greater Than 12,000 Gallons) $ 109.52

Winter Quarter

Note: For residential metered customers only the "**quarterly customer charges**" will be based on the usage during the winter quarter.

Varies Based on Customer's Section

Section 1 – Months of November, December, January
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WATER AND SEWER

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ALL NON-METERED CUSTOMERS

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PAYMENT COUPON
Detach & return this portion when paying by mail.

Service Address: 747 FRENCH STREET

MR. HYDRO SMITH - Westgate
747 FRENCH STREET
OAKVILLE, CT 06779-

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Oakville, CT 06779-1099
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Quarter Ending	07/31/2025
Account Number	0774700001
Amount Due	**1034.13**
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SCHEDULE OF RATES

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