

Montague  
Sewer and Water  
Collection and Treatment  
Corporation

SEWER & WATER  
TARIFF

THIS TARIFF SPECIFIES THE RATES AND CHARGES APPLICABLE  
TO SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE MONTAGUE SEWER AND WATER  
COLLECTION AND TREATMENT CORPORATION

RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE TYPES OF SERVICES  
AND MANNER IN WHICH SUCH SERVICES ARE PROVIDED  
ARE CONTAINED IN THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND  
MUNICIPAL WATER AND SEWERAGE UTILITIES  
GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

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# Metered Rates

## Application:

The following rates and charges apply to metered services provided to customers by the Town of Montague Sewer and Water Collection and Treatment Corporation.

Non-single-family dwelling customers not connected to service but capable of being served shall be billed the applicable service demand charge based on an equivalent water meter size, plus a usage charge based on estimated water consumption.

## Water & Sewer Service (Demand Charge + Usage Charge):

Demand Charge			+	Usage Charge
Meter Size	Monthly	Quarterly		
5/8 inch	\$33.13	\$99.40		\$1.52 (per cubic metre of water used)
3/4 inch	\$41.42	\$124.27		
1 inch	\$57.97	\$173.91		
1 1/2 inch	\$99.34	\$298.02		
2 inch	\$148.95	\$446.84		
3 inch	\$264.76	\$794.28		
4 inch	\$430.20	\$1,290.60		
6 inch	\$843.80	\$2,531.39		

## Water Service (Demand Charge + Usage Charge):

Demand Charge			+	Usage Charge
Meter Size	Monthly	Quarterly		
5/8 inch	\$15.60	\$46.80		\$0.40 (per cubic metre of water used)
3/4 inch	\$20.45	\$61.35		
1 inch	\$30.05	\$90.15		
1 1/2 inch	\$54.15	\$162.45		
2 inch	\$83.05	\$249.15		
3 inch	\$150.50	\$451.50		
4 inch	\$246.80	\$740.40		
6 inch	\$487.65	\$1,462.95		

## Sewer Service (Demand Charge + Usage Charge):

Demand Charge			+	Usage Charge
(Equiv. Water Service Meter Size)	Monthly	Quarterly		
5/8 inch	\$17.53	\$52.60		\$1.12 (per cubic metre of estimated water used)
3/4 inch	\$20.97	\$62.92		
1 inch	\$27.92	\$83.76		
1 1/2 inch	\$45.19	\$135.57		
2 inch	\$65.90	\$197.69		
3 inch	\$114.26	\$342.78		
4 inch	\$183.40	\$550.20		
6 inch	\$356.15	\$1,068.44		

**Minimum Bill:** The minimum bill is the Demand Charge.

# Unmetered Rates

## Application:

The following rates and charges apply to unmetered services provided to customers served or capable of being served by the Town of Montague Sewer and Water Collection and Treatment Corporation.

## Flat Rates:

No water service line to exceed 3/4 inch.

### Single-Family Dwellings:

#### Water & Sewer Service:

#### Sewer Service Only:

#### Water Service Only:

	Monthly	Quarterly	Annually
Water & Sewer Service:	\$67.67	\$203.00	\$812.00
Sewer Service Only:	\$43.67	\$131.00	\$524.00
Water Service Only:	\$24.00	\$72.00	\$288.00

### Non-Single-Family Dwellings:

Non-single-family dwelling customers not connected to service but capable of being served shall be billed the applicable service demand charge based on an equivalent water meter size, plus a usage charge based on estimated water consumption, in accordance with the metered rates contained on page 1 of this Tariff.

## Special Flat Rates:

The Utility may approve the use of special flat rates where it is considered expedient due to the inadvisability of installing a meter due to exposure, etc., such as residential construction, temporary water fountains and similar devices. This type of service is to be provided only on an intermittent basis and is not to cover heavy consumption use.

## Rates for Water Supplied from Fire Hydrants:

When the use of any fire hydrant is desired for supplying water for flushing sewers, drains or any other purpose, other than for fire protection, the Utility may grant a permit under such terms, conditions and rates as it may see fit, including arrangements regarding supervision of the opening and closing of the hydrant.

# Municipal Service Rates

## Fire Protection Charge:

The Utility shall charge the Town of Montague annually for water system facilities provided for fire protection services, the amount of 20% of the previous year's total water utility expenditures.

# Sanitary Sewage Charge

## Application:

In cases where any customer of the Utility discharges a sewage effluent into the sewer system which is excessively strong or where the suspended solids or fat and grease components are excessively high, the Utility may determine by sample testing and such other means as may be available, the degree of excessive contamination and require the customer to pay an additional surcharge in accordance with the concentration of the suspended solids (SS) and fat and grease (GR) proportions as set forth below.

## Surcharge:

In cents per 1,000 imperial gallons -

$$\frac{\text{SS(ppm)} - 350}{350} \times 7.6 + \frac{\text{GR(ppm)} - 100}{100} \times 7.6$$

In cents per cubic metre -

$$\frac{\text{SS(ppm)} - 350}{350} \times 1.674 + \frac{\text{GR(ppm)} - 100}{100} \times 1.674$$